

Excerpts from the diary of Francis W. Squires

- /1840            Family lived in Martinsburgh, Lewis Co. NY
- 9/14/1840        Jared Stiles Jr. barn struck by lightning & burned
- /1840            Go to school to academy to Martinsburgh Village
- 1/20/1841        Alfred Stiles & Harriet Squires married Martinsburgh
- 10/8/1841        Mrs. Starr's funeral, her husband did not attend
- 11/7/1841        Father went to Chnago to carry Emily
- 2/4/1844        Norten Busset's child died last night
- 2/20/1844        John Stiles & Miss Miller married
- 2/23/1844        Woolsey Buble's wife died, sick 5-6 weeks
- 2/29/1844        Newel Clark & Laura R Phelps married
- 5/1/1844        Ezra Beillis started for Wisconsin yesterday
- 5/4/1844        Uncle Willard's wife died last night
- 7/7/1844        Lavinia died this morning at 4 ½ o'clock aged 31 years, 5 months, 6 days
- 7/8/1844        Funeral. Uncle Sterling & Willard Warriner Jr. went to New Haven CT.
- 8/6/1844        Nehemiah over & visit
- 1884            F.W. voted for Henry Clay Pres. & Millard Fillamore for Gov. Attended  
the Methodist & Presbyterian Church meetings
- 10/9/1844        Josh Halibert supposed drowned
- 1/12/1845        Father, Rachel & F.W. went to church
- 1/14/1845        Father & Mother started for Chenago
- 3/3/1845        Enoch Thompson died
- 3/30/1845        Heard A ? Babcock wife's funeral sermon
- 3/31/1845        Warren Pablas married Miss Dean

4/1/1845 Apollos Finch died

4/7/1845 Harvey Stevens died this morning

4/9/1845 Harvey Stevens funeral

4/20/1845 Harvey Easton elected supervisor in place of Harvey Stevens

8/1845 Willard been to Turin Corners for training & F.W. went to Lowville to training

9/1845 F.W. been to Great Caravan to Lowville. Uncle Jared's folks started to Conn.

10/15/1845 F.W. & father came to Os. Co. 42 miles to Mannsville, Mannsville to Fulton – 36 miles, stopped at Pulaski 3 hrs & F. went to paper mill, sold 8 head cattle \$41.

10/17/1845 Got to Uncle Fuller's

10/19/1845 Jacksonville, Onondaga Co. – Charles Fuller & Wife, Uncle Harvey & Rachel Fuller

10/21/1845 Lewis Pierces in New Haven – 18 miles & 1 ½ miles from village. Went to Port Ontario saw lake Ontario for first time then to Adams, 32 miles. Got home 23<sup>rd</sup> Went to Methodist Church in a.m., Baptist in p.m.

11/1845 J.A. Spencer voted as Senator

12/5/1845 F.W. went to drawing school

12/7/1845 F.W. went to get Sophia & Lucretia Stanton. Sophia boards with them going to school and Lueretta with Alfred Stiles

1/28/1846 Uncle Orrin's party and Ira's in Lebanon in morning. Joseph's at night rest at Smyrna

2/1846 Willard went to singing school

2/18/1846 Willard married this morning at 10:00 to Lucetta Spencer. Rev. E.S. Barnes officiated. Willard & wife went to Champion overnight & back to Alfred's

4/4/1846 Willard met me (F.W.) with horse at Port Ontario & rode to New Haven, NY. Willard drove cows (2 hours). We now live in New Haven, N.Y.

4/8/1846 Dennis Spencer came and went to lake

4/10/1846 Dennis, Father, & F.W. went to Oswego with Mr. Rowe

7/20/1846 Andrew P Petter executed at New Haven

12/16/1846 Funeral of O. Merriam's wife

12/20/1846 Father & I been to funeral of Mason's daughter

/1864 Painted to Bullock's - house is nice with marble fireplace

2/1847 Father, Nehemiah & W. & David been to lake

8/1847 Uncle Orrin in New Haven

9/1847 Mr Rin been surveying by running line between us & Brown

9/1847 Been surveying again & established \_\_\_\_\_ line between Brown & us & Guilford & us. N & S line sariation  $2 \frac{1}{2}$  & E & W line 2 degree. Distance 27 chains 80 links & 18.23. 49  $\frac{3}{4}$  acres

9/13/1847 Hiram Squires died

9/22/1847 Rice made out deed & brought it for \_\_\_\_\_.

11/29/1847 Been to Mrs. Mason's funeral.

3/2/1848 Finished surveying AM & our lot west of road contains 22  $\frac{48}{100}$  acres of land being 16 chains & 32 links N & S 13 chains & 78 links E & W.

5/17/1848 W & wife started for Martinsburg at 6:30 AM

5/27/1848 W & wife came home at 10:30 after driving 53 yearlings

7/18/1848 Methodist church raised PM & we have been up to help

7/30/1848 Funeral of John Davis

9/7/1848 Plank road commenced near Mr. Browns

10/11/1848 Father, W & wife & Nancy been to dedication of the Methodist Church in New Haven

11/1848 Nancy started for home by way of Rome

- 11/19/1848 F.W. studied arithmetic to prepare for teaching school
- 12/4/1848 F.W. commenced school in district for 8 months at \$12 per month
- 12/10/1848 Lucy Squires died
- 3/6/1849 C Nichols supervisor C R Weller town clerk
- 3/16/1849 Guilford sold farm to Rowe 20 acres \$600
- 3/18/1849 Lurinda Reynolds died at 10:00, aged 10 years
- 5/14/1849 Old Mr. Iengon? Buried aged about 91 years
- 7/2/1849 Gillespie died at 6:30
- 7/3/1849 Fast Day on account of Cholera by President Taylor
- 8/13/1849 Mrs. Drakes funeral
- 9/20/1849 Funeral of Goodsell's Etrila? PM
- 9/24/1849 Funeral of Dea Barten PM & Weed preached
- 10/7/1849 Gillispie married to Martha Herise in church
- 10/12/1849 H.H. Goodrich married to Jein Tuttle

1850- (1847 397.77) (1848 - 461-42) (1849 - 484.37)  
 822 barrels made = \$201.23  
 587 lb. Butter = \$78.59  
 183 ¾ lb. Cheese = \$10.80  
 other products = \$198.76                      Total \$489.88

- 1850 Alfred & Harriet Stiles live in Martinsburg
- 1/26/1850 Josiah Hall buried
- 3/18/1850 Lydia Douds funeral
- 4/1/1850 Mortimer May & Delia Sheldon married at Mexico
- 4/12/1850 Funeral of L Glass child
- 4/20/1850 Funeral of Miss L Glass

- 4/25/1850 Old Mrs Goodsell died
- 5/15/1850 Pamela Spreage married this morning to Clark
- 5/16/1850 Dea Dowds daughter's funeral (Mrs. Reed)
- 6/6/1850 Funeral of Mrs. Rhoda Sheldon
- 10/19/1850 Funeral of Mrs. Rowe
- 12/3/1850 Funeral of Curran's child
- 1/26/1851 5 generations grandmother aged 89 years, Aunt Linda aged 69 years, Sedisa Smith 46 years, J.D. Smith 24 years & his child
- 2/18/1851 S.W. Tanner married to Mary Smith
- 3/11/1851 Engineers surveying through Rowe's farm for rail road
- 3/17/1851 Lavincia E Squires 4 years old & 40 inches
- 4/25/1851 Charles A Tanner died at 2:00 of consumption aged 32 years
- 5/6/1851 F.W. went on hill to hear antislavery lecture by Burr
- 5/18/1851 Mr. Burroughs died age 52 at 5:00 am
- 7/19/1851 Mrs. Brooks died
- 8/30/1851 Henry Cheever married to Annetta Hirsh of N\_\_\_\_\_
- 9/1/1851 Robt S. Kelsey married to Lydia S Allen & started for NY. Father and Mother & Emily went to Granby
- 9/13/1851 John Marshal & Selma Sheldon married. Mentions here Addison Miller stepson of Rices's
- 10/9/1851 F.W. Squires & Sarah R. Rice were married in Oswego by Mr. Judson at his residence at 6:15 PM witnesses W.W. Squires & wife & Philo Burnham & Cornilia A Rice
- 1852- John Fuller (Granby); Wm. Brooks & wife & James P. Squires & Alfred Stiles. Jenny Lind married Otto Smith or Schmidt. Father, Mother, Emily, Willard & Lucetta had pictures taken on Hill by Mr. Rounds
- 1/13/1852 Old Mrs. Nelson died (David Nelson's mother)

3/3/1852 Dea Allen's funeral PM

3/16/1852 Funeral of Cornall's son (aged 14) who was kept by Mrs Burrows

7/10/1852 Sarah had a son 7 ¼ lb, 3:30 am

8/5/1852 F.W. & Sarah moved into front part of house

8/9/1852 F.W. bought 2 yr old heifer to feed baby nights 10 ½ lbs

9/16/1852 Jacob Marshall & Harriet Burrows married

10/22/1852 Signed deed & mortgage

10/24/1852 D. Webster died

10/26/1852 Baby is worrisome with smelled germs

12/6/1852 Funeral of Miss A Whitney of W New Haven

12/9/1852 Baby weighs 18 ½ lbs & can sit alone

1/2/1853 F.W. drew boards to his place in Volney

2/9/1853 Bub weighs 19 ¾ lb & can stand in cradle without touching his hands to anything

3/20/1853 Funeral of Wm Stansby's wife PM

4/2/1853 Carried deed to recording

4/4/1853 Been to my farm today

4/9/1853 Clarence Augustine Pierce Squires weighs 28 lbs

4/15/1853 Fixed fence between Griswold & I

6/4/1853 Father is 68 years old today & can do a good days work. Clarence can walk 4 or 5 steps.

7/5/1853 Great fire in Oswego & blew cinders 3 miles E. of New Haven

7/6/1853 F.W. been to Oliver Sikes to help raise his cooper shop PM

9/15/1853 Philo Burnham & Lydia Ann Miner married

10/10/1853 James A Fuller was married to Emeline Welch  
 12/3/1853 Mr. Parkhurst died at 12:00 mid night of Typhoid Fever  
 12/7/1853 N.P. Squires & Nancy Peebles were married  
 2/18/1854 F.W. bargained his farm to Hollister for \$850  
 6/18/1854 Measles have about left Sarah & baby is sick with them  
 6/20/1854 The baby's measles turned last night & she is better today  
 7/29/1854 Baby weighs 11 ¼ lb  
 9/9/1854 F.W. went to Russel Druce's auction PM  
 10/28/1854 Been to Cook's raising PM  
 11/12/1854 Asabel Fuller is quite sick with Billious Fever  
 12/26/1854 Been to John & Sim Coe's to raising  
 12/29/1854 Harriet Augusta Squires weighs \_\_\_\_\_  
 1/45/1855 Catherine McDougall Church died  
 1/13/1855 John Everts been here PM to see about buying my farm  
 1/15, 1855 I been out to Peck's & look at Morgan's farm but didn't like it  
 1/15/1855 John Everts here again PM & made a bargain for my farm at 865  
 1/17/1855 Everts came over PM \_\_\_\_\_ not to take the farm as talked  
 1/20/1855 O ? Taft, Simean Coe & F.W. appointed trustees of singing school  
 1/24/1855 Sarah Burnham died just before 5:00  
 1/30/1855 Mrs. Hawks had a daughter born this morning  
 2/4/1855 Lewis Ives funeral to Hubbard's & Davis Coe (Charles Coe's son) to  
 Sayles corners  
 3/3/1855 Sarah & children & Albert & F.W. went to Hawks school house to literary  
 school

3/8/1855 F.W. went to McDougall's to hear witnesses on inquest suit of Catherine Church. Jury brought in verdict of death by nervous frustration

4/24/1855 Morris Coe buried

5/10/1855 Malinda Sikes came to work

7/8/1855 Mrs. A Hubbard's funeral

7/11/1855 F.W. weighs 116 ½, Sarah 112, Clarence 31, & Hatty 20 ½

8/27/1855 O Sikes had buggy for Allen to go to Jennings to funeral

9/4/1855 Born Sept 14, 1760 grandmother (Mary P Squires) died

4/9/1856 Charlette Wood began work

4/27/1856 Clearance & F.W. been to New Haven to meeting AM & sermon by presiding elder (Sawyer)

5/18/1856 Ball's wife died last Monday

7/22/1856 Father mowed 143 rods of ground before 11 ½ o'clock when 71 years

8/25/1856 James E Fuller killed by cars

8/13/1856 Mrs Nibb's buried

10/24/1856 Sarah had a daughter born at 10:15 pm wt. 8 3/16 lb, present Dr. Forsyth, Mrs Sikes, Mrs Richmond & Mrs Hawks

1/1/1857 F.W. been to Sayles corners this morning to get F.W. Skinner & brought him here to take acknowledgement of mortgage on account of Sarah not being well enough to go to Mexico

1/7/1857 Quarterly meeting to Gilbert's Mills

8/11/1857 F.W. moved into house

9/6/1857 Funeral of John Wise's child

9/13/1857 Clara can walk across room

2/8/1858 Funeral PM of J.D. Ingersoll's mother



3/2/1858 William Wright was taken with a fit of apoplexy pm & is senseless today

3/6/1858 Uncle Wright died at 6:00 am, aged almost 70

3/10/1858 Funeral of Henry Hawley's wife at 12:00

4/14/1858 Funeral of David Allen PM & Ward from Palermo preached

8/9/1858 Charlotte Rice died at 5:00

9/3/1858 Old Mrs. Otman's funeral

10/1/1858 Old Mr. Sayles funeral

10/3/1858 Funeral of McDougall's child

10/10/1858 Father Rice married last night to Mrs. Clarissa Tremaine. They were married at 8:15 to Old Mr. Hawks by Uncle Rheubin Holliday

10/22/1858 Sherman had F.W.'S mare to move to New Haven

10/23/1858 F.W. went up to corners pm to organize for building church

2/18/1859 F.W. wrote 2 letters yesterday & (one to Emily & one to Harriet) & sent out in the North Volney mail

3/1/1859 Republican ticket elected except on poor master & collector. John J Wolcott supervisor, Orville J Jennings clerk, Francis W Squires justice, David S Weed assessor and R George Bassett com of highways, Hawks constable

3/5/1859 F.W. been to sister Austin's & to post office to Druce's & got paper

3/6/1859 Funeral of Bell's child (5 years old)

4/1859 Thomas Potter's funeral to corners

5/9/1859 \_\_\_\_\_, Cook & Caswell Sherman & Watson Taplin been taken with a warrant for stealing hens & I been to Gaylord's to trial

5/10/1859 F.W. been to corners again to trial & they were all found guilty. Mr Cook \$10 Albert & Parker \$15 each Caswell & Watson \$5 each

5/18/1859 Sarah had a son born this morning at 1:30, weighed 9 lbs. Present Dr Baldwin, Old Mrs Sikes, Mrs J Coe & Mrs Sarah McDougall

5/21/1859 F.W. been up to corners to invite hands to raise old Mr. Sikes barn & been to raising PM

6/20/1859 Society meeting

8/6/1859 Charlatte Wood came here to work

8/7/1859 F.W. been to Sunday School & took charge of bible class

9/5/1859 Funeral at 1:00 of Clifford's child & Dr. Rundell preached

9/24/1859 Funeral of Clifford's child at 1:00

10/6/1859 "Clarence our darling son died today at 1 ½ o'clock & his spirit has gone to God who gave it. It was a severe blow to us but we feel reconciled; realizing that it is for the best therefore meekly bow to the will of heaven."

10/27/1859 F.W. had a bee PM Mr. Seyles, Mr. Giles, Hawks, Rhuben Sherman & Caswell, William Coe, Albert Cook, Dan McDougall & James H\_\_\_

11/5/1859 We met to burying ground today to lay it off into lots

12/27/1859 Post office meeting pm & mail route changed to Hulls

1/1/1860 Quarterly meeting to Gilbert's Mills

1/16/1860 Uncle Orrin died at 6:00 am

1/18/1860 Went to Hulls corners with mail for the first

3/6/1860 F.W. been to Fulton to town meeting. There were 1394 votes polled & 53 majority for Willard Johnson for supervisor; William Andrews rep town clerk, Wm C Stephins justice 127 mg dem S.A. Howey & F.? Taft poor masters, Geo D Foster assessor full \_\_\_ & R.H. Rockwood rep for vacancy; Smith Betts con; St. John & const & also Simeon Church & Ira Parker, Orrin Miller & A.R. Hill Jr. rep3. A Druce Jr, Castle Hineman & Serey Mor\_\_\_ Inspectors of of elections

3/8/1860 "Sarah P Squires the affectionate companion & mother departed this life today about 5 o'clock PM. We trust that she is happy in eternity. The blow is severe in the severing of earthly ties & we deeply feel to mourn her loss but not as those with out hope, for we have the consolations of religion"

3/14/1860 Sim has gone with mail

3/28/1860 Mr. Cook carried the mail today

4/1860 Profits of mail the last quarter \$3.14

4/7/1860 Johny Coe can walk now some

5/22/1860 Dea Burnham started for Iowa

5/29/1860 Hattie is 6 yrs. Old today. Took her & Mrs. Coe to get likeness taken. Bought her a shaker & other items.

6/30/1860 Jim Dubois & Fanny McDougall married pm

6/1860 Robert Larabee carried mail

6/1860 John Campbell & I been to Fulton & carried mail

8/5/1860 Funeral of Old Mrs Cole of Palermo to our church at 11:00

8/11/1860 Organized republican club

9/6/1860 Cornilius is very sick & not expected to live

9/8/1860 Funeral at 2:00 of Cornilius Druce & Mr Davis of Mexico preached from Ps 17.15 Sabbath school children sung

9/16/1860 A great many sick about

9/20/1860 Funeral of A Hall's child PM

9/22/1860 "The club met to night with capes & torches under the head of Amos Hubbard & then went to the school house & appointed him captain, G.D. Sayles lieutenant, William Rolsten ensign & Giles Hawks 1<sup>st</sup> sergeant"

9/29/1860 We have been over to Vermillion to a Republican meeting tonight with 29 \_\_\_\_\_ & met Mexico, New Haven & Vermillion wide A \_\_\_\_\_ there; about 200 in all

10/6/1860 Funeral of A. Druce's child PM

10/10/1860 James P Squires married

10/12/1860 A great republican meeting in Oswego

10/30/1860 Henry Rimme, Parker Cook, Watson Taplin & Dewight Parkhurst before F.W. Squires for assault & battery. All but W. Taplin plead guilty & fined \$8 each

11/3/1860 Society meeting at Sayles'

- 11/4/1860 Watson Taplin tried Friday night for assault & battery & discharged
- 11/14/1860 Went to Fulton & carried the mail
- 12/1860 J.W. Brooks, Wm & I went to Smyrna Village & Sherburne
- 1/4/1861 Father poorly & failing
- 1/11/1861 "Father vomited blood all day till 3:00 & died at 7:00. Expired without a struggle. He was too weak to vomit after 3:30 & did not speak after about 5:30. His last words were "keep still". "He has suffered a great deal, but now we trust that he enjoys a blessed sleep with the hope of a glorious resurrection. He seemed anxious to leave this world for 'to be with Christ' he thought 'would be far better'". He was 75 years, 7 months & 7 days. Born June 4, 1785; Feb 22, 1818 ??hife??. married Dec. 17, 1807 to E. Warriner. Mr. Reid preached. Excellent sermon. Church was full"
- 2/8/1861 Gone to Madison Co. Woodstock, Perryville, Petersboro, Morrisville then to Uncle Jerry's 4 hrs. later brother Nehemiah. Next day to J.W; Brooks then went to C. Wentworth (all friends & famiy) then Uncle Stephen & Aunt Mary, Wm & infant Hattie & I came to James L? Squires. Thomas Brooks but stayed to J.W. Brooks. Took Polly & Kate to Hamiton & visited Aunt Rhoda
- 2/21/1861 Kate & Edwin Warriner & Hattie & I visited to Brother's last night. Went to Hamilton to get pictures taken. Went with Kate to Sherburne
- 2/28/1861 Funeral of Mrs Otman at 1:00, Geo Sawyer preached
- 3/13/1861 Saw Capt. Taylor's Co. Start for Elmira. Alvin Spencer Pickney, Aunt Lois Martinsburgh; Aunt Lucinda ill
- 3/15/1861 Bought coffin for Cook's child. Funeral at 1:00, Geo. Foster preached
- 3/20/1861 Joseph Nibb's house burned down
- 4/11/1861 John Campbell moves to Pete's Corners
- 4/21/1861 Meet & organized a Sabbath school, electing Russel Druce Supt. F.W. Squires clerk & librarian
- 4/22/1861 R.S. Brown trustee of Dist #5
- 4/23/1861 They are enlisting at Fulton & Oswego to go south
- 4/28/1861 Joel Parkhurst, Sidney Otman, Rensselaer Drake, Herman Trask & Henry Kinne enlisted into Capt. Taylors company

5/13/1861 Capt. Taylors company started for Elmira at 2:00

6/22/1861 Elliott Nibb shot accidentally

7/10/1861 Elliot Nibb died at 3:20 from his wounds

7/11/1861 Funeral of Geo E. Nibb at 1:00, Mr Brown of Vermillion preached

8/18/1861 Funeral of Mr. Rury's child at 11:00

8/23/1861 F.W. Squires has Typhoid Fever

8/27/1861 – 9/25 no entries

9/26/1861 Dr. Lee of Phoenix treated F.W. " I begin to eat"

10/1/1861 Better

10/7/1861 Made out bail bonds in Vermillion for Levi Johnson & A Druce Jr.

10/8/1861 Making out Post Office returns

10/12/1861 sent returns to Washington. R. Druce helped to finish them

10/17/1861 Dr Johnson thought mother would not live the day out

10/18/1861 Got commission for Post Master of the office

11/1861 I wrote to Cleveland, Ohio & New York. Emily at Hamilton

11/1/1861 Mother is on the gain

11/17/1861 Geo S. Wood of Gramby & Samantha M. Cook married at 11:00 at North Volney by F.W. Squires

11/23/1861 Stevens paid judgment

12/1/1861 Mrs Flowers & Ann baptized at 2:00 also Loren J Dunham & wife & Cordelia Parkhurst. The last 2 by emersion the others by pouring

12/13/1861 Elbert Coe was taken to Oswego last night with a warrant

12/18/1861 We went to Elbert Coe's trial but he was discharged

12/19/1861 Last night I been to R Druce's grocery

- 12/25/1861 I made out mail & Sim carried it. Paid Henry Benen judgment
- 2/1/1862 I went to teacher association last night & today
- 2/28/1862 Gone to Fulton on Dr. Baldwin's 7 William Quigley's law suit
- 3/14/1862 Had up A. \_\_\_\_, H. Webster & B. Chatterson for assault & battery
- 3/27/1862 I been to funeral of Mrs. Sawyer & Mr Brown preached
- 3/29/1862 Funeral of Old Mrs. Miller
- 4/5/1862 Ryeon T. Ingersoll & Hannah A Johnson married tonight at my house at 10:45 . Carles Coe & wife, John Coe & wife, V.R. Griswold & wife & children & Bruce Ingersoll & sister, Bruce & Ellen Griswold stood up
- 4/17/1862 I wrote to Canada for Mrs. James Taylor. He eloped yesterday with another woman. Jacob McDougall was kicked by a horse last night at 7 ½ o'clock & died tonight at 6 ½ o'clock
- 4/18/1862 McDougall was buried at 5 o'clock tonight
- 4/20/1862 Geo Foster preached Jacob McDougall funeral sermon at 1 o'clock from 1<sup>st</sup> Sam. 20.3
- 5/6/1862 Alphenzo Underwood got home from the war
- 6/1/1862 Funeral of G.G. Simpson today at 1 o'clock
- 6/11/1862 I been to PO & took Mrs. Larabee's complaint am
- 6/12/1862 Elizah Larabee brought before me on a charge of whipping his wife & sent to jail for twenty days
- 6/13/1862 Been to Sayles corners to Geo Lords wife's funeral & Willis Johnson preached
- 6/19/1862 A. Ives served summons & took \_\_\_\_ of Joel P.
- 6/23/1862 Funeral of Benj. Spencer of Vermillon who hung himself yesterday morning. Rev. B Holmes preached
- 7/19/1862 I attended the trial of James Donovan
- 7/26/1862 Cyrus Coe very sick

- 8/2/1862      Quarterly meeting to mam's barn
- 8/17/1862     Visited C.S. Squires Fulton. Married Watson Taplin & Olive A Quigly at 2 o'clock
- 8/20/1862     Attended law suit between D McIntosh & Davis Germmen
- 8/21/1862     I administered the oaths to Loren J. Dunham & Loyd M. Parmeter who enlisted in to United States service for 3 years.
- 8/25/1862     David E. Colton was sworn into the US service today before me
- 8/27/1862     I administered oath to D.R. Drake for US service tonight
- 8/1862         John broke arm (is John a son of Sarah?)
- 8/31/1862     I married Rensselaar D Drake & Sarah Sweet tonight
- 9/3/1862      Samuel Griswold at hulls died today at 4 o'clock. Charles VanWormer sworn into US service by me
- 9/5/1862      Been to funeral of Robt. Hanna's child at 11 ½ o'clock, Geo Foster preached
- 9/9/1862      I made out search warrant for C.R. Clark
- 9/15/1862     I geen to Oswego to see the soldiers mustered in to service – Loran J. Dunham, Loyd Parmeter, Thomas B. Ingersoll, Charles VanWormer, Rensyelaer D. Drake, Agustus Cap were accepted.
- 9/16/1862     The boys started for Albany last night & Rolson & VanWormer were left behind. Loyd & loren came home from Fulton & today we all went to Fulton to see them start off at 2 o'clock
- 9/20/8162     Funeral of Old Mrs. Potter, aged 87 years
- 9/25/1862     Maria & I been to Fulton to Sidney Milton Otmans funeral & Pullman preached from 1<sup>st</sup> Peter 2.17 & Rev. 21.4. Sidney was born Dec 17, 1842 & died Sept. 16, 1862. He was shot on the evening of the 27<sup>th</sup> of August
- 9/29/1862     Francis M Tompkins brought before me on a charge of stealing a gold ring. Plead guilty & sentenced to thirty days imprisonment
- 10/6/1862     Law suit of Wm Rolson & Alanson Underwood
- 10/13/1862    I been to funeral of May Druce pm. Peck preached funeral at Druce's

10/23/1862 Carried Adalaide Taplin to see her husband, Watson who is in jail for  
desertion

10/31/1862 Frank Brown came after me yesterday at 11 o'clock & I went to New  
Haven to see Adon who is very sick. Adon died this morning at 3:00, aged 4 yrs, 1  
month, & 7 days.

11/1/1862 Mary Ann Coe, Maria Coe & I been to New Haven to Funeral of Aden.  
Mr Rice preached Isa.

11/4/1862 I administered the oath to R.G. Bassett as Post Master at Volney

11/19/1862 Lavina is sick with fever

12/3/1862 Wrote to Jefferson Co., Glendale to N.P. Squires

12/11/1862 I came to Willard's last night, Lavina is very sick

12/30/1862 Trial of John P Coe & Dwight Parkhurst

1/1/1863 Making out PO returns

1/7/1863 John been to Fulton after coffin for Sarah McDougall's child

1/8/1863 Been to funeral of Mrs. McDougall's child & Geo Foster preached

2/4/1863 Made out deed for A. Druce today

2/17/1863 F.W. Squires, justice of peace married Roswell H. Davis of Ellisburgh to  
Harriet E. McDougall of Volney

2/18/1863 I married Mr. R\_\_\_ H Davis of Ellisburg to Miss Harriet E. McDougall of  
Volney last night to James Dubois

3/13/1863 Ira Campbell's child died

3/15/1863 Funeral of Ira Campbell's child

3/23/1863 James Dubois moved today

3/25/1863 I attended law suit of Parmeter & Druce am.

3/26/1863 I Married Dr. G.W. Brown of Alabama & Mary Russaw of St. Lawrence  
Co. - Fee \$1.50



3/27/1863 I been making out deed from V.R. Griswold to Eli Dubois & John P Coe.  
John's wife is very sick

3/28/1863 I have been over near Ives pm & married John Strough of Oswego to  
Mary Root of Volney

4/7/1863 I made out deed from Eli Dubois to C. Coe

4/17/1863 I took acknowledgement of deed for John H Wise last night

4/20/1863 Mr. Griswold died yesterday at 1 ½ o'clock aged 53

4/22/1863 Funeral today at 1 o'clock for Mr. Griswold & Peck preached from Ps.  
94.14

5/1/1863 Made out mortgage for Daniel Gilman

5/6/1863 Made out deed for Andrew Druce

5/8/1863. Amos Hawks died last night at 5 o'clock

5/12/1863 I made out writings for the North Volney cemetery association

5/19/1863 I made out deed for Charles Coe. Release of mortgage for Levi Johnson

5/26/1863 Sikes raised shop

6/5/1863 I been to Andrew Druce's & Russel Druce's am to take acknowledgement  
of deeds

6/13/1863 I been to corners am & help layoff Burying Ground

6/18/1863 Made out contract for Henry Kinne & Wyman Cook

6/24/1863 Took charge of Post Office

8/10/1863 I been to funeral of Ann Carley's child at 2 o'clock & Turney preached

8/19/1863 Been to funeral of A Carley's child & Peck preached

8/31/1863 Attended law suit of Druce & Landphere

9/1/1863 The law suit continued from dusk last night until 5 o'clock this morning.  
Esmad & Howe lawyers & had a jury, Sutter Wood foreman

9/14/1863 James Larrabee married

- 9/18/1863 John works for Sikes – O.P. Sikes been with barrels & soda at \$.33 each  
58 of them I made.
- 9/24/1863 Wiman Cook Married to Miss Keller
- 10/31/1863 Edson Sikes carries mail today
- 11/2/1863 Maria sick & was bled today
- 11/4/1863 Webster Hawk carries mail today
- 12/1/1863 Went to Fulton with Charles Coe & bought blanks. Bought cloth for pants  
\$3.00
- 12/3/1863 Funeral of old Mr. Sherman yesterday
- 12/18/1863 I paid \$8.50 on Rate bill to miss Forbes. Sarah McDougall & Cordelia  
Parkhurst here today
- 12/21/1863 Been copying off post office matters
- 12/22/1863 I made out deeds for Samantha Wood & Eli Dubois
- 12/27/1863 Quarterly meeting to Gilberts Mills
- 12/31/1863 Geo. E. Coe & Emily C. Parkhurst married here tonight at 7 ½ o'clock. I  
"tied the knot". Mr. Ingersol, Miss Borst of Vermillion here also Mary C. Smith, William  
Coe & Cyrus & Sylvia Salsbury, Mr. Hawks & John's family to wedding
- 1/7/1864 Ameilia stays at home today & is 12 years old
- 1/8/1864 Webster carries the mail. I been to corners to McDougall's
- 1/19/1864 Willard came after me yesterday & he & I started for Martinsburgh at 8 ½  
o'clock came to Pulaski at 11 ½ o'clock & Sandy Creek 10 o'clock took dinner & started  
again at 2 ½ o'clock came to Brown at 7 ½ o'clock Old Mr. Bell died last night.
- 1/20/1864 Started from Brown's at 8 ½ o'clock came to Tylersville at 10 ¾ o'clock  
& Copenhagen at 1 o'clock Took dinner & then took the West Road to Lowville & then  
to Martinsburgh where we arrived at 7 ½ o'clock. Found the friends all well.
- 2/1/1864 James DuBois died at 12:45
- 2/2/1864 Funeral of Dubois

2/5/1863 Quarterly meeting here at North Volney

2/7/1864 Frank took me to catch stage for Rome. Alphonse Underwood died last night at 10 o'clock

2/8/1864 I was clerk at special election today. This dist. Gave 144 votes & every one for the "Amendment to the Constitution".

(spent most of Feb - April doing normal home routines or traveling all over state, why?)

4/1/1864 Sarah gone to Fulton with Stacy Stevens.

4/3/1864 I have been to Fulton today with John after the body of Mr. J. Townsend & buried up in the North Volney burying ground

4/6/1864 Mr. Kinne moved into VanWormer \_\_\_\_\_

4/10/1864 Smith & Write married, Tom & Hannah stayed the night here

4/19/1864 Baby weighs 12  $\frac{3}{4}$  lbs

5/7/1864 Sunday school organized & R Druce Supt. & A.M. Taplin asst.

7/26/1864 Arvilla Tripp came home with Jerry today. He died last Sunday at 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  o'clock

8/21/1864 We have all been down to enlist today. \_\_\_\_\_ & Capt. Palmer here am

8/22/1864 We stay to Fulton last night & been to Oswego today

8/25/1864 Made out deed for John P Coe

8/29-31/1864 Soldier! Came from North Volney to Oswego & arrived there at 11  $\frac{1}{2}$  o'clock. Took dinner to Wybeans & reported to Fort Ontario at 4 o'clock. Staid in the Fort last night & took the car to Elmira at 2 o'clock last night staid until after 2 & then came to Elmira at 5  $\frac{1}{2}$  o'clock. Marched to Barracks no. 1 about 1 mile. I was very sick at Binhamton; better today

9/1/1864 Have been filling out Muster in Bull & drilling some

9/15/1864 It is 66 miles from Baltimore where we arrived at 8:15 this morning. Some of us had oysters & tea for breakfast. We first came where guards were stationed 29 miles from Baltimore (Parkton Station)

9/16/1864 Stayed at the "Soldiers Rest" last night & marched to Fort Corceran, on Arlington Heights, 4  $\frac{1}{2}$  miles & arrived here at 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  o'clock pm. I am tired.

- 9/18/1864 I made out first Company Morning Report to Major Ferguson.
- 9/19/1864 Wrote to New Haven & North Volney. This fort is ½ mile from the Potomac opposite Georgetown.
- 9/20/1864 I have been over to Washington & visited the Capital, Post Office, Patent Office, & Washington Monument, well paid for the visit
- 9/21/1864 Been drilling some while at the Capital yesterday I sent a great many public documents home.
- 9/22/1864 We marched to Washington in the morning & took the cars pm for Harper's ferry. Saw E.M. Pardee in Washington
- 9/30/1864 Marched to Fishers Hills, 22 miles. I rode part way & am thankful. Roads are first rate
- 10/2/1864 Sheridan is fighting the Rebels & we hear the guns in the distance. I was sick pm. We had Sunday inspection. Some of us had mutton
- 10/3/1864 Started back today at 11 ½ o'clock & marched 18 miles to just past New Market. Quite a Village Edenburg to Woodstock, 23 miles. Rains pm. I rode part of way. The boys were tired out & did not get supper
- 10/5/1864 Came to Newton, 23 miles & stopped early. I rode pm & fell from a wagon at night & nearly killed myself
- 10/6/1864 Continue cold. Can scarcely keep comfortable. I slept in a shed on a floor but too cold to sleep. Soldiers suffer with the cold.
- 10/10-13/1864 Comfortable quarters & rations here at Sandy Hook
- 10/23/1864 A large body of Rebel prisoners are here, taken on 19<sup>th</sup>
- 10/24/1864 Had a letter from Lavina E. Squires, I wrote to E.M. Stanton, Sec. War
- 10/25/1864 I been to Sandy Hook Hosp. again. I got a can of condensed milk, envelopes & paper. We generally have soft bread, pork or beef soup, coffee & sometimes tea
- 10/27/1864 Stood on guard for 1<sup>st</sup> time today or for 24 hours. Received a letter from Sister Harriet at the camp.
- 11/2/1864 Drew a dress coat \$8.75. sent in voting blanks.

11/5/1864 Ice this am. Election day! Been waiting for Lieut.

11/9/1864 Co. B drew clothing & I been busy

11/24/1864 Thanksgiving. Rec'd \$25 by Gardner

11/26/1864 900 men left Distribution today

12/15/1864 Hiram Sherman died at 11 ½ o'clock this am. I got a box from Caroline & wrote to Mary Sherman. He died very suddenly.

12/16/1864 I have been running around the Village to see about sending Sherman home.

12/17/1864 Hiram was buried at 3:00 pm on Bolivas Heights, Christian Commissier officiated

12/18/1864 Mr. William Brown left for the regiment

12/20/1864 Rations are not the best

12/25/1864 – 2/25/1865 (much details of war going on & what he was doing. Seemed to be lame & ill & suffering headaches was in & out of Hospital)

3/4/1865 I have been to the Inauguration of President Lincoln

3/23/1864 I have been in city to see John Stevens at the Adjutant Generals

4/3/1865 Richmond taken today

4/6/1865 Went to Naval yard & saw Monitor. She had 147 indentations from Rebel balls

4/7/1865 Over 100 wounded soldiers came into hospital tonight

4/9/1865 Gen Robert E. Lee surrendered his whole army to Lt. Gen. U.S. Grant today! Glorious news!!!

4/12/1865 I been to the White House pm & saw the president Lincoln & wife

4/15/1865 President Lincoln was shot last night at 10 ½ o'clock & died this morning at 22 minutes past 7 o'clock

4/16/1865 Sent papers to New Haven concerning the death of the president. The city of Washington is all draped in morning & every face looks solemn

4/17/1865 I have been in the city & up to the White House

4/19/1865 I have been to the funeral of President Lincoln. It was a grand affair

5/27/1865 I have been to the White House & saw President Johnson & Em Stanton. I called on John Stevens

5/29/1865 My discharge papers were sent to the adjutant General this pm & I feel pretty good over it. I wrote to Lavineia

6/6/1865 Our discharges came in last night & I received mine today

6/8/1865 I started for New York at 6 o'clock last night and arrived there at 4 o'clock this morning

6/30/1865 Been to Post Office to make out returns

7/10/1865 O.P. Sikes child buried

8/21/1865 Sold the farm to Billy for \$1000

8/23/1865 I made out deed for Jones & mortgage for John P Coe of \$1974.33

10/3/1865 John sold the Jones place to \_\_ Griffin of Jefferson Co. for \$2500. received \$150.00 down. They made a contract

10/5/1865 Amos Hawks buried

11/4/1865 Sylvia Holbrook died last night at 10 o'clock

11/5/1865 Funeral of Benton Holbrooks wife

11/14/1865 John made a contract with Hall for his farm

12/3/1865 John dug a grave for Reuben Druce who was buried today

1/1/1866 R.W.R.O. RR train runs for first

3/3/1866 Trial of A Druce Jr but discharged

3/4/1866 William McDougall married to Adel Underwood last night

3/5/1866 I made out deed for John C Coe by William H Hall

3/9/1866 Juliette Cook married by Taft

3/21/1866 Marian McDougall married by Taft last night

3/27/1866 Mary Andrews had a daughter last night they say

3/28/1866 Made out contract for Elbert Coe. Hank Sheldon moved today & John began moving

3/30/1866 John W Rice died

5/15/1866 I been to funeral of A Halls child & H Nichols preached

9/7/1866 Cook raised a barn pm

10/6/1866 Wm Quigly & Joel Parkhurst were taken by the police today & A Thomas the 3<sup>rd</sup>

10/8/1866 Watson Taplin arrested last Saturday night at Orwell, Oswego Co.

10/9/1866 Wm Quigly came home tonight

10/10/1866 School meeting last night at new school house

10/13/1866 Abram Thomas sentenced to Auburn for 2 years & Joel Parkhurst & Watson Taplin under bond until April next of \$1,000 each. Watson came home last night & Joel tonight

10/22/1866 Wm Quigly & Lucy Taplin married last night

11/24/1866 Quarterly meeting at North Volney today

11/27/1866 Funeral of Wm Halls child

11/28/1866 I have been to New Haven today with Stacy Stevens to law suit & got boat mended

12/12/1866 A Druce finished school house today

12/14/1866 Funeral of Mr. R Lord

1/6/1867 Wm Campbell & Ann Carley married in church

1/20/1867 H Brown & Euphemia Campbell married yesterday

2/14/1867 Mary Smith married

2/23/1867 Watson Taplin arrested last night & taken to Fulton

3/20/1867 To corners to Stacy Stevens law suit

4/15/1867 Began framing John's barn

5/3/1867 John Raised his barn am

6/2/1867 Funeral of Wyman Cook & Foster preached

6/9/1867 Went to funeral of Julius Fuller & Nichols preached

6/29/1867 I tended a law suit for Jack Williams to Taft's

7/7/1867 Campbell & wife left the church by request today

7/30/1867 Emeline Sherman died

7/31/1867 Funeral of Emeline at 2 pm & Foster preached

8/16/1867 We have all been to Mexico to my law suit with Hosman today S.C. Coe, Ingersoll & Laivina on my side beside myself & Hosman, A Hall, Ira Campbell, Taplin, W \_\_\_\_\_ & J Nibbs on other side

8/27/1867 H Allen child buried yesterday & sermon by Foster from 2<sup>nd</sup> Saul 12.23

8/31/1867 Sabbath school picnic to North school house

9/3/1867 Byron Griswold was drowned yesterday about 4 o'clock pm. Funeral today at one o'clock & Foster preached from 2<sup>nd</sup> Kings 4.26

9/5/1867 Johny to Mexico to court today & he & his father yesterday

9/10/1867 I have been to Fulton with C Coe to a law suit of Berry & paid \$8.50 to settle

12/18/1867 I made out mortgage for Wm McDougall of \$200 to myself

1/8/1868 I been to Nibbs & filled out will pm

1/28/1868 Albert Whitterk(?) Ophelia Harrington were married here last night by F.W. Squires Esq. John Jay & wife, John Coe & wife & Sim Coe & wife as witnesses

1/29/1868 Joseph Nibbs died.

1/31/1868 Joseph Nibbs buried last night just at dark



- 2/5/1868 I have been to Mexico with Mr. Taplin to see surrogate but he was not there. Paid Whitney \$25.00 on my children's estate
- 2/6/1868 Walter Nibbs carried me to Oswego to see surrogate & made a petition for settlement of estate
- 4/2/1868 William Hawk started for the west
- 4/10/1868 C Coe's law suit at 1 o'clock
- 4/18/1868 Old Mr. Campbell died last night at 10 o'clock (James)
- 4/19/1868 Funeral of Old Mr. James Campbell at 11 o'clock & Foster preached
- 4/28/1868 I tended law suit of C Coe & R.P. Hall & H.C. \_\_\_\_\_ of Fulton was up Wm Congdin Esq for Hall
- 5/14/1868 Law suit of Bartlett today
- 5/23/1868 Larrabee's law suit pm & John & Bowen counsel
- 5/29/1868 John raised barn to Griswold am & I went
- 6/10/1868 Trial of Herman Spencer pm. Had a jury
- 9/6/1868 I made out deed for A Curtis today to J C \_\_\_\_\_
- 10/17/1868 9 of us Wt. As follows; Ja's P Squires 152 lb; wife 127 lb; S.M. Barker 139; S.E. Squires 105; E.A. Stiles 135; E.A. Squires 102; Harriet Stiles 106; C Squires 90 ½; & myself 139 lb
- 11/12/1868 Lavinia married today at 2 ½ o'clock by Thomas Bayne
- 11/13/1868 Barker & Lavinia started for Niagara Falls yesterday at 3 ½ o'clock
- 11/19/1868 Walter Nibbs married
- 11/30/1868 Had a big law suit of John Keller & John J \_\_\_\_\_ & had jury. Barker of Mexico & W Stevens of Fulton law suit lasted from 11 am to 7 pm
- 12/1/1868 James Hall married tonight
- 12/7/1868 John Potter died last night at 1. I went to New Haven this afternoon after the coffin
- 12/8/1868 Funeral at 12 o'clock & Foster preached

1/12/1869 Went to Rolson's & buried his child. There was no funeral

1/17/1869 Sarah & I been to meeting & Foster preached Rolson's child's sermon

3/10/1869 John W Holly died last night

3/11/1869 Funeral of Mr. Holly at North school house & Foster preached

3/15/1869 I made out chattel mortgage for Walter Nibbs

3/16/1869 I made out contract for Taplin Holly & deed for Albert Porter & summons  
of O.J. \_\_\_\_\_

4/3/1869 I have been making out P.O. returns

4/5/1869 I made out deed for Ira Campbell & mortgage & bond for Joel Abbott

4/10/1869 I copied David Allen will for A.D. Allen

4/19/1869 I made out deed for Mrs. Beverly & Abel Corley

4/20/1869 A tornado at 5 o'clock of about one mile wide. Acers were blown down &  
Mr. Larabee was hurt

4/21/1869 Mr. Cook moved in & Walter Nibbs out

5/18/1869 Made out warrant for G.W. Cook, wife & Amanda

5/19/1869 Cooks matter settled

6/1/1869 I wrote a will for Samuel Parker

6/7/1869 I went to Mexico to prove will of Holly'

6/26/1869 Been to funeral of Albert Allen's child pm today

7/19/1869 Old Mrs. Williams of New Haven buried today

8/2/1869 I have been to the funeral of Henry Knight's wife & sermon by Holmes of  
New Haven

8/5/1869 Mr. Carley died this afternoon at 5 o'clock

8/6/1869 Funeral of S Carley 2 o'clock

8/7/1869 Elcips of the sun between 5 & 7 o'clock this pm

- 8/17/1869 I made out deed for L\_\_\_\_ Porter last night & for William Quigley
- 8/19/1869 I made out deed for Eli Cook & mortgage for Elizabeth Hubbard am.  
Johny is worse tonight, Inflammation of the Bowels. Johny lies stupid today
- 8/20/1869 Sent after Baldwin at 6 o'clock tonight & he came just before 8 o'clock &  
Johny died at 9 ½ tonight & the house full of the neighbors
- 8/21/1869 I been to New Haven after coffin
- 8/22/1869 Funeral at 10 o'clock today & Foster preached from Ps. 62.84. House  
crowded & Ira Campbell took charge of funeral
- 8/26/1869 I have been to grocery & to Bartletts after cheese am
- 8/28/1869 I took acknowledgement of mortgage for George Tooley & assignment of  
E.B Bartlett
- 9/2/1869 I have been to New Haven & then to camp meeting a little while after  
dinner
- 9/6/1869 Mrs. Andrew Druce is very sick
- 9/18/1869 John drawed stone to buring ground & Griffin helped some
- 9/24/1869 Been to county convention Ira P Brown nominated for Sheriff & N.W.  
Nutting for Dist. Atty. & Metcalf for Com\_\_
- 11/6/1869 I made out deed for Henry Barnes & took acknowledgement
- 11/26/1869 Had oysters to brother's tonight & celebrated Mother's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday
- 11/29/1869 I made out deed for Albert Cook & mortgage for Daniel McDougall
- 12/18/1869 Made out mortgage for C Coe
- 12/19/1869 Old Mrs. Druce died
- 12/21/1869 Funeral of Old Mrs. Druce
- 12/22/1869 Society meeting last night
- 12/29/1869 Maria & Eva been to Miller's to see the child that was burnt.

12/31/1869 I have been down south as far as Davis am & made out contract for them & a deed for Mrs. G.E. Coe pm

1/12/1870 I married Henry M Clark to Jane Welch age 22 last night

1/20/1870 Trial of Woolover for the murder of Reynolds now going on

1/22/1870 Made out deed for church ground

1/24/1870 Made out deed for O.P. Sikes & mortgage for Wm McDougall

1/29/1870 Made out deed & mortgage for Valentine Duboise, deed for Loren R Clark & mortgage for James M Hubbard.

2/1/1870 Smith Wright came here. His mother died yesterday at 4 o'clock

2/2/1870 Mrs Wright buried today & sermon by Roe. I went to Henry Barnes & took acknowledgement of deed

2/5/1870 I been to New Haven & attended a temperance lecture

2/7/1870 I made out warrants for William Quigly last night & contracts for Holmes & VanWormer today

2/15/1870 Clear & pleasant. Eddie Stiles & F.W. Squires went to Fulton & to Oswego, met Willard. Emily was married at 1 o'clock today by Mr. Bayne. 25 were to dinner. Eddie & Bill Merriam stood up. Had oysters & lots of cake. George & Em went to Oswego on 3:30 train

2/16/1870 F.W. & Eddie met Em & Geo. & went on Midland Train as far as Cleveland (F.W. did deeds, etc) they went on to Smyra & Norwick

2/19/1870 I have been to Fulton with Lewis Porter & made out deed to him from Lewis Wright

2/24/1870 I made out deed for Mrs. Lerrabee & Ann Campbell & mortgage for Mrs. Bee\_ley & Ashsah Ann Holly

3/4/1870 I married last night James H. Hudson of Fulton aged 21 to Phebe Ann Master of North Volney aged 18 years. They were married at F.L. Ingersoll's & had supper. Austin O. Davis & Emesett A Ingersol stood up & were witnesses

3/9/1870 I made out deed for Ja's A Ward am & two deeds for Lerey W Meore & one for Larrabee

- 3/16/1870 I married Austin O Davis & Emerett A Ingersoll last night & had a nice supper at Ingersolls
- 3/22/1870 Franky is very sick, down to C. Coe's
- 3/25/1870 I have been to funeral of Old Nr. Druce pm & Foster preached from 2<sup>nd</sup> Peter 3.11. He was almost 93 years old
- 3/26/1870 I made out deed tonight for Lorain R Clark to Lurretia Hendirik & assignment from Clark to James A Ward
- 4/7/1870 I made out deed for Lucius B Poter last night & today. Ben to Frederick Vant's to take acknowledgement of deed for Richard Vant's wife Harriet formerly Mrs. M \_\_\_\_\_ Sister of Taft
- 4/16/1870 E.A. Robinson buildings were burned this morning
- 4/17/1870 Organized Sabbath school, hard time – elected A.M. Taplin, Supt. Of school
- 4/28/1870 I made out deed for R.H. Davis & wife to James McDougall
- 4/29/1870 I made out mortgage for James McDougall to R.H. Davis
- 6/7/1870 Deed from Aunt Jane Holly & Mortgage from F.N. Taplin
- 6/16/1870 We have been to work at the church. Took it off the corners & up just this side of Dan Newton's. Sh \_\_, Wm M Bartlett, Marcus & Erastus \_\_\_\_\_, Loren, G.E. Coe, R Druce & boys, Partrick & Marian, Wm & Caswell Sherman, Amo Taplin & Newton Taplin, Willie Potter, G.W. Cook, F.W. Squires, L.H Drake, H. Bowen & son, D. Newton & F.R. Church were there also A.S. Coon & Miller
- 6/17/1870 Been to work at the church again. Wm. M Bartlett & G.E. Coe not there today. Rest were there that were there yesterday & today were added H.H. Allen, Harry Canada & A.M. Holly
- 6/18/1870 I have been to work at the church all day raising the house am & fixing steps pm
- 6/20/1870 I game a warrant for assault & Battery in favor of John Keller
- 6/23/1870 We had a bee to move the stone where the church stood. R Durce & Willie, Partrick & Marin, Wm Cook, A.M. Taplin, D. Newton, Rogers boy & myself to the bee
- 7/1/70 I drawed fence posts & boards to build fence where church stood

- 7/7/1870 I made a map of the cemetery
- 7/8/1870 Andrew Druce had a horse killed by the cars
- 7/29/1870 N.F. Goodsell's funeral. Bayne preached
- 8/29/1870 Camp meeting begins between New Haven & Mexcio
- 9/29/1870 We have been to work putting wall under the church. R. Druce, Mr. Partrick & son, Maruis Bartlett, S. Snow, Jab. Sherman, R.H. Davis, Mr. Bowen, F.N. Taplin, S.H. Drake & I were there
- 9/30/1870 We worked at church am & finished putting under abutments and wall at west end. We had Mr. Cummins jack stand yesterday pm & am today. R. Druce, S. Partrick, G.E. Coe, F.N. Taplin, S.H. Drake, I.P. Coe, Wm Ralsen & I were there to bee today
- 10/18/1870 A terrible strong wind last night & today & the Irish Catholic church was blown down (Osweg0?)
- 10/23/2870 John & Maria & Eva been to Vermillion to funeral of Mrs. Daniel Newton, sermon by Holmes of New Haven
- 11/3/1870 We have been at the church drawing stone & laying wall
- 11/4/1870 We have been putting up steps in front of the church
- 11/7/1870 I had a law suit of Wilber & Coon this afternoon
- 11/16/1870 I have been to grocery & to school house to see the new blackboard
- 11/23/1870 Maria & I made window curtains to church
- 11/24/1870 I put up part of the curtains at the church
- 11/25/1870 I put up rest of curtains to church
- 12/10/1870 I got transcript of judgment of Charles Coe & Andrew Druce Jr
- 12/17/1870 I paid my tax \$10.50
- 1/7/1871 Meeting to the church to see about raising the money to pay Druce. The debt was \$37.97 & he has agreed to take \$30.00

2/2/1871 Michael Murray, a prisoner brought to court in Volney but discharged from Oswego

2/4/1871 I had Wm D. Rogers up on a warrant

2/7/1871 Funeral of Aunt Jame Holly at 1 o'clock

2/24/1871 Willard's pulse last night were 135 & 140 & we have about given up all hopes of his getting any better

3/3/1871 I made out deed for H. Kinne, Charles B. Coon & Larry & Maria & Guile & mortgage for C.B. Coon

3/5/1871 Quarterly meeting to Hubbard's new church & Maria over there

4/4/1871 I made out a deed for Mrs. A.M. Holly & May Chesny

4/6/1871 John been plowing in Griffins near burying ground

4/12/1871 Suit of A. Druce & Lorenzo Bassett been adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> of May

4/17/1871 Marcia been down north pm getting subscription for carpet for church

5/1/1871 Bowen & I bought carpet for church 11 yds

5/10/1871 I had the law suit of Druce & Bassett. Pardee & Brewer of Hannibal lawyers. They had a jury & verdict \$200 in favor of A. Druce

5/12/1871 We had a bee to work at the church & papering & finished. Mr. Druce, Mrs. Bowen, Mrs. Potter, Marcia & I. Walter Thomas white washed church & I paid him 10/

5/13/1871 Women been cleaning the church

5/15/1871 I made out a deed for Ellen Harrington am & had a suit of Marshall Ball. I made out paper for the Trusties of North Volney Cemetery Association

5/18/1871 Church raising pulpit. Marcia at church most of day putting down carpet

5/19/1871 Stilman Clark here for a warrant for assault & battery this morning

5/20/1871 Mr. Bowen is sick & Sim been after Chloe & her mother

6/6/1871 I been making out the return to appeal on the Druce & Bassett suit

6/13/1871 I have been to Fulton with S.H. Drake to his father's law suit, but adjourned

6/15/1871 I been making out papers for arbitration for R. Druce & Andrew Druce

6/16/1871 I received the deed from Ohio

6/19/1871 I made out 2 subpoenas for the Druce's & delivered them

6/22/1871 I rode to Cummings with Jesse Halladay

6/24/1871 Arbitration of the Druces at the school house

6/26/1871 The arbitrators at Sherman's today to hear the Druces matter

6/28/1871 Valentine Dubois came after me at 10 o'clock last night & I went to his house & married William Dutcher of Constantia to Betsy Ward of Volney at 11 o'clock last night. Eli Dubois & Ruth Ann Dubois also Lewis Porter & Cornelia his wife mentioned as witnesses

7/6/1871 I met with Town Board to see about building an iron bridge

7/7/1871 Rolson got a coffin for Waters child

7/9/1871 Waters child died about 5 o'clock this pm

7/16/1871 Funeral of Harriet Kinne & house was crowded. Witham preached. Hale & Ira Campbell took charge

7/17/1871 R. Druce, John & I fixed the church abutments this morning

7/23/1871 All been to Sunday School & had Druce's organ & Mrs. McDonald played

8/10/1871 I have been to grocery am & to Rogers after dinner & Walter died at 2 ½ o'clock with the Erysipelas

8/11/1871 I have been to New Haven after coffin & took dinner at Willard's. The funeral was at 3 o'clock & Witham preached

8/28/1871 Clinton Chaffee brought an organ to church

9/2/1871 Mentions Washington Rowlee

9/21/1871 John & wife & I been over to Springer's to a wedding. I married William J. Potter & Hannah G. Springer at 3 o'clock today



- 9/22/1871 Second day wedding at Potters
- 9/28/1871 We had a picnic at the church & about 70 were there to dinner & we had a splendid time. Boards were laid on the slips for tables. Clinton Chaffee was here & played & took away organ
- 10/14/1871 Law suit Egbut Root agt. Alfred Stiles
- 10/24/1871 I made out deed for William McDougall
- 10/29/1871 Taplin preached at church or pretended to at 2 o'clock
- 11/20/1871 School began today, Mr. Brown teacher of Mexico
- 1/1/1872 Cyrus Coe & Lucy Bowen married
- 3/30/1872 I have been to R. Druce's he is a trifle better
- 4/3/1872 McDougall & Nibbs law suit pm & lasted from 2 o'clock to 7 ½ pm. Old Mrs Johnson buried today, aged 89. this is the first funeral since Aug. 11, 1871 of Walter Rogers
- 5/6/1872 School begins today by Miss S. Ball daughter of M.C. Ball
- 5/17/1872 Sim moved his wife to New Haven to her father's
- 5/19/1872 Funeral of Alvin Lords wife & Bentin preached
- 5/26/1872 Alvin Spencer was married yesterday to Chloe Bowen
- 6/5/1872 I had suit of R. Lord & \_ Beadly & took ack. Of deed for Taft & Sikes
- 6/14/1872 O.A. Taft & I have been to Mexico & back by New Haven to get coffin for Old Mrs. Hawks
- 6/29/1872 Been up Town with W. squire Rowlee
- 7/10/1872 I married Charles McDougall & Sarah Griswold last night at 11:45 o'clock. Ellen came with them. She was 19 last Feb & he 19 last march
- 8/3/1872 Organized a Grant & Wilson Club (all officers named)
- 8/23/1872 Had deed for church recorded
- 10/4/1872 Stephen Sikes died yesterday age 97 years, 3 months, 20 days

10/5/1872 Been to Sikes funeral 1 pm. The house was full & Mr. Cress preached  
 10/14/1872 J.E. Robinson died at 57 years  
 11/26/1872 I went to see mother who is 83 today  
 11/30/1872 Horace Greeley died Nov. 29, 1872. Born Feb 3, 1811  
 12/4/1872 I took affidavit of John Stevens this morning  
 12/21/1872 Joseph Wright died 21<sup>st</sup>  
 12/29/1872 I married Bryon G. Clark & Sarah Jane Eldred at 4 ½ pm today  
 1/1/1873 Went to Griffins & married Henry M. Griffin to Rosetta C Lawton at 6 ¼  
 1/3/1873 I had law suit of Wood & Osborn  
 1/8/1873 I made out chattle mortgage for A. Hall tonight  
 1/10/1873 I made out chattle mortgage for Geo. Wood  
 1/23/1873 Henry Herver & Kate Squires married last night. She is not quite 14.  
 Charlotte & brothers at Hamilton, Frank Brooks symrna  
 1/24/1873 Emily been t Minerva Hartsen's funeral pm, wife of Horace P Hartson  
 1/30/1873 Lydia Ann had a party for birthday  
 2/17/1873 I made out deed for Ira Marks & Henry Kinne  
 3/2/1873 I had a letter from J.L. Lake last night saying our contract was to be for  
 twice a week mail  
 3/3/1873 Married Henry H. Knights to May Gel\_\_\_ to night at Wm. Clarks  
 4/6/1873 M.J. Wilber baptized & Bell & Mrs. G. E. Coe  
 4/22/1873 I have been over to Vermillian with Taplin & wife to Chesbro's law suit  
 pm  
 4/30/1873 Cook raised his house this morning  
 5/29/1873 Adams Center or Smithville – F.W. & Em. visited Hiram Hill  
 6/7/1873 R. Druce died today

- 6/9/1873 Funeral of R. Druce at 4 pm
- 6/15/1873 7 were baptized \_\_\_\_\_, Lydia Ann, Ca \_\_, & Bing Druce sprinkled. Mrs. Hubbard & Henriette Dingman poured & L.H. Drake, L.B. Hubbard & G.E. Coe were emmersed
- 6/18/1873 Stopped to Elmer Hall's to have his wife sign deed & take tea
- 6/23/1873 Mother is failing gradually is very feeble
- 6/24/1873 I went to Cyrus Brown's & \_\_\_\_\_ mortgage for D. McDougall & took satisfaction
- 6/25/1873 Our dear mother died today at 11:15 & we think she is at rest
- 6/27/1873 Mother's funeral at 2 o'clock at len \_\_\_ & 3 at church. Rev. Jessop preached from Math 4.4. N.P. Squires came last night on 6 o'clock train & Harriet on noon train today. Emily came last week and staid. Mrs. Penfield was there to assist Lucetta very much with mother
- 6/29/1873 Miss Mother very much
- 7/17/1873 Went to Mexico with E.M. Baldwin toward night & took tea at the Poor House then went to W. Sherman's
- 8/2/1873 Finished up Denial McDougall deed & paid for recording deed \$1.85
- 8/25/1873 Old Mrs. McDougall died today at 2 o'clock
- 8/26/1873 I been to Bill McDougall's & to Hawk's to dinner & to see Old Mrs. Sikes. She is but just alive
- 8/27/1873 Old Mrs. McDougall buried & Geo Foster preached from Job 14.14 first part
- 9/9/1873 I examined records at Pulaski & talked with J.A. Mathensen & John Jones. They are the oldest settlers of Richland
- 9/21/1873 We have all been to Sunday school & meeting. Eight joined in full connection today; Mr. Flower, Charles Coe, G.E. Coe, W.E. Wilber, L.H. Drake, Bing Druce, Mrs. W.J. Wilber & Mary Ann Bell
- 11/18/1873 Eddie Stiles married

11/23/1873 Funeral of Old Mrs. Ives today at Hubbards corners. John took over Old Mrs. Homes & brought her back tonight

11/25/1873 Kate Warriner married

12/14/1873 May & wife were sprinkled & joined the church & received a letter

12/15/1873 I made out assignment of mortgage from Smith Wright to G.G. Ives \$154.07 amount due. I had suit begun of Snow & Willie Larrabee

12/16/1873 I made out deed for H. Kinnie & C Sherman last night till 11 ½ o'clock

12/27/1873 We finished suit of Ceryl Snow & Wm L. Larabee

1/2/1874 Augustus Becker age 21 & Alice S. Chesbro 28 yrs married

1/4/1874 Funeral of Anson Kinne today at the church & Pierce preached

1/10/1874 Farmers are plowing & again on Jan 22

1/30/1874 Wm Rolson died this morning at 8:15 with Typhoid Pneumonia aged almost 52 years. John Cook & I been up to lay him out

2/1/1874 Funeral of Rolson today at 1 o'clock & Balsley preached

2/17/1874 I married Alphonzo Ingersoll to Mary Ann Bell last night to O.P. Sikes

4/7/1874 I made out deed for James Roberts & mortgage for Margaret Pitcher

4/9/1874 Finished up deed for snow

4/18/1874 Mrs. O.P. Potter was buried yesterday. She died 15<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm

4/30/1874 John moved Sim to Fulton

5/16/1874 I was to G.L. Ingersolls am & wrote out his will. Ellen Griswold & myself witnesses

6/12/1874 William Sherman died last night at 8 o'clock

6/14/1874 Funeral of Wm Sherman at 1 pm & B Holmes preached

6/17/1874 I have been to Rolson's taking an inventory of personal property

7/8/1874 Widow VanBuran (1809) & Hyde (1816) was early residents

- 7/18/1874 William made his will this morning. William is rational & better. Dr Beebe here just before will made & called him rational. Elder Brooks also here
- 8/1/1874 James William Brooks died this morning at 1:05. William was born at New Lisbon, Otsego Co. NY, March 31, 1807. His grandfather was Thomas Brooks of Lebanon, CT. a revolutionary soldier.
- 8/2/1874 Funeral of William at 12 o'clock today at home. Elder Brooks officiated. William was buried at Sherburne Hill
- 8/12/1874 Thunder shower tonight & O.J. Allen's barn struck by lightning & burnt at dark
- 8/17/1874 Word came to me that John P Coe was very sick
- 8/18/1874 I came to Fulton last night & brought Malissa Druce. John is very sick & out of his head
- 8/21/1874 John died last night at 11:48
- 8/22/1874 Came back to North Volney to funeral. A.S. York of Fulton preached
- 9/4/1874 I made out pension papers for Melba Stevens
- 9/10/1874 Maria, Eva & I been to Oswego to see about taking Johnny back to the asylum
- 9/18/1874 Maria & I been to Oswego & carried Johnny to the asylum
- 9/20/1874 Harvey Bennett brought by here & buried at New Haven
- 9/25/1874 Maria joined sons of Temperance
- 10/4/1874 O.J. Allen moved yesterday
- 10/5/1874 L.H. Drake, G.W. Cook, & Wm Allen began work at the house tearing away. Moved north just back & Cyrus moved in
- 10/6/1874 The 3 been to work at house. Moved things all out of old house. I have been to work at the old house with them. Lewis & Cook began framing for the house. The sills were so rotten we gave up repairing
- 11/9/1874 Betsey Robbins died this morning at O.P. Sikes
- 11/10/1874 Funeral of Betsey Robbins

11/16/1874 Stevens finished the chimney & I paid him 20/-  
11/19/1874 We moved into the house today  
11/21/1874 I made out deed from Almon Sikes to Alphonzo Ingersoll  
12/8/1874 We laid Sims floor am & they moved pm  
2/19/1875 Sim took over say for Willie J Potter  
3/5/1875 Stacy brought his father up  
3/17/1875 Hattie married  
4/8/1875 Made a deed from Monroe Abbott to Orrin Abbott  
4/10/1875 I moved PO to grocery & sent mail from there  
4/12/1875 I made out deed or finished it McDougall to Melvin  
4/20/1875 I was down to Mary's this morning & up to D.B. Coe's & made out deed for him to Mrs. Guile & from her to Lala H. Read & mortgage to D.B. Coe of \$600.00  
5/9/1875 Our new minister E.J. Clemons. I went up to Albert O Allen's tonight & married John W Childs and Clara M Allen  
5/16/1875 I married James H Chisbro & Cornelia Becker after meeting E.J. Clemons & Mrs. J.P. Coe signed as witnesses  
5/18/1875 Maria, Eva & I have been to C Coe's pm to celebrate Franks birthday  
5/27/1875 I had 3 fellows up here Geo Ives, Herbert Bartlett & Inman Grant on warrant  
6/28/1875 I made out an assignment of mortgage from Wm Quigly to C Parkhurst this morning early  
8/12/1875 Last day of school Savalla Druce teacher  
8/29/1875 Maria & F.W. Squires married at Camp meeting by A.N. Bolsly then to Willard's for tea & back to Em's  
9/12/1875 Eva & I been to Mr. Griffins funeral at 10, Geo E. Williams speaker. Choir from Dentons corners sung. Granger service at the grove. A great many people at the service. Rev. Clemons preached

- 10/6/1875 Reubun Lord & \_ B. Bowen married tonight
- 10/27/1875 I made out mortgage for A.O. Allen
- 12/29/1875 I had a law suit with Stacy Stevens against Dennis Waters & Settled
- 1/7/1876 I paid Wallace Halliday \$7 for board
- 1/21/1876 I came home pm after funeral of Dr. Whitaker's child
- 2/27/1876 Old Mrs. Christian Campbell died yesterday morning at 3:10 & funeral today at the church at 2 o'clock & Place preached from Rev. 7.9 the house was very full, crowded to the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3/16/1876 William H. Coe moved into Sims house
- 3/27/1876 Maria & I been to funeral of Wm Pitcher's children. Scarlet fever, one died Saturday & the other Sunday, aged 9 & 3 years. A.E. Wilson of North Scriba preached. The house nearly full but not many children
- 5/29/1876 I have been to Andrew Druce's all of pm and he died at 4 o'clock pm
- 5/31/1876 Funeral of Andrew Druce & Place preached from John 11.35 "Jesus wept: funeral at the house and more than could get in . Druce was 64 last Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>. Ira Campbell took charge
- 6/12/1876 Funeral of C.H. Harris child
- 6/18/1876 Ellen Griswold 30 today
- 7/16/1876 Maria & I been to New Haven & to Morgan L Dickinson's funeral at 2 o'clock. He was 64 & funeral at house
- 7/22/1876 I made out chattle mortgage for A.O. Allen this morning
- 7/28/1876 Funeral of Mrs. Rolson's little girl at 2 o'clock, Cosgrove preached
- 9/3/1876 Old Mrs. Sikes died age 92 years
- 9/4/1876 Funeral of Mrs. Sikes & Pierce preached from Ex. 23.20 and good. The house was full
- 9/15/1876 Funeral of John Crooks
- 9/20/1876 Smith bought farm of Munger 51 acres for \$2500

12/23/1876 I sent letter to D.E. Faider, Mexico Independent

1/10/1877 Henry Bowen moved Stacy Stevens things to Ira Campbell's

2/13/1877 I made out papers for Druce affidavit & acknowledgment for surrogate to appoint administrator

4/11/1877 We have been moving again

4/24/1877 I been tending grocery

7/22/1877 Garrit Ward's funeral at 1:30 today

8/22/1877 Went to Willard's to my birthday

3/7/1878 Wrote to C.H. Squires of Lockport & Rev. Norman J. Squires of South Manchester, CT

3/10/1878 Wm H Bowen moved his wife here today on a bed

4/3/1878 Dr. Baldwin raised his house

4/10/1878 Mr. Reuben Lord died this morning at 3 o'clock

4/15/1878 G.E. Coe took Mary Ann Coe & I to Mexico to see appointing an administrator for Reuben Lord estate

4/18/1878 Our new minister H.E. Chase called here

4/22/1878 Took affidavits of Laura Whitney & Reuben Sherman

4/27/1878 Maria & I been to Oswego with Coswell Sherman & his mother to finish out her pension papers

4/30/1878 Maria & I been to Peneas Bartletts to make out his mother's pension

5/4/1878 Hawk & Monroe been to Mud Lake fishing

5/6/1878 I have been writing in "Old Settlers Book"

5/23/1878 I weigh 152 lbs, James 151 ½ lbs, & Willard 117 ½ lbs. Eva takes 1<sup>st</sup> music lesson

6/4/1878 I have been to Stevens & making out pension papers



7/9/1878 We went to Judge Whitney about Lord estate

7/31/1878 Been to Willard's for his birthday. His children & wife there

8/18/1878 Funeral of Charles VanBuren child 8 ½ months old H.E. Chase preached

9/8/1878 Stephen Potter died last night at 6 o'clock at Mr. Bells. He was 80 years old last fall

9/9/1878 Funeral of S. Potter at 2 o'clock pm Chase preached

9/21/1878 Mrs. Stevens died today at 3 o'clock pm aged 80

9/22/1878 Emily Brooks broke wrist on sidewalk in Fulton just east of Depot. Funeral of Lefa Stevens at 1 o'clock & Joseph Smedley preached from Math 25.7, at the house

9/28/1878 Maria & I have been to grove meeting just east of Dentons corners. Stewart (colored) preached

10/17/1878 I have been writing obituary of Aroin Rice who died the 13<sup>th</sup>, aged 92 years, 4 months

10/25/1878 I took affidavits of Charles Coe & Eveline C Griswold for Electee Coe for pension No. 19.335. Morris Coe died April 15, 1855

11/4/1878 Fred Vant been here & we went to C.C. Gilson's & back

11/13/1878 Mrs. Campbell died tonight about 8 o'clock aged 47

11/15/1878 Mrs. Campbell funeral at the house and sermon by Rev. Joseph Smedly of Vermillion

11/16/1878 Will Allen moved today

12/8/1878 Mrs. Beardsly died yesterday at 11 o'clock aged 57 last month

12/9/1878 Funeral of Mrs. Beardsly at 1 o'clock & Chase preached

12/14/1878 Geo Searles been out saying that Jennie Squires died this morning at 2o'clock

12/15/1878 Funeral of Mrs. Parkhurst at 1 o'clock & sermon by Chase Frank. The house was crowded full

- 12/16/1878 Funeral of Genevieve (Squire) at 2 o'clock at church (New Haven), Elder Wilson preached from Issac 64.6
- 1/15/1879 Mrs. Mason moved to Palermo
- 1/24/1879 I have been to Stevens am & made out John Stevens will
- 2/13/1879 Guiles Ellis child died this morning
- 2/15/1879 Funeral of Ellis child at 1 o'clock & Chase preached
- 2/28/1879 Eva to Charles McDougall to see the baby
- 3/10/1879 Franklin Quigley died this morning aged 78
- 3/11/1879 Mr. Quigley was buried at 3 o'clock. The corps was drawn by hand on Ingersoll's sleigh there were 15 to 20 persons
- 5/6/1879 Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas died last night at 8:00 aged 84
- 5/7/1879 Funeral today at 11. She was buried at Mt. Pleasant. Waugh from New Haven preached from James 4.14 . A full house
- 5/29/1879 Trial of Lizzie Green for Punishing Elan Church but was cleared & discharged
- 6/8/1879 Funeral of Franklin Quigly. Sermon by A.M. Roe from Heb. 13-14
- 6/18/1879 Moved the grocery up home
- 7/7/1879 Funeral of Oliver P Sikes at the house at 11:00. Rev. A.E. Wilson preached. There was a large crowd & a great many couldn't get in
- 7/29/1879 Sim worked at Stevens' to pay for wool
- 12/2/1879 John Stevens died today
- 12/4/1879 Funeral of John Stevens at 12:00 at church. Rev. Brown of Vermillion preached as Smedly was sick
- 12/15/1879 Made out deed for Mrs. Cook to Charles
- 1/1880 Wrote to Justus Squires, Milan, Ohio
- 2/1880 Justus Squires of Toledo, Ohio. Wrote to E.A. Squires - Stanley. NY

2/22/1880 Funeral of Ariel Wiggins. Greely preached from John 1.4

3/18/1880 I made out lease for Bowen & the Allens for grocery

4/23/1880 Moved to Fulton today after being Post Master of North Volney since 1861

4/27/1880 Wrote to Clara & S.S, Squires of Muir, Mich

5/2/1880 Funeral of Mrs. More am. Sermon by Bennett

5/3/1880 Eva goes into factory

5/6/1880 Sent in Frank petition for P.M. & my resignation

5/17/1880 To Mexico to witness John Stevens will

5/18/1880 Willard took George to Oswego. Frank & I bid Emily good-by

5/24/1880 I wrote to Savala L. Druce, Parish

5/27/1880 Frank received Post Office Commission

6/3/1880 Ottman boy drowned pm today, 10 years old

6/6/1880 Funeral of Mrs. John Sawyer am, Bennett preached. Funeral of Ray Ottman at 3:00, sermon by Golden

6/11/1880 Received a letter from Nebraska

7/2/1880 Funeral of B.G. Fuller at universalist church at 2:00 pm. sermon by Bennett. Masonic funeral

7/27/1880 Moved to Oswego Falls

8/4/1880 R.R. suit vs Lydia Sikes

8/6/1880 Hobart L Campbell's marriage to Hattie Walton at Ira Campbells at 10:00

8/12/1880 Isaar W Marsh died this morning after a long sickness

1/2/1881 Lilton Coe had arm broken & then took off

2/8/1881 Mrs. Bells funeral at 2:00. died Sunday at 12:00

2/20/1881 A.L. Brigs wife's funeral, catholic

- 8/31/1881 James Squires & 2 sons visited here with Nehemiah & Willard
- 9/21/1881 Will Mason's funeral at 11:00
- 11/19/1881 James Craik was found dead this morning near the NW corner of his barn  
about 7:45
- 11/24/1881 Lydia Ann had a son born this morning 8 ¾ lb at 5:00
- 12/29/1881 Funeral of A.M Taplin at 11:00 Arnold preached
- 1882 Frank married to Clara
- 1/24/1882 Funeral of Samual Holbrook at 1:00 pm, Brown preached
- 4/1/1882 Frank C. Squires started for Martinsburgh today. I made a petition for new  
Post Master, Frank's resignation & He signed them
- 5/9/1882 Eva has a beau, Fred Duell
- 5/16/1882 Law suit between Mrs. Quigly & Fred Hall
- 9/30/1882 Made out A.P. Davis PO returns
- 11/1/1882 Funeral of Mrs. Anna Sherman 11:00, Rev. L. Brown preached
- 11/16/1882 Charles Coe moved to New Haven
- 1883 Wrote to Rev. James Squires, Wis. & Geo. L. Squires, Buffalo. Wrote  
to Town clerk of Ashford, CT. & Frank Squires of NY
- 3/7/1883 Old Mr. McDougall died am, at 66 years age
- 3/11/1883 Funeral of James McDougall at 11:00, Rev Geo Foster preached from 1<sup>st</sup>  
Heb. 4.14 at home
- 3/23/1883 Went to see \_\_\_ Nutting & Parknisen about P.O. at New Haven Depot
- 4/8/1883 Mrs. Bowen & Lydia Ann joined church
- 5/4/1883 Funeral of Habart Campbell's child at house & buried at Mexico
- 5/10/1883 Giles Hawks died tonight about 5:00

- 5/13/1883      Funeral of Giles Hawks at 10:00 at house, Rev Kimmouth of Oswego Falls preached a great many there
- 5/19/1883      John Keller hurt in the machine this morning a little after 7, and lived about 2 ½ hours
- 6/20/1883      Sim sheared sheep for Stevens yesterday
- 7/7/1883        Made out Davis PO returns
- 7/22/1883      Rose Griffin died at 1:00, age 29, leaving a daughter just 1 week old & boys
- 7/23/1883      PO est. at New Haven & Woodworth made out his bond last Friday
- 7/24/1883      Funeral of Rose Griffin at 10:00 at the house Decker preached
- 7/ 1883         Wrote to Wm. A or J Duane Squier 120 Broadway, NY, NY. Met N.P. & Charlotte & Nancy brought them to North Volney. Next day J.P. Squires took his father & Charlotte to New Haven & he took Nancy to S.M. Barker's
- 7/31/1883      all children of Willard for birthday party except Harriet. Went to O.N. Woodworth & made out papers for new Post Office
- 8/11/1883      Two mail bags came to Demster from Oswego. He (F.W.) has been helping Woolworth in store at Demster
- 8/13/1883      We made out our first mail at 11:00. \$1.20 worth cancelled today. We have been quite busy am
- 8/23/1883      Funeral of J.H. Austin's wife
- 9/1883         He wrote to C.S. Squires, Chicago & William E. Squires, Berlin, Ohio. Wrote to Justus Squire – Toledo, Ohio & Harriet Squires – Smyrna & Uncle Fonda
- 10/22/1883     I had several presents for my 63rd birthday
- 12/6/1883      Maria & I been to Willard's to see Emily on her 73<sup>rd</sup> birthday
- 1884            Wrote to Town Clerk of Plainfield, Mass. & Woodbury, CT, Plainfield, CT
- 2/14/1884      John Searles died aged 66
- 2/15/1884      Charles S Cheever died at 2:00. born May 22, 1818 came to New Haven in 1828

- 2/17/1884 John Searles funeral at the house
- 2/18/1884 Funeral of C.S. Cheever at 1:00 Rev. Dibble preached
- 2/20/1884 Eva (daughter) married Irving A Webster at 7:30 pm by Rev. Dibble
- 3/22/1884 Maria birthday surprise party
- 4/7/1884 (Did he buy or sell Smith place? Think it was a son-in-law???) Deeded to Geo. W. Hewitt for Smith. Archie Squires here
- 5/14/1884 Charles White married Esther Wiggins by Rev. Lewis Jessup
- 5/16/1884 Funeral of Mrs. Fisk, Rev. Dibble preached
- 6/16/1884 Herbert Searles died tonight 7 pm. Dempster grove association meets to the grove
- 7/7/1884 Willard cut his little finger almost off
- 10/1884 J.H. Warriner of Hamilton wrote
- 11/15/1884 Nehemiah Squire birthday age 76
- 11/16/1884 Funeral of Mrs. King
- /1184 Sent history to Hattie & to Frank C. Bought George skates with screws \$.40
- 1/1885 Wrote to Jerome Squires – Morathon; J.A. Squier – Palmer; Salmon W. Squires – Franlin; Collins Squires; Mrs. Butler – Milan, Ohio; Dr. Squire – Wilbraham, Mass; Mr. Chauncey Squires – Three Rivers; David N. Squires – Bends Village, Mass
- 1/2/1885 Charley Robinson taken down with measles Saturday pm. P.A. Nicholson of Holmsville takes his place as operator
- 3/1/1895 Wrote Mrs. Geo. H. Squires- Carbondale, PA (Has C.S. Fuller moved to New Haven, maybe here on 6A New Haven? Is it Fuller family of Granby?)
- 3/1885 Wrote to Reedsburg & Waterloo. Wis
- 4/ 1885 Wrote to B.W. Carter, Maustin. Wis
- 5/4/1885 Geo. W. Daggett died this am

5/7/1885 Funeral of Geo Daggett at 3:00

5/18/1885 Maria sold her place.

5/19/1885 Got my pension certificate

6/1/1885 Drew pension \$42.66. Wrote to D.D. Blodgett at Sand Bank

6/10/1885 Got pension of \$22.60

6/11/1885 Benson Kopetor drowned

6/21/1885 Rev. Wood preached funeral sermon of Leavitt's sister

6/1885 Wrote to Hattie at Corwith, Iowa

6/29/1885 Shipped 85 crates of berries

6/30/1885 1,254 crates shipped out today

7/2/1885 514 " " "

7/3/1885 222 "

7/4/ 854 "

7/6 700 "

7/8 573 "

7/11 407 "

7/13 177 "

7/14 ? "

7/15 22 "

7/16 18 "

8/5/1885 Funeral of Mrs. Daniel Snow at 2:00, sermon by Rev. Byer of North Scriba

8/19/1885 Funeral of Mrs. Phelps

9/7/1885 Wrote Thomas Hubbard obituary

9/23/1885 Maria been to Aid Society meeting

9/30/1885 I fell down stairs last night at about 5:15 at Palladium office & was nearly killed. I struck on my left shoulder blade & broke my collar bone & very badly shaken up. I was taken to the station by "Dutch Hank", H.B. Spencer & S. Holroyd in back with me. I came home on 7:00 train & brought to the house by E. W. Robinson & C Maxam in rocking chair. Dr. Earnest Manwarring fixed me at 9:30 pm

10/1/1885 Fell downstairs at Palladium Times

- 10/14/1885 William Nellis & H.J. Cheever getting ready to raise house nearby
- 10/24/1885 Laid Chamber floor. Sim brought 100 bricks from G. Gilson's
- 10/17/1885 Sim brought 100 more bricks
- 10/29/1895 I'm worse. Temp 101 pulse 93 inflammation of liver
- 10/30/1885 Dey put in windows
- 11/5/1885 Put on clapboards on North side & moved cellar door & new stairs. Still got chimney through roof & finished
- 11/9/1885 Greves helped Nellis fitted 12 pairs of blinds & put on hinges.
- 11/14/1885 Lumber came from Norwood, St. Lawrence shipped from Oswego. Oct 30 Nellis & Cheever worked on Piazza. Next day finished piazza except pillars. Still lathing; 7 bushel sand & 10 bushel mortar put on double doors
- 11 -12/1885 Neheamah wife Nancy had a shock of appoplory. Wrote to Clara in Iowa
- 11/19/1885 C.C. Gilson died aged 56
- 11/22/1885 Funeral of C.C. Gilson at house, Rev. Wood preached
- 12/9/1885 J.D. Ingersoll died pm age 75 y, 10 m, 20 d. born Jan. 22, 1810
- 1/16/1886 Nelson Smith took Cronk to Pulaski Jail
- 1/26/1886 A. Forbes buried today at village. Froze to death Sun. morning
- 2/5/1886 Mrs. Smith brought here this pm from Cleveland then took to Bert Leavitt's in am.
- 2/7/1886 Funeral of Mrs. Smith at the house at Bert Leavit's at 1:00, Rev. Waters preached
- 1886 Wrote to Sister Hattie at Mason City
- 2/18/1886 Willard's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of marriage. Wrote to Plainfield, NH clerk
- 4/15/1886 Mrs. Mason Married to Orris May tonight. Wrote Hattie, Cleara, Arthur J. Nichols in Newton, Kansas
- 4/19/1886 Mr. Richard Cox died at 11:00 pm, age 71



4/22/1886 Funeral of Mr. Cox at 11:00

5/27/1886 Wrote obituary of Mrs. Nellis

6/23/1886 Ella Bowen died

6/1886 Archie Squiers to dinner

7/7/1886 6,429 crates berries shipped

7/28/1886 Funeral of Willie Oxner pm, Rev. Wood preached

8/11/1886 Freshair children came this morning 25 in number. Miss Mathilda Barker came with them

8/15/1886 The Railroad Co. put in new iron bridge over the Catfish today. It is said weighs 40 tons. Saw bridge put in

8/19/1886 Old Settlers at Mexico. About 500 to dinner

9/15/1886 Mr Wiggins hotel burned with contents & about \$200 in money. Only about \$3,000 insurance

9/28/1886 Funeral of Geol W. Davis. G.A.R. took charge & Wood preached

9/29/1886 Sent papers to Hattie & Clara in Iowa

10/25/1886 Gero's Store broken into & Goods taken

10/28/1886 Been writing my will & Maria's will

10/29/1886 Fred Allen plead guilty to petit larceny and sent to Western house of refuge, Rochester

11/4/1886 Boats at Pleasant Point burned

11/7/1886 S.M. Barker had a fit or something Saturday

11/8/1886 Mrs. Larreebee died

11/11/1886 Ian. Forsyth's wife brought from Hannibal a corpse on 11:38 train & taken to Vermillion. Mrs. Larreebee buried at North Volney

12/13/1886 Two freight trains wrecked near Adams place

2/1887 Wrote to Hattie at Hastings, Adams Co. Neb.

2/10/1887 Major Andrew Coe funeral at the house. Died the 8<sup>th</sup>

3/17/1887 Marcia to Mary's store am

3/19/1887 Mr. Wybourn of Oswego died at 78 years

3/21/1887 Funeral of William Wybourn at Oswego

3/22/1887 Met the Fullers with the dead body of John's wife. John took her to Madison Co., Morrisville, with daughter, sister, Mrs. Francis Johnson

4/8/1887 Grangers use hall for 1<sup>st</sup> time. 7 installed into Grange next night

4/13/1887 Job Searles shop (blacksmith) burned last night

5/5/1887 Gero raised his barn

5/22/1887 \_\_\_\_\_ Griffin married L.H. Drake

5/23/1887 Satisfaction of judgment of Jane L Lindsley formerly Lindall

6/1/1887 Will Coon's wife died

6/3/1887 Will Coe's wife died at 9:15

6/18/1887 1085 crates shipped out

6/20 1117 "

6/21 752 "

6/22 878 "

6/23 1321

6/24 3

6/25 1193

6/27 568

6/28 342

6/29 381

6/30 12

7/5 105

7/6 10

7/7 4 7,926 total crates shipped

8/12/1887 We are enlarging the Grange Hall today

8/14/1887 Eva had a daughter born today

8/27/1887 I have been over to E.W. Jones south of Butterfly

9/1887 Wrote to Hattie at Cornith, Iowa

Postmasters at Demster O.N. Woodworth – Aug 13, 1883; Gero – Aug. 1883;  
Cheever – Dec. 1888; Parsons – march 27, 1889

10/28/1887 Squire Rowe died at midnight taken sick the 19<sup>th</sup>

10/31/1887 E.F. Hewitt dropped dead this morning

11/1/1887 Funeral of Norman Rowe Esq. at 2:00. Dr. Frank Russell preached

11/2/1887 E.F. Hewitt's funeral at 2:00, Rev. Dibble preached

11/3/1887 E.P. Lee finished up Grange sheds today. Went through Merriam house

12/6/1887 Been to Oswego County Counsel. Lucetta elected delegate to Jamestown

1/1888 Will Write & Mother here & went to Webster's

2/1888 Willard & wife went to Jamestown to State Grange Conf. Or Conv.

4/19/1888 Lewis Gridly's daughter died

4/20/1888 Frank wrote from Lewis Co. that C.D. Smith died

4/26/1888 Mary Owin died

5/20/1888 Sat in New seats at church. 3<sup>rd</sup> from front. Holbrook preached

5/26/1888 Crowd around looking for Charly Robinson been missing since last night at 10 or 10:30. Pond drawn off & dragged & creek searched. Robinson went to Oswego on 4:50 & back to Mexico on 7:15, much excitement

5/29/1888 Still looking for Charly

6/ 1888 Robinson returned from Fulton looking for Charly

6/7-8/1888 Sent story & picture of Charly to Pall Times

6/15/1888 It is Nancy's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. Lucy Coe died am

6/17/1888 Lucy Coe buried at 2:00

6/18/1888 Robinson had letter from Charly at Kenner, LA. On his way to Memphis, Tenn. Robinson left at 4:50 for that place

6/21/1888 Robinson telegraphs from Memphis, Tenn.

6/25/1888 Charly & Mr. Robinson came home today

7/9/1888 . Squires, J.P. Squires, F.D. Squires & his baby son had 4 generation picture taken in Mexico

7/11/1888 Leap Year party at Capt. Nichols (Pleasant Point)

7/23/1888 Mr. Brayton Slater & Cyrus L. Head died

7/24/1888 Funeral of Mr. Slater at 12:00 at house of Widow Russell

7/26/1888 Funeral of Cyrus L Head at house pm

fall 1888 Hattie here to stay; Nellie & Frank are Free (what does this mean?)

11/10/1888 Wyella M. Barker died

12/19/1888 Lucetta, Lavina & Maria packed box for Emily Searles

1/1/1889 All Squires & wives & S.M. Barker & family at Willard's for New Years day

1/1889 Hattie over and we wrote to Frank and she sent \$7.50 to John Pair, Att. At Goldfield, Iowa

2/2/1888 Mr. Thomas H Austin died this morning aged 72

2/19/1889 Five brothers & sisters all here to dinner; N.P., James, Willard, myself, Harriet and Alfred Stiles. First time in several years.

2/26/1889 Mrs. Cummins dies age 86

3/1/1889 Old Mrs. Cummins funeral at the house at 12:00

3/21/1889 Maria & Hattie gone to see Snell & Alvin Spencer about buying a house. Robinson & Lee moved there families today

3/26/1889 Made out deed from H.M. Snell to Hattie A Smith

3/28/1889 N.W. Parsons appointed as P.M. in papers tonight

3/29/1889 Made out deed for H.M. Snell to Hattie A Smith

3/30/1889 Made out Post Office papers for Newton W. Parsons. Made out mortgage for Hattie to me for Snell place

4/1/1889 Hattie moved up to the village today. Webster took up a load

4/2/1889 Old Mrs. May's funeral today aged 88 year, 6 mo., 6 days

4/5/1889 Parsons received his commission at 4:50 pm

4/8/1889 Mr. Parson takes charge of Post Office

4/10/1889 Post Office moved into Grange Building. E.W. Robinson came to insure buildings \$850, House \$800, furniture & clothes \$200, Meloden \$20, books & pictures \$80, & barn \$50 cost was \$12.85

4/30/1889 Mrs. C.S. Cheever died at 1:00 after sudden illness

5/2/1889 Funeral of Mrs. Cheevers at the house at 2:00, Rev. Holbrook preached. 60 Grangers with badges attended funeral

5/18/1889 Wrote to Frank C. on 30<sup>th</sup> birthday

5/29/1889 Been up to Hattie's for her 35<sup>th</sup> birthday

6/9/1889 Capt. Nichols & wife struck to the floor by lightning this pm

7/1889 Bought parlor mashes \$2

7/5/1889 Rev. C. Manson's funeral at 11:00, Rev. D.W. Aylesworth of Cleaveland preached

7/31/1889 Willard is 66 yrs. Old today

9/25/1889 Frank C. Smith has his extra thumb cut off today

10/1/1889 Wrote to William Squires, Portlandville, Otsego Co.

10/15/1889 Judge N.W. Nutting died at 5:00 pm at almost 48 years

10/16/1889 Dr. Johnson's funeral pm at the village

10/17/1889 Funeral of Judge Nutting at 2:00

10/24/1889 Gero's folks moved to Adams pm

- 10/27/1889 Funeral of John E. Coe who was killed on Monday. Maria had a bad day & night
- 10/30/1889 Frank C. Squires & Jennie Price married at Collensville, NY. Mrs. Vickery & Baines leave town
- 11/25-26/1889 2 day auction at Wiggins
- 11/27/1889 78 persons were at David Wiggins at surprise
- 12/13/1889 Mr. Wiggins started for Albany with buggy
- 12/20/1889 Mrs. S.G. Merriam's funeral 1:00 at H.B. Allens
- 1/8/1890 Mr. Chester R Wells died 87 yrs & 7 ½ months
- 1/10/1890 Funeral of Chester R Wells
- 1/12/1890 Sheet iron roof of Mott's store blew off (some of it)
- 1/24/1890 Will Coon's child buried pm. died 22<sup>nd</sup>
- 1/25/1890 Nellie Bly reached New York
- 1/27/1890 Capt. Boyde's trial begins today
- 2/1/1890 C.H. Brown takes possession of the station today
- 2/24/1890 Funeral of Mrs. Albert M Davis age 75 y, 4 m. She died the 21<sup>st</sup>
- 3/22/1890 Surprise birthday party for Maria – 60 years
- 3/25/1890 Parsons moved family just at night to Gero's
- 4/7/1890 Orson Sheldon's daughter Grace died age 9 at 12:00
- 4/9/1890 Grace Sheldon's funeral
- 4/15/1890 Dr. Downs married by Rev W.F. Purrington and comes to New Haven
- 4/18/1890 Organ came for grange yesterday \$35. Mrs. Robert Dunk died at 6 am. She was 42 years old
- 4/21/1890 Funeral of Mrs. Dunk at the house at 2 pm Rev. Johnson preached

- 5/5/1890 Cha's Coe died
- 5/8/1890 Charles Coe's funeral, Rev. J.F. Rathbun preached
- 5/14/1890 Mrs. C.H. Brown died at 11:00. Married the 7 at 5:00pm
- 5/17/1890 Funeral of C.H. Browns wife at Holnesville
- 6/4/1890 Ida M. Barker & Loren J. Parsons married tonight at 8:10 by Rev. C.H. Walton
- 7/2/1890 R.C. Coe and Hattie A Smith married pm by Rev. C.H. Walten
- 7/4/1890 Alfred Stiles died about 6 this morning. Willard & I started for Glendale, J.P. Squires & Fred also went.
- 7/6/1890 Funeral of Alfred Stiles at his house. A great many present. Rev. Brooks preached. About 100 passed one way to visit corpse & 63 Grangers the other way. Ceremonies at grave by the Grangers
- 7/1890 Hattie & Nellie Coe down from North Volney & assigned over mortgage for house in village \$212.30 & made out deed to Maria. Gave her &45 of her \$100 claim
- 8/7/1890 Wrote obituary of Mr. Coats
- 8/17/1890 Jerry Wily died
- 8/20/1890 Jerry Wiley funeral Rev. C.H. Walten preached
- 10/2/1890 Mr. Whitlock of Sterling married at Hannibal to Miss Katie Johnson. Rail Road smash up at Scriba
- 11/15/1890 Brother Nehiamah 82<sup>nd</sup> birthday
- 1/8/1891 Flora Rice nee Cook's funeral at North Volney
- 1/27/1891 Mrs Melissa Cooks funeral
- 2/5/1891 C White's boy died
- 2/13/1891 Brother Nehiamah left on train to Hamilton to make it his future home
- 2/14/1891 Gen Sherman died
- 2/18/1891 Willard's 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary

3/11/1891 Mary Ann Coe found dead in bed this morning  
3/13/1891 Funeral of Mary Ann Coe aged 69 years, 10 m, 28 days  
3/15/1891 Funeral of Fraelia Doolittle  
3/17/1891 Eva Webster has baby girl 9 ¼ lb. (Georgia Webster)  
4/14/1891 Mrs. C.E. Russell died  
4/17/1891 Funeral of Mrs. C.E. Russell am. Mrs. B Baxter died at 66  
4/18/1891 Wrote obituary of Mrs. C.E. Russell. She was born Dec. 16,1832 & buried  
at Sandhill  
4/19/1891 Funeral of Mrs. Baxter at house at 2:00  
5/1/1891 Eva & baby Georgia down  
5/10/1891 Funeral of D.B. VanBuren at house by the Masons  
5/28/1891 C.E. Russell married  
6/8/1891 We begin to have 2 mails each way  
6/23/1891 Mrs. May died at noon. 73  
8/8/1891 Fred Coe died pm  
9/1/1891 Nancy Squires died yesterday AT 4:00 PM. Got telegram, wrote "obit" for  
Aunt Nancy  
9/26/1891 Funeral of Beeder Green  
10/22/1891 I (F.W.) am 71 today, weight 149 lb. Alvin Spencer & granddaughter here  
11/19/1891 Parsons & Woodworth settled and divided & Parsons takes store  
11/30/1891 Geo. Goes to Mexico Academy to school  
12/20/1891 E.A. Searles & Frank arrive  
12/23/1891 Emily & son Frank came from west on train, I write Geo. C. Searles  
12/29/1891 Ida Parsons & Frank W. Searles here to visit today



1/1892 Em. goes to Jefferson Co.

1/24/1892 Em & son, Clara & daughter here awhile in pm

2/8/1892 Em & Frank start west for home

2/19/1892 C.M. Gowdy, son-in-law, left for Cornith, Iowa on 4:45. had a good talk with him.

3/8/1892 A.C. Thomas of Mexico hung himself in his farm

3/10/1892 Mrs. Robinson brought from Syracuse to be buried in the village cemetery

3/27/1892 Water high up in front of barn

4/1/1892 Geo S Hale died at 1:00 am age 50

4/2/1892 Eva has diphtheria

4/4/1892 Funeral of Geo S Hale at 3:00 at the house

7//19/1892 Funeral of Milo Augustus Mack at the house at 2:00

8/4/1892 Geo is 18 today

9/6/1892 Lewis D Jerrett's barn burned today from thrashing machine. Mr. Jerrett badly burned at 10:00 am & died at 5:00 pm age 71

9/12/1892 Loren & Ida have a boy 9 ½ lbs

9/20/1892 Mrs. Hale's funeral at 3:00

10/23/1892 Sister Emily fell & broke hip

1/9/1893 Sent obituary of John L. Lake to Times

2/1/1893 Willard had a shock

2/24/1893 Abram Bartlett died 2:00 born Aug 10, 1804

3/3/1893 Sister Emily died

3/4/1893 J.P. takes train to Smyrna

3/5/1893 L.J. Groves puts his goods on cars (did he move?)

3/21/1893 Wrote obituary of Geo Booth

3/28/1893 Geo C. Searles died this am

4/1/1893 Emily & Frank came on 2 pm train & Geo. Remains

4/3/1893 Geo C. Searles funeral at S.M. Barkers today. Mrs. Pope, Luccetta, Lavina & Emily here to dinner. Mr. Pope went back on 9:40 train

4/8/1893 N.W. Parsons finished moving to Calkins today. Charles Parkhurst is being taken up 2<sup>nd</sup> time. Jim Bosnan & Carrie Parkhurst taken to Oswego last night on warrants

4/10/1893 S.M. Barker took the noon train to Nebraska & Emily the 4:45 to Nebraska

4/30/1893 Alfred Mason died at the age of 23 years

5/2/1893 Creek high, water runs under SW corner of barn

5/5/1893 Emily & Bertie came today on 2 o'clock train. S.M. Barker came from Neb. On 6:00

6/4/1893 Eva (Webster) is sick & Marian is up there today. Son last night 3 1/4 lb.

6/12/1893 Eva's child died this morning. Buried at North Volney

6/29/1893 E.L. Jerred, N.W. Parsons, Mr. Gage & others started for Gettysburg 184<sup>th</sup>. Sarah Olen of Richland, age 16 & Nettie Hadlock, 13 of Sandy Creek drowned today at mouth of Catfish Creek.

7/25/1893 Wrote obituary of Mrs. Sally P Taft

8/4/1893 Russel Calkins of Richland died

8/27/1893 Lightning struck Parsons store chimney, scattered the chimney to the chamber floor & scattered the pipes.

8/31/1893 Sim arrested Mrs. Jim Mahar, Ida Tuck & Jesse Wilbur

9/1/1893 Mot started laying foundation for addition to store

9/2/1893 Mrs. Jim Mahar examined today & discharged

9/14/1893 Mr. Howlett's funeral 78-6

- 9/30/1893 Mr. H.G. Cheever died at 2:00 am. He was born Oct. 7, 1825 & married Aug. 30, 1851
- 9/15/1893 North side of Willard's barn roof blew off. Looked up some history for old Mrs. Martha Lewis' obituary. 76 yr, 5 m. Webster preached at house
- 10/3/1893 Funeral of H.G. Cheevers & a good attendance
- 10/8/1893 Mrs. Martha Lewis aged 76 y, 5 m died.
- 10/10/1893 Funeral of Old Mrs. Lewis at house & Webster preached. Good attendance
- 10/28/1893 Last registering day. Orders came tonight to take off women's names from register
- 10/30/1893 Geo. Gray Marshall age 20 killed at Oriskany & brought here tonight
- 11/1893 Made out deed from Mrs. Cheever to Mott \$88, \$112 to E.W. Robinson
- 11/6/1893 Have been to hall several times today. Been putting up booths for voting. Election in Parsons Hall
- 11/11/1893 C.N. Lewis house burned this morning & about 200 crates
- 11/14/1893 Nelson Davis of Mexico buried up to village pm
- 11/15/1893 Jessie Calkins married this pm Eugene R Wyman Richland
- 12/3/1893 Mr. B.S. Drake died 7:35 am at 83y, 1 ½ m
- 12/7/1893 Funeral of B.S. Drake
- 12/26/1893 Mr. Sidney Shepard died at 9:00 am
- 12/28/1893 Sidney Shepard remains in funeral car starts for Buffalo by way of Pulaski on 10:10 train
- 1/4/1894 Funeral of Lenis Hall
- 1/18/1894 The Old Simmons house at the village burned
- 2/15/1894 Mr. N.W. Parsons & folks move to Robinson's today. Robinson moved to Oswego on cars today
- 3/17/1894 Mrs. Still died

3/21/1894 Mrs. A.D. Still's funeral at the house at 1:00 age 53  
 3/27/1894 Carrie E. Parkhurst married Jim Bowen last night  
 4/11/1894 Mrs. Shannon has a daughter  
 6/12/1894 Reuben Everts died  
 6/25/1894 Cheney Bracy died, was carried out door & bled & revived  
 8/3/1894 Geo S Coe died at 5:00 am  
 8/17/1894 Ralph H. Shepard died  
 8/19/1894 Ralph taken to Buffalo Henry Warriner – Plover, Portage Co. Wis.  
 9/10/1894 Jonathan Ball killed by cars at his crossing at 3 pm  
 9/13/1894 Elmer Stone died yesterday at 24 yrs. His father very poorly  
 10/2/1894 G.A.R. Post held meeting last night at old brick house. Corps voted  
 against village by 1 majority  
 10/24/1894 Wrote to Comm. For Grandfather Warriner's pension records  
 10/28/1894 Up to Town Hall last night. W.R.C. entertainment  
 11/1894 Relief Corps blackballed Mrs. Vandusen, Cheever & Miss Barber  
 11/24/1894 Lillie had a daughter born at 1:30 am  
 12/4/1894 Harry Casely leaves on train to start for England  
 12/8/1894 Emory Davis sent to jail for 4 months  
 12/24/1894 Been writing steadily for new history  
 12/29/1894 Mrs. Elizah Granger brought here a corpse from Pulaski at 12:30  
 1/2/1895 Maria works some to Parson's store & millinery  
 2/1895 Corps meeting at Hall today & lodge officers tonight. Maria went to both  
 meetings  
 2/11/1895 Frank Searles has measles

3/17/1895 Lavinia birthday  
3/18/1895 Ida birthday  
3/26/1895 Ida & Emily up to new house to work  
3/30/1895 Solomon White died. Born July 7, 1825  
4/1/1895 Tremain folks moved into Mill house & Montie Dennis moved into Cheever house  
4/2/1895 Funeral of Mr. White at the house at 1:00 Rev. Johnson preached  
4/24/1895 Mrs. J.S. Marshall died at 8:00 am aged 60 years  
4/27/1895 Funeral of Mrs. J.S. Marshall at the house at 2:00  
5/28/1895 Groves put sleepers in bridge toward the station  
6/14/1895 Mrs. Jones came here on 8 o'clock train & took Corp charter to New Haven. Mr. Granger took her & things to village. We went to Post meeting tonight & called for cards. 18 in all were present  
6/24/1895 C.M. Gowdy left for town. Lavina went with him to Oswego  
6/27/1895 Clara went with Willard to his house  
6/28/1895 Lavina took Clara & Hiram to North Volney to visit  
6/29/1895 Clara & Hiram left for home  
7/2/1895 Members of Relief Corps called for transfer cards today  
7/15/1895 Hiram May & Jane Cornwall married yesterday  
7/20/1895 Maria been to Parsons store buying things. They have sold out to R.J. Keefe  
8/5/1895 Mrs Talmage died  
8/7/1895 Henry Whitlock was murdered last night by Charles Burgess  
8/14/1895 Addison K Scudder killed at fire Jennings corners  
8/15/1895 Geo. H. Craik came today on train. He is 21 years

8/17/1895 A.K. Scudder funeral

8/21/1895 Geo. Started for Lyons Falls. I (F.W.) paid him \$300, borrowed \$20 from H. Casely & Mott

9/10/1895 County Lodge here today. Mrs. R.H. Spencer came on first train & was here to breakfast

9/18/1895 New history "Landmarks of Os. Co." came today

10/1895 Sent by Express - Geo. \$100

10/2/1895 C.S. White's boy died with diphtheria

11/5/1895 Election Hall at Keefe's

11/13/1895 Sent E.R. Warriner, Washington, D.C, my family history

12/13/1895 Made a contract for Keefe & Mott & C. Mortgage for W. Mahar

12/20/1895 Abram Fones died Tuesday at 86 yrs, 10 mo, 16 d. Funeral pm today. Mr. Parson goes to Mexico to carry transfer card of his, Capt. Nichols, A.C. Lee, W.C. Bartlett, F.W. Sparks, & F.W. Squires

12/28/1895 Shannan's house caught fire this morning 7:30

12/30/1895 Mott & Keefe finished inventory today. They are carrying goods across street

1/7/1896 Geo E Soper is insane & has been for several days

1/18/1896 Geo. E Soper died at 8:00 am age 52

1/21/1896 Funeral of Geo. E. Soper buried by Mason's. The house was crowded. Sermon by Rev. C.S. Peck

1/24/1896 Mr. Gill moving things to Snow farm

2/1/1896 Willard & Lucetta here to invite us to their golden wedding

2/18/1896 Willard's Golden Wedding

4/5/1896 David L. Nichols died yesterday. B. Oct 1, 1828

4/22/1896 Old Mrs. Woodworth died last night. B. Sept. 21, 1820

5/3/1896 Emory Davis killed by cars east of Pulaski  
 6/1896 Prior's stepfather out today after his boy  
 7/16/1896 Store & station broken into Tuesday night & keys all taken  
 8/5/1896 Geo. Daggett & Mae Adams married  
 8/15/1896 James M. Hart died. B. July 29, 1817  
 8/17/1896 Mrs. A.E. Hewitt died am  
 8/19/1896 Funeral of Mrs. Hewitt at house at 2:00 pm  
 8/24/1896 May Holley of North Volney dropped dead this morning  
 10/3/1896 W.F. Joice died, age 20y, 8m. Son of Stephen Joice  
 10/17/1896 Went to Silver meeting tonight. J.O. Hogg, A.M. Hall & J.W. Shea  
 speakers put up Silverites flag about 4:30 pm  
 12/9/1896 Station agent Jones of Scriba married Miss Parkhurst  
 3/23-29/1897 Emily writing for F.W. as his very sick. Dr. Huntington here every day  
 4/3/1897 Dr. Coe's body comes on train  
 Cost of building my house 1857

Joiner work	63.87
Mason work	27.00
Shoveling dirt	2.88
156# nails @\$ .04 ½	7.02
1933 ft pine lumber	28.70
4,553 shingles 14/to 20/	11.50
200 ft. lath	1.95
4 windows 10x12	4.56
paint	5.02
putty & trimming	9.15
swing timber etc	1.12
Total	\$162.77

Recapitulation	
500 ft. clapboard \$14	\$7.00
375 ft. clapboard \$12	4.50
210 ft inch board \$14	2.94

226 ft inch board \$15	3.39
320 ft 1 ¼ flooring \$16	5.12
50 ft inch flooring \$16	.80
41 ft 1 ½ inch flooring \$18	.73
68 ft ½ inch flooring \$20	1.36
143 ft ½ inch flooring \$20	2.86
Total	\$28.70

2800 shingles @ 20	\$7.00
2754 shingles @ 14	4.50
26# shingle nails @ 4 ½	1.17
34# shingle latch @ 4 ½	1.53
64# 8's nails @ 4 ½	2.88
32# 10's nails @ 4 ½	1.44
4 windows 1.14 each	4.56
25# white lead 9 ½	2.37
6 qts. Boiled oil	1.69
3 qts. Turpentine	.56
yellow & red paint	.40
5# putty @ 2/6	.31
1 gray screen 3/	.38
5 pair butts 8	.40
1 lock 3/6	.44
2 lock 20	.40
5 door handles, etc	.41
4 stove pipe tubes	.65
8 window fasteners	.32
12 bush. Lime & drawing	5.00
1 ½ bush. Lime 3/	.56
Joiner work & mason work	40.87
Other work	4.00
Strap iron & butts 28	
Lath 1.95	2.23
Total	\$134.07

Clarence A.P. Squires B. Fri July 9. 1852 Wt. 7 ¼ # 3 ½ am  
Hattie A. Squires B. Mon. May 29, 1854 Wt. 6 ½ # 10 ¼ am  
Clara A. Squires B. Fri. Oct. 24, 1856 Wt. 8 3/16 # 10 ¼ pm  
Francis (Frank) C. Squires B. Wed. May 18, 1859 Wt. 9 # 1 ½ pm

C.D. Smith bought farm Oct. 20, 1876