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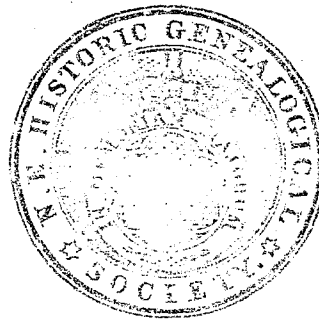
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January 3, 1790. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr Luke 4 and 8. It is written thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and him only shalt serve. Reproved those that tarry from meeting. Wednesday made sausages. Yesterday Lyman Brown who lives here set out with a Horse for Porter. Thursday I a visit at Dr. Porters they moved into their new house the 9 of last month. Satt. Evening Porter got home—may I be humble and thankful.

Jan. 10. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr Joel 2 and 32. And it shall come to pass that who-soever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be delivered. And from Matt. 11 and 29. Learn of me for I am meek and lowly. Tuesday a visit at General Porters. Thursday a visit at Mr. Gaylords. She has had a very sick turn but better now.

Jan. 17. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr 1st Thess. 5 and 15. Ever follow that which is good etc. and Hebrews 11 and 16. But now they desire a better country. Tuesday Submit Gaylord here. Fryday I a visit at Capt. Kelloggs, Mrs. Shipman with me. When I got home found Brother Timothy Phelps and two sons and mother Phelps. Submit went home this Evening with her Brother and some other young company who came to see Porter.

Jan. 24. Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Hebrews 13 and 18. For we trust we have a good conscience in all things willing to live honestly. Monday Mr. Phelps and I at Northampton to get things for Mother Phelps. Spent the Eve. at Mr. Hop. Tuesday Johnny Phelps and Charles came back from Brother Warners—they stayed there Sunday Eve. Thursday sister Dickinson came to see Brother Tim. He set out for Connecticut Monday last—got back here this night and Brother John Williams with a son of his. Sister Dickinson came here last Monday when we were gone and brought Sally and Polly—this night we had a number of us together. Fryday sister Dickinson went home—took Sally. Satt. Morn Brother Phelps and Brother Williams with their sons set out for home.

Jan. 31. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 8 and 13. [blank] and Ecclesiastes 5 and 7. But fear thou God. Tuesday Cousin Hubbard from Leveret and her two children here—in the Eve. Johnny Hop and two sister with divers others here. Wednesday Judge Porter and wife, Sam'l Porter and wife, Dr. Porter and wife and Mrs. Hills all here. Thursday Mrs. Hills left us. Fryday Mrs. Hibbard here. Last Wednesday heard of Mr. Daniel Worthingtons wifes death—she was peculiarly Dear to me—O most mighty God may it be for my real good. Mother Phelps left us last Sunday evening to go to Brothers—I a little visit at the Generals.

Feb. 7. Sun. Mr. Graves pr. Deuteronomy 32 and 29. O that they were wise etc—and from Jeremiah 8 and 22. Is there no balm in Gilead etc. Thursday exhibition at Hatfield—I a visit at Capt. Billings—Becra there with me. Fryday Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Austin visit here—Mr. Austin is dismissed from his people—is now preaching at Worcester. She tarries at Mr. Hopkins. Last Tuesday Polly Cooley went home.

Feb. 14. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr James 4 and 10. Humble yourselves therefore in the sight of the Lord and he shall lift you up—and from Romans 8 and 16. The spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit that we are the children of God. Monday morning just as the day dawned Mr. Phelps, Porter and I set out for Boston—got to Shrewsbury Lodged at Major Farrow's. Went on to old Cambridge—left Porter; came to little Cambridge and lodged. Wednesday morning snowed—went into Boston. Thursday just at night came to little Cambridge. Fryday set out for home came the upper road, found plenty of snow most of the way; lodged at Miricks in Princeton. Satt. got home before night—found Mother Phelps here and Brother Timothy, he came last Tuesday, she came here from Brother Dickinsons last Wednesday.

Feb. 21. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr Acts 10 and 43. And to him gave all the Prophets witness etc.—and from John 5 and 40. And ye will not come to me that ye might have. Sacrament day and what am I the better O Lord teach me by word and providences. Monday Mother Phelps and Brother set out for home. Tuesday Mr.

Hop. and Mrs. here. Fryday Capt. Kelloggs wife and Mrs. Shipman visit here. The Gentlemen drank tea with us—spent the Evening.

Feb 28. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr Mallici 1 and 6. A son honoureth his father—spoke of the duty of children to parents principally, something of parents to children. Monday a visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday Lucy went home, Dolly went with her, Lyman drove the sleigh—back that night. Mrs. Smith a visit here, Mr. Bens wife. Just at Eve. Mr. Bill Williams of Suffield and wife drank tea here. Fryday Mrs. Stockbridge and her sister Catling (Silence) a visit here.

March 7. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 24 v. 6. Train up a child in the way he should go etc. After-noon 26 v. 10. The Great God that formed all things both rewardeth the fool and rewardeth transgressors. Monday Brother Warner and sister a visit here. Dolly came to spin. Wednesday Fanny Lyman from Hatfield here—in the afternoon Mr. Phelps and I a visit at Mr. Lymans the girls here from town. Fryday just at night Fanny home—in the Eve. Dolly went home.

March 14. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 15 v. 16. How much more abominable and filthy is man which drinketh in iniquity like water—and from Hebrews 13, part of 5 and 6 verses. For he hath said I will never leave thee nor forsake thee. So that we may boldly say the Lord is our helper. Monday Mrs. Gaylord and Sally Williams here. Mr. Gaylord spent the Eve. Sally went home with them. Thursday Eve. our folks into town—I went did some errands, spent a little time at General Porters—Betty home—Fryday Mr. Parsons and wife, Dr. Cutler and wife a visit here.

March 21. Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. Job 16 v. 12. I was at ease but he has broken me asunder etc.—and Psalm 110 v. 2. The Lord shall send the rod of thy strength out of Zion. Monday morn just at day break Mr. Hibbard came here. I went there—she had a daughter born about 10. I home directly to help wash. Sally Williams went down with us Sunday. Tuesday I a visit at Mr. Shipmans. Thursday a visit at Brother Warners. Satt. Mr. Phelps out for Boston, his cattle went on last Tues.

March 28. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 21 v. 25—to the Gentiles that believe; and from Luke 1 v. 50—and his mercy is on them that fear him. Monday Sally Williams here again to tarry, Submit brought her. Wednesday Deacon Eastman was buried. Mr. Hopkins preached a sermon from Job 14 v. 2. He cometh forth like a flower etc. None of us attended, the riding very bad. Saturday Sally left us—My husband got home just before night—all well.

April 4. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 22 v. 42: nevertheless not my will but thine be done—and from Coli. 3 v. 1: if then ye be risen with Christ seek those things which are above. Thursday fast day. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 34 v. 29: if he giveth quietness who then can make trouble? and if he hideth his face who then can behold him? etc.—and from Deuteronomy 32 v. 6: and do ye thus requite the Lord, O foolish people and unwise etc. Fryday Mrs. Shipman here to make her a cap—the Widow Warner of Amherst a visit here.

April 11. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1 Cor. 11 v. 25. this do ye as oft as ye drink it in remembrance of me—and John 15 v. 2: every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away and every branch etc. Sacrament day. Oh this trifling thoughtless heart, how important the work, yet how careless the mind—is it possible there can be one spark of real goodness in me! O Lord I desire to cast myself down in the greatest unworthiness, knowing I cannot help myself; but then is help laid upon one that is mighty. If ever I feel any life or quickening it must be from above—and dare I say thou son of David have mercy upon me! Tuesday Betsy and I at Mrs. Chilib Smiths to get her gown made. Thursday Betsy and I down again for it, I as far as Mr. Joel Kelloggs, and did a number of errands. Fryday Mrs. Pierce here for her bonnet I made for her. Just at night Porter got home—not very well. Satt. had very sick day, the Dr. came and bled him. This week made soap.

April 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 23 v. 11. As for me I will maintain my integrity—and from II Peter 2, v. 16: the Dumb ass speaking forbade the madness of the Prophet. I did not go to meeting, Porter poorly tho better. Tuesday I was not well. Wednesday Mrs. Hop. spent the day here, Mr. Hop. in the after-noon—this day very sick. Thursday Betsy took sick. Fryday the Dr. came, bled her, she very bad. Satt. better. Lucy and Lyman took sick—both bled. Just at night Brother Timothy came.

April 26. Sun. Mr. Phelps and Porter out this afternoon. Mr. Hop. pr. Revelations 22 v. 17: And whosoever will, let him take of the water of life freely. A sick family indeed, but much better. We all able to attend prayers together at Eve., for which I desire to thank God and pray that health may be restored to us all in due time and we make a good use of it for Jesus sake Amen. Monday Brother set out for home. In the afternoon rode into town, drank tea with Mrs. Gaylord, brought up Dolly to weave—felt very poorly. Tuesday Mr. Phelps and Porter at Northampton to hear Court—at Eve. Mr. Phelps came home sick—Wednesday Dr. Porter came and bled him—bled Robert an Irish man. Thursday and Fryday Porter over at Court. Satt. old Mrs. Alixander here. Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here a few moments.

May 2. Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Ezekiel 36 v. 31: and then shall ye remember your own evil ways etc.—and from Psalm 88 v. 15: while I suffer thy terrors I am distracted. I went to meeting this afternoon. I thank God. I hope I am gaining. My mother and Lucy very poorly the week past. Tuesday Mr. Phelps and I rode as far as Brothers; Mr. Phelps is better; he did not go to meeting last Sunday—was very poorly. Fryday Lucy and Betsy Hopkins here in the afternoon. Betsy went home. Just at night Mrs. Gaylord and Betsy rode up after Lucy. Satt. Mr. Phelps and I a visit at General Porters. I went in to see Mrs. Porter, the Judges Lady—she very poorly with this disorder. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Hopkins and Sally Williams here a few moments when we were gone.

May 9. Sun. Mr. Hop. sick. General Porter read; Mr. Hop. prayed in the afternoon. Mr. Phelps and I were to Amherst in the Morn. Dined at Mr. Parsons—heard him from Proverbs 23 v. 24: The father of the righteous shall greatly rejoice. Thursday a visit at Judge Porters—she poorly. Porter set out for Cambridge last Thursday.

May 16. Sun. Mr. Hop. still sick. Mr. Phelps and I at Hatfield; Dr. Spalden pr. Hebrews 2 v 3: How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation—and from Job 17 v. 9: The righteous shall hold on his way and he that hath clean hands shall be stronger and stronger. We dined at Capt. Billings. Saw a man, one Wells, who came from Brattleborough—said he saw one of the Jury of Inquest who sat upon the body of Brother Solomon last Monday who was found dead with his throat cut. O Lord may his death be sanctified to us all! Dr. Edwards preached in Hadley. Tuesday Brother Warner had his house raised—I was with Sister—it is a good frame—the girls were there. Fryday Dolly Warner came here and my two girls went with her out to Brother Dickinsons; they are moved two miles out of Hatfield. Satt. about 1 o'clock Mr. Phelps and I and Lucy went up to Landlord Smiths, attended the funeral of one of his grandchildren, Mr. Congdens child, then we went into town, attended the funeral of old Mrs. Gaylord, stayed a little while and drank tea at Mr. Hop. Lucy did not go down, Thankful and Betsy went. Major Porters wife in here a few moments last Tuesday before we went to Brothers—when we were gone Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here a little while. Satt. when we were gone to Mrs. Gaylords funeral Major Porters wife here a few moments.

May 23. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Hebrews 12 v 25: See that ye refuse not him that speaketh etc.—and from Ecclesiastes 12 v. 3: And the grinders shall cease because they are few and those that look out at the windows be darkened. Monday General Porter and his wife here; she has never been here since last October—been very low most of the time. Tuesday Thankful and I at Mrs. Smiths for her to make some gowns longer for Thankful Fryday I a visit at Mr. Gaylords. Satt. old Mrs. Alixander here; she has been sick. Mr. Hop. and Mrs. a visit here when we were gone Fryday.

May 30. Sun. Mr. Hop. preached Jeremiah 23 v. 5: Behold the day comes, saith the Lord, that I will raise to David a righteous Branch etc. Monday night at Mr. Timothy Eastmans—Mrs. Shipman there. Wednesday Judge Porters Lady and Jerusha a visit here. Thursday lecture before the Sacrament. Mr. Jonathan Smith pr. Revelations 21 v. 22 & 23: And I saw no temple therein etc. He is settled at Martha's Vineyard, is now up here with his wife for a visit. Satt. carried Dolly Marshall home to Mr. Hop.

June 6. Sun. Mr. Smith pr. II Cor. 4, v. 10: Always bear about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus etc.; and from Matt. 22 v. 12: and he was speechless. This

day Sacrament Day. O Lord may I be clothed with Christ's righteousness. Monday Mr. Aaron Cleavland of Norwich came back here and lodged. He lodged here last Thursday night going up to Brattleborough. Tuesday morning left us. In the after-noon Lucy and I into town, she to get a cherilac made, I a visit to General Porters (he and Lucretia gone to Boston). I found there Judge Porters Lady and Mrs. Walker. Thursday Mrs. Shipman a little visit here, she durst not go to Hatfield in our canoe. Fryday Mr. Phelps and I at Brother Dickinsons. Mr. Phelps out to Conway—we came home in the Eve.

June 13. Sun: Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 23 v. 42: and he said Lord remember me when thou comest into thy Kingdom; and from Acts 2 v. 38: and Peter said repent and be baptized every one of you etc. Monday I rode into Town as far as Joel Kelloggs did some errands—this day twenty years since our Wedding day—may the reflection upon it make a due impression on my mind—may I have wisdom to know and grace to do my duty to God and man. Wednesday my Husband and I at Northampton to get something for bonnets for the girls—drank tea at Dr. Shepherds.

June 20. Sun: Mr. Lyman pr. Acts 1 v. 21 & 22: wherefore of these men who have accompanied with us etc.—proved the Resurrection of the Redeemer; and from 1st Thess. 5 v. 3: for when they shall say peace and safety etc. Monday made a visit at Mr. Eliazar Porters. Wednesday Mr. Jonathan Smith and Mr. Enis Smith and Mr. Seth Smith with their wives all here for a visit. Fryday Mitte Gaylord and Betsy Hubbard a visit here. Yesterday our girls went to strawberrying. Betsy Colt and Lucretia a visit here.

June 27. Sun: Mr. McKenstre pr. Romans 8 v. 1; There is therefore now no condemnation to them that are in Christ etc. In the afternoon we went to Hatfield, heard Mr. Lyman from II Corr. 4 v. 3: If our Gospel be hid it is hid to them that are lost. Monday Dr. Porter and wife here—soon after Sally Williams came and Betsy Hopkins and Jerusha Edwards—she tarried, the rest went home. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord and Mrs. Austin here before Dinner—in the afternoon Becca Dickinson here. Wednesday I a visit at Mr. Azariah Dickinsons—when we returned found Mr. Nathaniel Olcott, a kinsman, here. Thursday he went to Amherst; back here and lodged—Fryday set out for home at Hartford. Satt. in the afternoon I carried Jerusha Edwards to Judge Porters.

July 4. Sun: Mr. Phelps, Betsy and I at Hatfield (Mr. Hop. gone to Boston). Mr. Lyman pr. Luke 9 v. 62: And Jesus said unto him no man having put his hand to the Plough etc.; and from Ezra 6 v. 12: And the God that hath caused his name to dwell there etc. This day partook of the Sacrament with the Church at Hatfield and hope I felt some degree of humility—O Lord may I always feel myself thine, hoping and trusting in the merits of the dear redeemer. Monday Betsy went for Jerusha, brought her here to tarry this week. Wednesday Becca Dickinson and Mrs. Billings a visit here. Thursday Mr. Lyman and wife from Hatfield a visit here. Mr. Ebenezer Marsh and wife and Mr. Orange Warners wife a visit here. Satt. Betsy carried Jerusha back to Judge Porters.

July 11. Sun: Mr. Hop. pr. I Corr. 13 v. 12: Now I know but in part etc.; and from I Peter 5 v. 5: And be ye clothed with humility. Monday Brother Warner and sister a visit here. Tuesday Submit and Betsy Hubbard came and they with my two girls went to Hatfield. I a visit at Mr. Hop. My mother went with me—stopped at General Porters. Thursday I went for her, found her at Mr. Gaylord's. we came home. Fryday just at night the girls got home and Mitte with.

July 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Matt. 23 v. 32: And he shall separate them one from another etc.; and from Deuteronomy 10 v. 13: to keep the commandments of the Lord etc. Wednesday Mr. Hop. and wife. Mr. Austin and wife a visit here. Dolly Warner and Lucretia Smith came here in the Morning. Thursday Thankful and Betsy into Town to see the Troop of horse. Fryday night after 9 Porter came home—he has got pretty well, though he has been quite sick. God in his wise providence spares him for some wise and good end. Be pleased to grant it for his real spiritual benefit.

July 25. Sun: Mr. Williams pr. Proverbs 1 v. 30: They would none of my counsel etc.; and from Psalms 4 v. 6: there be many that say who will shew us any good etc. Tuesday Judge Porters wife and Delia Dwight a visit here. Thursday I

a visit at Brother Warners. Lucy at Mr. Hopkins. Fryday Porter and Betsy at Northampton.

August 1. Sun: Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 29 v. 18: but he that keepeth the law happy is he; and from Proverbs 16 v. 31: the hoary head is a crown of glory if it be found in the way of righteousness. Mr. Phelps tarried at home—hurt his knee last night. Wednesday Thankful and Betsy a visit at Mr. Hop. Thursday lecture before the Sacrament—Mr. Lyman pr. Luke 9 v. 62; And Jesus said unto him no man having put his hand to the Plough etc. After meeting Mr. Phelps and I and Porter went into Mr. Hop.—there came a great shower—the girls went to Mr. Gaylords. Fryday just at night got home—stayed to help quilt.

August 8. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Hebrews 10 v. 14: For by one offering he hath perfected forever them that are sanctified; and from Ephesians 5 v. 15; See then that ye walk circumspectly not as fools but as wise. This day Sacrament day and I have once more set at the Lords table—O that mercy might find even me for Christs sake! My mother has been at meeting this day and two other Sundays this summer. Wednesday Porter and a number of young persons, 19 in all, took a sail to Stoddards Island below Hadley Town. Just at night Mr. Phelps and I rode into town of an errand. Thursday my mother a visit at Mr. Azariah Dickinsons—Mrs. Hop a visit here—she came with Miss Hannah Hopkins of west Springfield. Fryday Morn. Porter brought Jerusha Edwards here—in the afternoon Hannah Lyman and Fanny from Hatfield—John Hop. and Mitte Gaylord—just at night Master Cook and Moses Porter here.

August 15. Sun: Mr. Wells of Whately pr. Solomons Song 4 v. 16: Awake the north wind etc.; and from Jude 6: the angels which kept not their first estate etc. Porter, Jerusha and Betsy went to Hatfield. Monday Judge Porter and Lady a visit here—at night Jerusha back to the Judges. Tuesday I a visit at Mr. Gaylords. Thursday Morn. Porter left us for Cambridge—O that mercy and truth might go with him! Mrs. Austin here in the forenoon. Just at night Sally Williams here—both tarried. Fryday Morn. Sally home—just at night Mrs. Hop. and Sally after Mrs. Austin—drank tea. Satt. Mrs. Hibbard a visit here.

Aug. 22. Sun. Mr. [blank] pr. II Cor. 4 v. 18: While we look not at the things which are seen etc.; and Psalms 19 v. 11. Monday Dolly Warner and Anna Field here. Tuesday the girls a visit to Judge Porters to see Jerusha Edwards—Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here. Wednesday I into Town of errands. Thursday the girls a visit at Capt. Whites. Fryday Mr. Phelps and I at Brothers. Satt. I into Town again of errands.

Aug. 29. Sun: Mr. Hop pr. Habbakkuk 1 v. 13: Thou art of purer eyes etc.; and II Chronicles 34 v. 29. Tuesday Walter Edwards from Newhaven and his sister Jerusha a visit here—John Hopkins and Betsy. Mr. Phelps Uncle Lyman from Southampton lodged here. Wednesday Mr. Phelps and Betsy at Northampton—she has a hard substance in one of her cheeks, upon her jawbone—went to see Dr. Hunt. Mrs. Shipman and Capt. Kelloggs wife here Thursday—Mrs. Hop. Mrs. Gaylord here. Satt. rode as far as Mrs. Kelloggs.

Sep. 5. Sun: Mr. Hop. Psalm 108 v. 4: For thy mercy is great above the heavens. Monday Mrs. Carrier here. Tuesday Mrs. Tuttle (they live at Mr. Hibbards) a visit here—the girls at Mrs. Walkers. Mr. Phelps attended court at Northampton Wed. Thurs. Fry.—home every night. Fryday the girls a visit at Mr. Hop. Satt. I at Mrs. Smiths for her to do a little work to my stuff gown.

Sep. 12. Sun: at meeting Deacon Porter carried on—read a sermon of old Mr. Edwards from Proverbs: Boast not thyself of tomorrow etc. In the afternoon Mr. Phelps and I at Hatfield—Mr. Lyman pr. John 6 v. 45: it is written in the prophets and they shall be all taught of God etc. Mr. Hop. gone up to Brookfield to see his children. Wednesday my Mother a visit at Mr. Shipmans—Mrs. Gaylord, Miss Sally here—I went to Hatfield with them—a visit at Mr. Lymans. Thursday Mr. Brown and wife a visit here. Fryday I a visit at Dr. Porters. Mr. Gaylord met me there. Satt. Brother Warner and wife, Mr. Joseph Davenport and wife and Little Price all a visit here.

Sept. 19. Sun: Mr. Graves pr. Phill. 1 v. 27: Let your conversation etc.; and Eph. 4 v. 19; who being past feeling etc. Monday I a visit at General Porters. Tuesday Mrs. Lyman Hatfield here forenoon spent the day. Wednesday my mother

at Brother Warners. Fryday at Mrs. Gaylords before Dinner—she and Sally and I a visit at Mr. Hop. in the afternoon. Mrs. Austin is going to Worcester—Mr. Austin to be installed there next week. Satt. old Mrs. Alixander here. Just at night Cousin Cook from Western here—lodged. Came up to have her son christened. (Chester) 8 weeks old.

Sep. 26. Sun: Mr. Williams pr. Romans 7 v. 9: but I was alive etc.; and from 13 ver.: was then that which is good made death unto me etc. Cousin Cook left us Sunday morning. My Mother at meeting—tarried in town. Wednesday Mrs. Parsons from Amherst here just at night—Thursday after-noon went home. Just at night my Mother came home.

October 3. Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. 1st Peter 4 and 4. Wherein they think it strange etc.—and from Psalms 119 and 165. Great peace have they etc. Tuesday Mrs. Hop. here for a visit—came in the morning. Thankful and Betsy rode down with him, they going to make a visit at Brothers—they moved into their House Sep. 16. At night Mrs. Hop. returned. Thursday I brought the girls home. Fryday I at Dr. Porters store in the forenoon of an errand—in the afternoon Thankful, Dolly Warner and I went to Northampton for raspberries. Satt. I at Northampton at the shops—got silk for the girls gowns.

October 10. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st John 5 and 11. This is the record etc.—and Isaiah 19 and 22. And the Lord shall smite Egypt etc. This day Sacrament day. O Lord dont give me over to a worldly mood, be pleased Lord Jesus, to remember me with thy grace. Monday Mrs. Farr a visit here—the girls into Town of errands. Fryday Phebe Marsh of Hadley and Belinda Dickinson of Northfield here—Satt. went back again to Samuel Marshes.

October 17. Sun. Mr. West of Stockbridge pr. Acts 17 and 30, 31. And the time of this ignorance God winked at etc. Monday at Northampton to get satin for a cloak for my Mother. Mrs. Shepherd and I made a visit at Capt. Elijah Hunts. Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Hop. a visit here. She helped me cut out my Mothers cloak. Wednesday I attended the Funeral of Jonathan Cook, a young man died with the consumption. After the funeral went and spent the rest of the afternoon and eve at Brothers, the first visit I've made there since they moved into the new House. Mr. Phelps came in the eve. Thursday eve Porter came home well. Fryday Sister Dickinson came here. Satt. Mr. Phelps and I went with her to Hatfield by the Ferry. Polly tarried.

October 24. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. John 17 and 2. He hath given him power over all flesh etc.—and 2nd Cor. 5 and 11. Knowing therefore the terrors of the Lord etc. Wednesday went with the girls to get their gowns fixed. I stopt at General Porters—Mr. Hop & Mrs. there. Just about 9 in the evening Mr. Alixander came here—I went with him, found his sister Eunice in travel. She was delivered of a son about four in the morning. I came home about sunrise. About ten Mrs. Gaylord came here for a visit. In the after-noon Mr. Hop. & Mrs. here. In the Eve. Mr. Gaylord came. Fryday Dr. Cutlers two daughters here for a visit.

October 30. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Matt. 13 and 7. And some fell among thorns etc.—and 2d Cor. 8 and 12. To what a man hath etc. Tuesday Fanny Lyman here—Jonathan Porter and Moses, John Hopkins in the Eve.—all here to see our Porter. Wednesday Mr. Phelps and Betsy at Northampton—Thankful and Fanny at Mr. Gaylords—Betsy met 'em there when she came back. Thursday morning Porter set out for Cambridge—O that I might be prepared for whatever events are to take place concerning him—if infinite wisdom sees best that his conduct should be disagreeable and bad, may I (and all of us) be submissive. Lord of mercy, have him with thee! Thursday Submit Gaylord here. Just at night Fanny went home. Polly Cooley went home this day. Fryday made the Pillion clothes. Satt. we made almost 6 hundred candles.

Nov. 7. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Cor. 9 and 24. Know ye not that they which run in a race run all etc. Monday just at Eve. went to the Generals, made a visit. Wednesday the girls a visit at Dr. Porters. Thursday just at night Mr. Hop. & Mrs. & Mr. White of Boston here, spent the Eve. Fryday a visit at Judge Porters.

Novem. 14. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Jeremiah 26 and 3. If so be they will hearken and turn etc.—and from Job 9 and 2. I know it is so of a truth etc. This a week

of storm—never dried the cloathes till Sat.. Judge Porter and wife a visit here Fryday. Satt. I into town of errands as far as Joel Kelloggs.

Nov. 21. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 19 and 38. Saying blessed be the King etc.—and from Luke 8 and 18. Take heed therefore how ye hear. Thursday Thanksgivingday. Mr. Hop. pr. Revelations 7 and 12. Saying Amen. Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be unto our God forever and ever Amen. Thankful and Betsy into town in the Eve., and Lucy at Mr. Alixanders. (Mr. Phelps and I a visit there last Sunday Eve.) Fryday Lucy up at the mills at Caleb Smiths—the girls got home this night. This day forty-three years old—thus I pass on the Journey of Life—still I find thy mercies often new before me, and still I need and ask thy Blessing. O may I find communion with God in all his providences—always quiet and submissive—always doing my duty to all in the station I am in—and may I ever find thee a present help in time of need for Jesus sake Amen. In the Eve. Brother Phelps came here. Satt. Morn out to Belcher.

Nov. 28. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Lamentations 3 and 22. They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness—and from Matt. 8 and 22. But Jesus said unto him follow me. Monday Brother came back and went homeward. Just at Eve. Major Porters wife, her two sons and their wives all a visit here. Tuesday I at Mr. Gaylords before Dinner. In the after-noon we at Mr. Hop.—Mr. Greene[?] and Hannah Lyman there. This day Lucy and Dolly went home—Mr. Phelps carried 'em. Satt. John Hop. brought 'em back.

December 5. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. John 10 and 15. And I lay down my life for the sheep.—and John 12, 42 and 43. Nevertheless many of the rulers believed on him etc. Sacrament day—dear Lord remember me with a blessing. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman a visit here. Mr. Phelps at Northampton—fetched over Cousin Experience Parsons to make cloathes for the boys. Thursday Mrs. Hop. and Mrs. Gaylord here—soon Brother Warner and sister came. Mr. Gaylord in eve-g. Fryday Coll. Mattoon and wife in here a few minutes just at night. Satt. Mr. Phelps carried Cousin Prene back.

December 12. Sun. Every one of the family tarried at home the fore-noon—very stormy. Heard much from Mr. Flavel. Wednesday killed hogs—3. Fryday made sausages—Mr. Worthington here, he has not been here since his wife died before, she died last January. Mr. Hop. a visit here.

Dec. 19. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Matt. 13 and 45. For the Kingdom of Heaven is like unto a merchant seeking goodly pearls—and from Romans 2 and 5. But after thy hard and impenitent heart etc. Monday just at night Mr. Phelps and I sent for to Mr. Hopkins—Mr. Lyman and wife there. Fryday attended the funeral of young Moses Kelloggs wife (she was Betsy Newton) it was at the meeting house. Mrs. Gaylord and I spent the Eve. at General Porters—she low. Thursday Esq. Henshaw of Northampton and Lady, and Capt. Lane in here a few moments. Fryday Mitte Gaylord and Polly Williams here—Mr. Phelps and I spent the Eve. at Mr. Gaylords—Mitte home.

Decem. 26. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 5 and 7. Yet man is born unto trouble etc.—and from Job 36 and 18. Because there is wrath beware etc. Polly went down to meeting with us. Monday morning just at break of day Mr. Phelps and I set out for Boston—got to Worcester before sunset. Lodged at Mr. Austins—set out there Tuesday morning, got to Cambridge about 3. Drank tea with Porter in his chamber, then went in to Boston, put up at Mrs. Grays. Wednesday Porter came to Boston, we all went over to Cambridge that night, we lodged at Miss Bradishes. Thursday came homeward to Spencer—lodged at Masons. Fryday got home—all well. Great is Gods goodness—O add the great mercy of causing me to be truly thankful. Satt. very stormy.

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January 2, 1791. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. *Eclési* 8 and 15. The life which God giveth thee under the sun—a new years sermon. Monday Mr. Phelps Porter and I round by Northampton (upon business) up to Hatfield, made a visit at Mr. Lymans. Tuesday Mr. Phelps went as deligate with Mr. Hop. to South Hadley to counsel. Just at eve. Mr. Sacket and wife from Westfield (she was Olive Dean) came here. Wednesday morning left. Thursday Mr. Phelps got home. Fryday Landlady Smith here from the Mills.

January 9. Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. *Coll.* 3 and 4. When Christ who is our life shall appear etc. Tuesday Esq. Henshaw, Capt. Hunt, Dr. Shepherd, Quartis Pomeroy and their wives all spent the afternoon and evening here. Wednesday I a visit at Judge Porters. Thursday a visit at Brother Warners. Fryday Brother Warner and Sister came here—Mr. Phelps and I went with them out to Brother Dickinsons.

Jan. 16. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. *2d Cor.* 7 and 9. But I rejoice not that ye were made sorry etc. Tuesday I a visit at General Porters. Thursday Capt. Porter and wife a visit here—this evening Thankful and Betsy joined the singing school. Fryday John Hopkins a visit here.

Jan. 23. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. *Acts* 24 and 16. Herein do I exercise myself to have always, etc.—and from *2d Croni.* 16 v. 7 & 8. Then Hanani the seer came to Asa etc. Monday Mr. Hop. and wife a visit here. Tuesday Mr. Lyman and wife a visit here. Wednesday Mr. Gaylord and wife a visit here. Thursday Mr. Hop. and wife, Mr. Phelps and I a visit at Dr. Colmans at Amherst. Fryday Brother Warners children and ours a visit at Brother Dickinsons.

Jan. 30. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. *Revelations* 15 and 3. Great and marvelous etc. Tuesday Brother Dickinson and sister and Clarry Belding a visit here. Wednesday Moses Porter, John Hop., Lucy and Betsy Hopkins and Delia Dwight all a visit here. Thursday a visit at Esq. Bricks. Mrs. Shepherd there in the evening. Fryday Judge Porter and wife a visit here.

Feb. 6. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. the above *Revelations*, spoke of the Marvellous work of Redemption. Sacrament day—oh may I always live humble, may I have a better good than the things of this world, may I feed upon the hidden manna. Monday just after day light, Porter, Muers and Lemuel Brown set out for Boston with two sleighs. Wednesday Mr. Isaac Williams from Norwich here before noon—Thursday morning set out for New Marlborough. Fryday Mrs. Hop., Mrs. Gaylord and Mrs. Hubbard from Brookfield dined here. Just at night Mr. Parsons and wife here—soon Mr. Gaylord and Mr. Hop. all spent the evening here.

Feb. 13. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. *Romans* 12 and 9. Let love be without dissimulation and from *Ephesians* 4 and 31. Let all bitterness and wrath etc. This day about noon Muers and Lem got home—left Porter at Cambridge Fryday just before night; may I ask for a blessing from the Lord to attend him. Tuesday Uncle Phelps from Westfield and wife, Capt. Lane and his sister and Mrs. Partridge came here fore-noon, left us just before night. Mr. Lyman and wife came here soon after dinner, tarried awhile, then went on to Mr. Parsons—we went as soon as our company left us—when we got home found Mr. Dickinson and wife from Northfield here—Wednesday morn they left us. In the afternoon John Hop. here. I went with him to help quilt. Thursday a visit at Dr. Porters. Fryday Brother Warner and sister, Mr. Phelps and I a visit at Capt. Lanes, Northampton.

Feb. 20. Sun. Mr. Olcott pr. *1st John* 5 and 19. And the whole world lieth in wickedness—and from *Ephesians* 6 and 18. Praying with all prayer. Thursday Mrs. Catling of Deerfield and her son Bodwell and daughter, Mrs. Stockbridge here with 'em. Capt. Isaac Williams got back from New Marlborough—Fryday morning left us. Mr. Phelps and I, Thankful and Betsy set out early this morn, got up to Uncle Allens of Greenfield about noon—lodged there. Satt. set out, dined at Mrs. Catlings, Deerfield, got home before night.

Feb. 27. Sun. Mr. Hop. *Psalm* [blank] Tuesday Mr. Azariah Dickinson and wife, Mr. Phelps and I a visit at Dr. Cutlers, Amherst—we went to the school in

the evening to hear 'em sing. Wednesday Eve. Mr. Hubbard and wife and Betsy Hop. came here, lodged. Thursday left us soon after dinner. Fryday attended the funeral of General Porters wife—she died Wednesday night 10 o'clock. May God grant me to get good by this providence—as my friends and acquaintances drop off may I learn wisdom. The funeral attended at the meeting-house—sang a hymn—a large collection of people. Satt. at the Generals with Mrs. Hop. and Judge Porters wife to help divide Mrs. Porters cloathes. Just in to see Ensign Hubbard he is very poorly.

March 6. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. I Peter 1 and 19. who without respect of persons etc.—and Proverbs the grave saith not it is enough. Monday Mr. Phelps and I and the two girls at Amherst to singing lecture—Mr. Parsons pr. Psalms 47, 6 and 7. Sing praises unto the Lord sing etc. We drank tea at Mr. Parsons—the girls at Dr. Cutlers—Old Mrs. Parsons came home with us. Tuesday Judge Porter and wife a visit here. Wednesday met Sister Warner at Seth Smiths—Mrs. Parsons went with us—made a visit at Judge Porters.

March 13. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. II Sam'l, 18 and 5. Deal gently for my sake with the young man, even with Absolom. Shewed the great parental eflection of parents to their children. And from 1st Kings 10 and 9. Because the Lord loved Israel etc. Mrs. Parsons and my mother tarried at Mr. Hop. Sunday night after meeting. Monday just at night Thankful and Betsy went to Brother Warners to spend the week—the riding so bad they cannot get to singing school from here very well. Wednesday Mr. Parsons of Amherst here for his mother—went into town after her. Thursday Mr. Phelps went to Northampton to his Grandmother Lymans Funeral; Fryday in the fore-noon got home; the ice shut up so he did not get home that night. This Eve the girls got home.

March 20. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Deuteronomy 32 and 46. Set your hearts unto all the words etc. Spoke of the duty of parents unto their children. Tuesday I a visit at Brothers. Wednesday just at night Dolly Warner here; she and Thankful and Betsy went down to singing school. Thursday Mr. Phelps and I dined at Mr. Gaylords, spent the afternoon. Judge Porters wife and Delia Dwight there in the after-noon. Fryday Eve the girls got home—they stayed at Mr. Gaylords. Mr. Hopkins brought my mother home last Monday morning.

March 27. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. the above Deuteronomy. Monday a visit Mr. Shipmans—the girls down into town. Tuesday a visit at Mr. Lymans Hatfield. Wednesday Eve. the girls got home. Thursday Fast day Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 14 and 17. Nevertheless he left not himself without witness etc.—the girls tarried to school. Fryday met Mrs. Gaylord and Miss Lucy Hop. at Mr. Hodges—we made a visit there—the girls got home this Eve—sometimes they tarried at Mr. Hop., sometimes at Chilliab Smiths. Satt. made candles.

April 3. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Romans 3 and 24. Being justified freely etc.—and from 2d Kings 18 and 6. But he clave to the Lord, etc. This day Sacrament day. Oh that I might cleave to the Lord. Monday the girls down to school just at Eve; I carried Betsy as far as Mr. Shipmans—they lodged there; Tuesday night home; Wednesday we finished making soap. Thursday singing lecture; Mr. Parsons pr. the same sermon he did at Amherst last month. Mr. Phelps and I drank tea at Mr. Hop. Fryday we sent for old Mrs. Alixander; my mother has been poorly some days; supponse she has the shingles. This day one Widow Debel from Amherst came here with a boy Reuben about five years old to have us take him. She left him. Satt. I at Mr. Joel Kelloggs, did some errands.

Ap. 10. Sund. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 119 and 34 (?) The earth is full of his goodness. Monday Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here. Wednesday a visit at Eleazer Porters Thursday Becca Dickinson a visit here, tarried all night. Fryday morning she and I set out for visiting, got to Brother Warners to dinner. Sister and Mrs. Hop. spent the afternoon at Mrs. Gaylords with us; I left her at the ferry.

April 17. Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. Phillipians 4 and 11. I have learned in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content. Monday Mr. Hop. and Mrs. in here a few moments, going up to the mill of errands. Tuesday Lucy home. Dr. Porters wife a visit here; just at night the Dr., Jonathan and Delia Dwight here. Wednesday the girls went to Hatfield to visit at Mr. Lymans. Thursday Mrs. Gaylord and Lucy Hop. here fore-noon. Mr. Gaylord and Mr. Davenport here a visit. About 4

Porter got home—a fresh experience of Gods goodness. Fryday I out to Brother Dickinsons, carried Polly home—she has been here ever since last January. Satt. at Dr. Porters store to get some tee cloath in the fore noon.

Ap. 24. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Mark 1 and 35. And rising up a great while etc. Monday just at night Sister Warner came here—tarried till Thursday to wean her babe, Oliver; then Brother came for her. The girls at Brothers Wednesday to see how the child got along. Fryday Mr. Hop. and Mrs. a visit here.

May 1. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 112 1st ver. Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord—and from Ezekiel. Monday one Willard from Northampton dined here with Porter. Tuesday Lucy Marshals sister and her daughter Day drank tea here. Just at night one Mr. Strongs sons of Amherst and Tucker, Porters class-mate, here; lodged. Wednesday morning left us—Porter with 'em—for colledge. May we all be prepared for the dispositions of infinite wisdom. Thursday had a very sick after-noon. Fryday much better—a visit Dr. Porters. Judges Lady and Mrs. Hop. there. Satt. the girls into town of errands.

May 8. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 68. Father of the fatherless and judge of the widows is God in his holy habitation—and from Job 17 and 4. Mr. Edmond Hubbard buried. Tuesday Dolly Warner came here. Wednesday I a short visit at Mr. Gaylords. Thursday Mrs. Strong and Mrs. Cutler, young Mr. Strong and Sally Parsons all a visit here from Amherst. Satt. Dolly went home.

May 15. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Jeremiah. Spoke respecting the duty of kindness to beast. Monday Mrs. Shipman a visit here. Fryday I a visit at Mr. Hop. Satt. Sally Parsons here of an errand.

May 22. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 30 and 8. Give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with food convenient for me. Monday morning Mr. Phelps set out for Boston, member of the General Court. Thursday I carried the girls to Dr. Cutlers at Amherst. Fryday Becca Dickinson here in the morning; in the afternoon she and I rode into town, she crossed at Hadley ferry. Satt. I went brought the girls home.

May 29. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 13 and 26. To you is the word of this salvation sent;—and from Ephe. 1 and 18. That ye may know etc. This day after meeting the funeral of Mr. Jonathan Dickinson was attended at the meeting house. Tuesday Mrs. Hop. here in the morning; Mr. Hop. drank tea here. Submit Gaylord here to stay. Fryday Betsy Hop and Jerusha Leonard (from Sunderland who lives at Mr. Gaylords keeping school) here. Satt. Mitty home.

June 5. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Leviticus 18 and 4. Ye shall do my judgments and keep my ordinances to walk therein;—and from Romans 6 and 21. For the end of these things is death. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman a visit here a little before night; the two Mrs. Parsonses from Amherst here, drank tea. Wednesday Mrs. Hop. and Mrs. Gaylord here. Thursday Betsy and I attended the lecture before Sacrament; Mr. Hop. pr. [blank] Satt. about 3 my welcome husband came home; we have never been absent from each other so long since we were married. May all things work for good to us as it does to them that love God. Brother Warner and Sister a short visit here.

June 12. Sun. Mr. Hop. Pr. Romans 1 and 3. and Ezekiel 36 and 26. A new heart also will I give you etc. Sacrament. Lord how stupid, but how thankful for some feelings since meeting; I hope tis the spirit of God; oh that it might abide with me and dwell in me for Jesus sake. Tuesday General Porter and Capt. Sam'll and wife and Mrs. Gaylord here a visit. Wednesday Mr. Lyman and Mrs. from Hatfield. This day 21 years since we married, Lord bless us. Thursday I into town of errands—Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here. Fryday Mr. Phelps and I at Northampton to get some things, drank tea at Dr. Shepherds. Satt. at Mrs. Smiths to get a new black gown made.

June 19. Sun. Mr. Williams of Leveret pr. Psalm 126 and 5. They that so in tears shall reap in joy;—and Matt. 15 and 25. Then came she and worshipped him saying Lord help me. Tuesday the girls went to have their muslin gowns made. Thursday down after them.

June 26. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 59 last ver. God is my defence and the God of my mercies. And from Matt. 4 and 20. And they straightway left their nets and followed him. Monday Mr. Phelps just rode into town, drank tea at Mr. Hop.

Tuesday Mr. Phelps and Betsy set out for Worcester for her to tarry at Mr. Austins. Wednesday Mr. Phelps got home. Thursday made a short visit at Mr. Alixanders. Fryday a visit at Mr. Shipmans. Satt. Mrs. Shipman here a little while. Last Tuesday Fanny Lyman of Hatfield and Hepzibah Dickinson a visit here.

July 3. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Jeremiah 8 and 9. They have rejected the word of the Lord etc. And from 2d Peter 2 ch. 24 ver. That we being dead unto sin should live unto righteousness. Monday just at night Mr. Jeremiah Williams and his mother here from Norwich (Brother Johns mother). Tuesday Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here. Wednesday our friends the Williams left us in the morning; in the afternoon Deacon Lyman, Mr. Phelps uncle, came here. Just at night Mr. Phelps and I at Mr. Gaylords; he poorly. Thursday early Mr. Lyman left us; in the after-noon Dr. Porter and wife a visit here.

July 10. Mr. Hop. pr. Phillippians 2 and 9. Wherefore God hath highly exalted him etc. Monday just at night Mr. Phelps and I rode as far as Brothers. Tuesday old Mrs. Parsons of Amherst came here from Hatfield. Fryday she and I rode as far as Brothers in the fore-noon, she at the shops; in the after-noon Sally came for her. Mr. Hop. and wife visit here.

July 17. Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. John 5 and 28, 29. Marvel not at this for the hour is coming etc. Monday attended the funeral of Mr. Farr at the meetinghouse. Lucy and Thankful too. Drank tea at Mr. Hop. Tuesday into town of arrands, made a stay at Mr. Kelloggs; drank tea at Mr. Shipmans. Easter and Susanna Cutler and Lucretia Gunall from Amherst here. Wednesday Thankful and they at Mr. Walkers; back at night. Thursday the Cutlers went to Mr. Dickinsons before noon; in the after-noon Thankful and Lucretia and they all went to Mr. Gaylords; at night they went to Amherst, Thankful home. Fryday old Mr. Hodge and wife a visit here. Satt. General Porter brought Betsy home, all well. May I have an eye upon Providence, great is Gods goodness. Harvest week comes in pretty well, thanks be to God.

July 24. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 90. They are soon cut off and they fly away;—and from Job 34 and 10. Monday Mr. Azariah Dickinson wife and daughter Hodge here, Mr. Dick. here to drink tea. Tuesday Lucretia Smith here, Mr. Gaylord and Mrs. here, he poorly. I rode into town of arrands when they left us; when I got home found Porter at home—oh most great and good God, how earnestly we desire that our children may do well—but why ours? why ours? Don't let me depend upon anything here; just will it be tho' ours prove great trials, Lord I leave 'em all with thee. Wednesday at Mrs. Smiths to have my dark chintze altered. Thursday Mrs. Strong and her two daughters visit here. Satt. Porter and Thankful out to Amherst.

July 31. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Matt. 25 and 19. After a long time the Lord of those servants cometh etc.—and Mark 1 and 15. Repent ye and believe the Gospel etc. Monday Porter carried Thankful and Betsy to Amherst to live at Dr. Cutlers to go to school; in the after-noon he and I at Northampton, came directly back. Tuesday he and I rode out to carry the girls some cloathes; got back about one. In the after-noon sister Warner and Nancy Hubbard here. Mrs. Hop. Mrs. Gaylord. Thursday Judge Porter and wife, Mr. Tappan and wife from Northampton here; one Mr. Lyman from Southampton lodged here. Fryday a very rainy day, the first for a long time; has been a very dry summer. Satt. Porter brought the girls home.

August 7. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 23 and 33. And when they were come to the place, there they crucified him etc.—and from John 15 and 10. If ye keep my commandments ye shall abide in my love. Sacrament day. Lord may I live to thee. Monday I a visit at Mr. Lymans Hatfield (the girls to Amherst). Wednesday Mrs. Hop. a visit here to my mother; Mr. Hop. gone up to the school above here to examine it. Mr. Tappan and wife came here, Mr. Phelps and I went with 'em to Dr. Cutlers and returned at night. Thursday Mr. Lyman and wife and one Grozet who lives there over here for a visit. Just at night young Strong and Harris, the school-master at Amherst, here—Fryday morning left us. In the after-noon Porter went for the girls. Major Price, John Hop., Sam'l Gaylord, Lucy Hop., Jerusha Leonard, Mitty Gaylord all came; soon one Ely, Sally Parsons and Clarry Dwight came; all left us at night. Satt. the girls went to Hatfield. Just at night Betsy home.

August 14. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Daniel 4 and 35. And he doeth according to his

will etc.—and Thessalonians 1st Epis. 1 and 3. Remembering etc. Sunday at night Thankful came home. Monday morn the girls to school; in the after-noon Mr. Phelps and I at Mr. Gaylords; Mr. Hop., Judge Porter and wives drank tea with us there. Tuesday just at night at Mr. Shipmans. Wednesday Mr. Phelps at Northampton to a reference. Thursday wedding, Lydia Hibbard married to Erastus Smith. Almost our whole family at weding. I at Brother Warners. Just at night Mr. Phelps came there from Northampton (gone last night); we came home together. Fryday Porter set out for Cambridge, he is out of colledge but is gone to study there; in the after-noon Mr. Phelps and I at Judge Porters, found they had young company coming, we went on to Mr. Hop. Mrs. Gaylord drank tea with us. Satt. the girls home. Old Mrs. Alixander here.

August 21. Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Collos. 3 ch. 1 and 2. If ye then be risen with Christ etc. And 1st John 5 and 4. This is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith. Monday Brother Warner and Sister here just at night to eat water-million. Tuesday Mr. Hop. and Mrs. here. Wednesday a visit Judge Porters; Mrs. Dwight over; Mrs. Hop. Sister Warner there. Fryday at Hatfield lecture; Mr. Wells pr. Exodus 3 and 3. And Moses said I will now turn aside and see etc. After meting, Becca and Captain Billings wife and I made a visit Leaut. Partridges, Mr. Phelps over just at night. Satt. the girls home, I a visit Mr. Joels.

Aug. 28, Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 23 and 4. Labour not to be rich, cease from thine own wisdom;—and from 1st Peter 5 and 8. Be sober, be vigilant, Because your adversary the devil as a roaring lion walketh about seeking whom he may devour. Monday Mrs. Catling here (she was Silence Bartlett). Tuesday just at night the girls home; they went Monday. Mr. Phelps and I at Mr. Walkers; Amy Coit married to Moses Porter; had a pretty small weding. Wednesday Mr. Phelps and I dined at Judge Porters with a number of others; just at night the young people came, our girls too. Thursday Judge Porter and wife, Capt. Norton and wife, Capt. Hills and wife, Dr. Porter and wife and Eleazer Porters wife all here. Mr. Norton and Hills and wives tarried. Fryday after-noon Mr. Phelps and I went with them to Mr. Gaylords. Satt: the girls home; they went last Fryday. Old Mrs. Alixander here.

Sep. 4. Sun. Mr. Phelps and I at Amherst (Mr. Hop. and wife gone to Boston). Mr. Wells of Whatley pr. from John 8 and 56. Your father Abraham rejoiced to see my day etc.—and from Exodus 3 and 3. And Moses said I will etc. Monday just at night Mr. Gaylord and wife a visit here. Wednesday Mr. Parsons of Amherst and wife and her sister Easter, Dr. Cutler and wife visit here. Thursday Mr. Phelps at Northampton Court; I a visit at Uncle Parsonses. Friday a visit at Captain Billings, Hatfield; Becca there, Pamela Partridge, Mrs. White. At night Porter got home; young Ely dined here; they set out for Newhaven four oclock. Satt. the girls home, they went Monday.

Sept. 11. Sun. No minister Deacon Smith did ail read from the 1st Psalra [blank] In the afternoon [blank] We see through a glass darkly Monday the girls did not go to Amherst. Tuesday Mr. Phelps and Thankful out; Training day there; Lucy and Betsy over to Brother Dickinsons. Wednesday Betsy out to school. Mr. Phelps and I a short visit at Brothers. Fryday I into town, the back-street. of arrands. Satt. the girls home; Thankful badly poisoned, face awfully sweld. In the eve Porter got home.

Sept. 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 15 and 16. How abominable and filthy is man etc.—and from Jeremiah 26 and 3. If so be they will hearken etc. Monday I a visit at Mr. Hop. Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Hop. here. Thursday I a visit Dr. Porters. Jerusha Leonard and Mitty Gaylord visit here. Fryday Mrs. Shipman here to make her Bonnet. This morning Porter set out for Cambridge—may I be ever fitted for events. Dolly Warner here; the girls did not go to school this week; Thankful poisoned.

Sept. 25. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 139 and 17. How precious are thy thoughts etc.—and 1st Peter 4 and 3. For the time past etc. Monday the girls to school. Tuesday Mr. Phelps set out for Greenfield and Ashfield. Wednesday at night got home. Thursday Mr. Gaylord here; we went to Hatfield to see Becca; she not at home; tarried there some time alone, then went to Mr. Lymans. Satt. the girls home, then at Brothers.

October 2. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Hosea 13 and 6. According to their pasture etc. And from [blank] take heed how ye hear Tuesday the girls out to Amherst to school. Wednesday visit at Brother Warners; Mrs. Hop., Mrs. Gaylord. Thursday lecture; Mr. Williams pr. Psalm 45. All thy garments smell of myrrh etc. At Brothers; sister poorly. Fryday Mr. Hop. and Mrs. dined here; Mr. pr. sermon up at the houses above here. Satt. the girls home, at Mr. Gaylords.

October 9. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 1 and 69. And hath raised up an horn of salvation etc.—and from Isaiah 51 and 6. Lift up your eyes to the heavens and see etc.—but my righteousness shall be forever etc. At the table of the Lord again; if I've had one serious impression, thanks be to God, all good is from the Lord; may I partake of mercy for Jesus sake. Monday morn the girls at school. Thursday Lucy out to her fathers; at night Dolly here before 9; Lucy home; Fryday morning Dolly home. In the after-noon Mr. Phelps and I at Brother Dickinsons. Satt. the girls home. I down the back-street of errands; stayed at Brothers a little while.

Oct. 16. Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. Luke 11 and 2. Thy will be done as in heaven so in earth. In the Eve Mrs. Alixander Mrs. Dean here; Mrs. Dean tarried; Monday morn the girls to school; after-noon Mrs. Dean left us. Tuesday Patty Church and Hannah Lyman here. Wednesday Sister Dick. here; some cousin Hubbards here from Eastbury. Just at night Mr. Root and wife from Montague here; lodged. Dr. Ketteridge lodged here. Thursday Mr. Root and wife left us before dinner. Soon Sister Warner came; Fryday just at night I carried her home. Satt. the girls home, then into town.

October 23. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 24 and 9. The thought of foolishness is sin;—and from Matt. 5 and 9. Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God. Monday the girls to school. Mrs. Debel here. Wednesday attended a lecture preached by Mr. Williams of Brimfield (at Mrs. Wallis's; she baptized and her children four, she being to appearance far gone in a consumption). 1st Thessi. 5 ch. first verse. But of the times etc. Then went to Judge Porters with a number of others, Mrs. Williams of Pomfret being there. Thursday Mr. Solomon Cooks wife here to fix Reuben some cloathes. Fryday Mr. Phelps and I at Northampton upon business. Satt. the girls home, Mr. Lyman of Hatfield here a few moments. Mrs. Alixander here of an errand.

Oct. 30. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Gen. 17 and 7. And I will establish my covenants etc. Monday the girls to school exhibition this day. Mr. Hop. and wife (Mr. Phelps brought Mrs. Williams), Judge Porter and wife here; all left us but Williams. Wednesday just at night Judge Porter and Delia Dwight just in here coming from Deerfield. Thursday morn Mrs. Williams left us. Fryday Jonathan Porter, Delia Dwight, Moses Porter and new wife and Mrs. Selden (she was Linda Colt) here; the girls came home, spent the evening with them. Brother Phelps came. Satt. the girls at Mrs. Gaylords to see Mrs. Williams.

Nov. 6. Sun. Mr. Williams, Northampton, pr. Acts 16 and 28. But Paul cried with a loud voice saying do thyself no harm;—and from John 5 and 40. And ye will not come to me that ye might have life. Monday the girls to school. Wednesday Mr. Brown and wife a visit here. Thursday Mrs. Alixander here. Satt. Betsy home. Lemuel Brown left us; he came a year last spring. Brother Phelps left us last Monday.

Nov. 13. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 5 and 6, 7. Although afflictions spring not forth of the dust etc.—and Psalm 90 and 10. But are soon cut off and they fly away. Tuesday Betty into town of errands. Wednesday Thankful home. Thursday Thanksgiving; Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 71 and 18. Now also when I am old and grey-headed O God forsake me not. Tuesday at Mr. Gaylords, then attended the funeral of Mrs. Wallis at the meeting-house. Mrs. Gaylord and I at Mr. Hop. and Mr. Phelps spent the eve.

Nov. 20. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 2d Chronicles 36 and 13. But he stiffened his neck and hardened his heart from turning unto the Lord God of Israel. Monday morn the girls out to school. A little flight of snow, all melted by Tuesday morn. Mr. Hop. and Mrs. a visit here. Wednesday Mr. Phelps and I at Northampton to get some things, the girls surtouts etc.; got back to Brother Warners before dark, spent the eve there. This day a peculiar one; very bad crossing the river; much ice; very bad riding and a load upon my mind which I think I may say I committed

unto the disposition of providence and all is well; 'tis sweet, submitting to the will of God. Thursday just at night Mr. Worthington and his son Amasa here, lodged; he married last winter. Fryday Mrs. Gaylord visit here, Mr. Gaylord here in the Eve. Satt. the girls home; this day forty-four years old. 'Tis of the Lords mercy—'tis good to both hope and wait upon God—may I love God more and serve him better for Jesus sake Amen.

Nov. 27. Mr. Williston pr. Ezekiel 36 and 26. And I will take away the heart of stone. Monday Thankful at Hatfield for Miss Becca to fix her gown. Pene Parsons of Northampton here to make the girls surtouts. Mrs. Shipman a visit here. Tuesday Betsy went over and Thankful came home. General Porter and his daughter, Capt. Porters wife and three children a visit here. At eve Betsy home. Wednesday finished taylouring here; John Hopkins carried Pene to their house in the Eve. Thursday the girls at school. Dolly Marshall here, lodged. Fryday the Assessors here making rates. Satt. here again; the girls home.

December 4. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Revelations 5 and 9. For thou wast slain etc. And 1st John 4 and 9. In this was etc. Have enjoyed another communion; Lord that every day might be a day of communion with the Lord Jesus. Monday the girls to school. Mrs. Alixander here. Tuesday I a visit at Mr. Shipmans; Capt. Kelloggs wife there. Wednesday Mrs. Peice here. Thursday visit Mr. Gaylords. Satt. the girls home.

Decem. 11. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Numbers 14 and 20. And the Lord said I have pardoned according to thy word. Tuesday the girls to Amherst. Thursday Lucy Marshall left us, took all her things. She has been here between 8 and 9 years. Fryday Eve. Susanna Whipple (not 18) with her babe about 6 weeks old came here to live. O Lord may we be comforts to one another. Satt. Landlady Smith a visit here; the girls home.

Decem. 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Genesis 17 and 1. And when Abraham was ninety years old etc. Monday the girls to school. Satt. home.

December 25. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Revelations 11 and 18. And the nations were angry etc.—and from Psalms. The funeral of old Mr. Jonathan Warner attended this day at the meetinghouse. Monday Mr. Hop. and wife, Judge Porter and wife, General Porter, Mr. Gaylord and wife, Capt. Porter and wife dined here; spent the after-noon and eve, all except General Porter and Capt. and wife. Tuesday morn the girls to school. Mr. Phelps and I a little visit at Brothers. Wednesday eve I a visit at Mrs. Newtons. Thursday Mr. Hop. and wife, Mr. Phelps and I visit at Mr. Strongs, Amherst. Fryday killed hogs, 5. Satt. the girls home.

January 1, 1792. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Jeremiah 16, 11, 12, 13; and from [blank] one generation passeth away and another cometh but the earth abideth forever—New Years sermon. Monday Mours set out for Cambridge.

Tuesday at Mr. Smiths to have my old callico gown altered. Wednesday a visit Mr. Eleazer Porters. Thursday at Eve Mours got home, brought Porter bag and baggage. Fryday Brother Phelps came here and his two sons. Satt. morn left us. Made sausages. The girls home (went to Amherst with Mours Monday last).

Jan. 8. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Joshua 23 and 11. Take good heed etc.—and Acts 24 and 16. And herein do I exercise myself etc. Monday the girls to school. Just at night Mr. Hop. and wife, Mr. Lyman and wife visit here. Tuesday Brother Warner and wife, Capt. Dickinson and wife, Seth Smith and wife visit here. Satt. the girls home.

Jan. 15. Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Proverbs 22 and 23. His own iniquities shall take the wicked etc.—and Luke 23 and 42. And he said unto Jesus Lord remember me when thou comest into thy Kingdom. Monday Brother Warner and sister, Mr. Phelps and I a visit Brother Dickinsons; John Hopkins, Lucy and others visit here. Tuesday morning Mr. Phelps and Porter set out for Boston, Mr. Phelps to attend the General Court; Porter designs for Newburyport. The same hands they are still in that I have ever had the comfort of committing them to; there I leave them, there I find them; thanks be to God that I can do it with so much satisfaction and joy; may I be more and more humble. Tuesday morn the girls to school. Wednesday old Mrs. Alixander a visit here. Satt. the girls home and Suky Cutler with 'em.

Jan. 22. Sun. Mr. Lazel pr. Hebrews 11 and 1. Faith is the etc.—and from Matt. 22 and 42. What think ye of Christ. Very zealous preacher. Monday the girls out

to school. Wednesday Eve at Mr. Hop. to see Mrs. Austin. Satt. Becca Dickinson visit here; the girls home.

Jan. 29. Sun. Mr. Beccus pr. Proverbs 23 and 17. Be thou in the fear of the Lord all the day long—and from Ecclesiastes 12 and 7. And the dust return to the earth as it was and the spirit return unto God who gave it. Monday sister Dickinson here and three children; in the eve-g I went with her to Brother Warners, spent the eve. She tarried. This morning the girls to school. Tuesday fore-noon Mrs. Hop., Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Gaylord here; in the eve Mr. Gaylord here. Mrs. Austin tarried and slept with me. Soon after dinner Mrs. Shipman and Mr. Chiliab Smiths wife came here for a visit. Mrs. Austin rode down in the sleigh that brought them. Mrs. Smith sent for home before tea; Mrs. Shipman tarried the eve-g. Thursday lecture before the Sacrament; Mr. Parsons pr. 1st Epistle John 2 and 6. He that saith he abideth in him, etc. I came directly home. Fryday Mr. David Billings wife and Capt. Billings wife and Becca Dickinson all a visit here; Capt. Billings here in the eve. Satt. the girls home.

Feb. 5. Sun. Mr. Austin pr. Luke 22 and 19. This do in remembrance of me—and Malachi 3 and 18. Then shall ye return and discern etc. Sacramentday—much have I heard this day to rouse this stupid frame; one look from a Saviour will do all. Lord Jesus, my poor children. Tuesday Mr. Hop. and wife, Mr. Austin and wife and Mrs. Colt (Polly Hop. that was) dined here. Mrs. Hibbard and Mrs. Congden came here in the fore-noon; was sent for home soon after dinner; they all left us before tea. Just at eve Mr. Phelps got home comfortable; may we see from whence our mercies come. Thursday a visit Northampton, Mr. Tappans; Mrs. Dwight there all the time. Fryday our girls and Dr. Cutlers came here; in the after-noon went to Mr. Tappans. I a visit at Mr. Lymans, Hatfield. The girls all to Amherst but Easter. Satt. she out with our folk; our girls home; they went Monday last.

Feb. 12. Sun. Mr. Beccus pr. Hebrews 3 and 12. Take heed Brethren lest be in any of you etc.—and John 3 and 19. And this is the condemnation etc. Monday a visit at Mr. Hop. to see Mrs. Colt; Mrs. Gaylord there and many others. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord came here just before dinner; as soon as we had done dinner Mr. Phelps, she and I set out for Mr. Marshalls; we stayed there, Mr. Phelps on to Leveret; soon back; we got home here just at dark. Mr. Gaylord came, spent the eve. Wednesday Dr. Cutler and wife dined here. We all a visit to Mr. Tappans. Satt. the girls home, went Monday.

Feb. 19. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. John 5 and 39. Search the Scriptures, for in them ye think ye have eternal life and they are they which testify of me. In the afternoon all to Hatfield; Mr. Lyman pr. Judges 18 and 27. And they smote them with the edge of the sword and burnt the city etc. Monday old Mrs. Peirce here all day. Thursday Mrs. Newton here in the morning. Just at night Eleazer Cook and wife from Western and their Mother Cook here; Mrs. Newton went home with 'em in the eve. Fryday Brother Dickinson and sister here; soon Judge Potter and wife, Dr. Porter and wife came; just as we had done supper Brother Warner and sister came; all left us in the eve. Satt. the girls home, went Monday.

Feb. 26. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. John 5 and 36, last part. For the work which the Father hath given me to finish etc. Tuesday morn the girls to school (Monday rained). Tuesday I into town to get taylouring done but Mrs. Smith could not attend, came home. Mr. Hop. and wife Capt. Porter and wife visit here. Wednesday went and got my tayloring done, new dark chintze gown, drank tea at Mr. Gaylords with Mr. Lyman and wife, Mr. Hop. and wife. Thursday set out for a visit at Mr. Parson's, Amherst; found them and a number of others at Dr. Cutlers; spent the Eve there. Fryday Lucy Marshal here. Just at night Mr. Phelps and I set out, took Mr. Hop., went to Capt. Lanes, met Mr. Lyman of Hatfield and wife and daughter there. Satt. the girls home.

March 3. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 19 and 11. For in keeping of them etc.—and 73 and 12. Behold these are the ungodly etc. Monday the girls to school. Tuesday visit to Mr. Parson's Amherst; Dr. Colman and wife and old Mrs. Parsons here. Eleazer Porter and wife all here visit when we were gone; found Mrs. Parsons here when we got home. Wednesday visit at Mr. Lymans; Mr. Parsons and wife there, and one Mr. Fowler of Westfield and Lady. Fryday Mrs. Hop. here in the fore-noon a good visit. Satt. Mrs. Parsons went home; the girls home.

March 11. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 1, 1 and 2. Proving the truth of the new testa-

ment. Monday the girls to school. Wednesday at Brother Warners in the morning; in the after-noon sister and I visit Mr. Goodmans; Mrs. Hop., Mrs. Gaylord and the widow Smith there—the gentlemen in the eve. Fryday Deacon Smith and Leaut. Nash here, making rates. Satt. the girls home.

March 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. still proving the truth of the Bible. Tuesday Mr. Phelps and I din'd at Mr. Gaylords; I spent the after-noon there. Wednesday visit Mr. Shipmans. Satt. the girls home, went Monday.

March 25. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Mark 2 and 17 and 3-10. For he had healed many insomuch that they pressed upon him etc. Monday the girls to school. Wednesday Mr. Hop., Leaut. Nash and Mr. Ball been up to see the school at the Mills; in here a few minutes. Thursday Fast-day; Mr. Hop., pr. Ecclesiastes 11 and 5. Even so thou knowest not the works of God who maketh all. Fryday eve the girls home. Satt. into town all day. Colman Cooks wife here upon business.

April 1. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Timothy 1st Epis. 1 ch. and 15 ver. This is a faithful saying etc.—and from 1st Epis. Peter 3 and 14. Sacrament day. Lord tis good to feel my dependance; keep me humbel for Jesus sake. Monday the girls to Amherst. Monday made soap. Tuesday finished; Mrs. Alixander here. Satt. the girls home.

April 8. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 6 and 24. Wo unto ye that are rich for ye have received your consolation—and Proverbs 23 and 17. Let not thy heart envy sinners but be thou in the fear of the Lord. Monday the girls to school. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Wednesday morn sister Warner here to help me cover the old bed-quilt; soon Mrs. Gaylord, Lucy and Betsy Hop.; the two last carried all night. Thursday we got it off, I carried 'em home. Satt. the girls home; I at Mr. Joels.

April 15. Sun. Mr. Williams pr. John 12 and 35. Then Jesus said unto them yet a little while is the light with you etc.—and from Isaiah 32 and 9. Rise up ye careless daughters etc. Monday the girls to school. Wednesday Mr. Hop. and wife visit here. Thursday I a visit Col. Porters. Fryday down the back-street of errands. Mrs. Shipman and I a visit at Capt. Kelloggs. Mrs. Hastings buried this day, she was Mr. Blacks daughter been married near one year, had a consumption. Satt. the girls home.

Apr 22 1792 Sun Mr. Hop. Job 7 & I spoke respecting the two deaths the week past. Monday the girls to school. I a visit at Judge Porters. Tuesday Pine and Betsy Gaylord here all day. Just at night Mrs. Newton here drank tea. Wednesday I a visit Mr. Hop. Satt. the girls home.

Apr 29 Sun Mr. Parsons pr. Psalm 89 & 48 Mr. Lyman buried this day. Monday the girls did not go to school. Mr. Abraham Billings here to white wash our house. Tuesday here again, in the afternoon the girls into town. Wednesday jest at night I into town of arrands, the girls home. Mitti Gaylord & Lucretia Smith with 'em. Thursday I spent the day at Mr. Gaylords. Fryday morn the girls, Mitti & Lucretia home. Soon Lucretia Colt & Dolly Warner came—in the afternoon Hannah & Fanny Lyman here Fanny tarried. This night Mr. Phelps done attending court in Northampton, he has been everday but Monday home every night. Satt jest at night Fanny left us & Betsy carried the town girls home.

May 6 Sun Mr. Emmons pr. Hebrews 11 & 32 & from 2 Peter 3 & 9 Monday the girls to school. Tuesday Mr. Emmons and wife, Mr. Hop. and wife & Mrs. Gaylord here. Mr. Lyman & wife from Hatfield here. Wednesday Susa washed all the chambers I the windows. Thursday Mr. Eleazar Porters wife rode up here with Mr. Joel Kelloggs wife who is poorly soon left us. Satt. made candles. The girls home.

May 13 Sun Mr. Amasa Cook pr. Proverbs 16 & 20. Psalm 51 & 13 Monday the girls to school. I a visit at brothers. Tuesday Dr. Cutlers wife a visit here. Thursday I a visit at Dr. Porters. Satt the girls home.

May 20 Sun President Stiles from New Haven pr. 1 Timothy 7 & 17 and from Matt 21 & 37. Spoke most sublimely. Monday the girls to school. Tuesday Susa into town carried the babe—been once before. Wednesday I went to General Porters to see Mrs. Hillhouse (she is come from Georgia is Gen porters daughter went six years next fall) found they were going to Eleazar Porters—I went. Thursday Capt Porters wife & Mr. Hillhouse here. Satt the girls home. Judge Porter and wife here a little while.

May 27 Sun. Mr. Smith, Jacobs brother pr. Proverbs 23 & 18 and Jer. 13 & 21

Monday the girls to school. Tuesday Sister Warner here to help me quilt, covered my mothers black coat. Wednesday here again. Fryday Mrs. Shipman and I visit at Brothers Mr. Seth Smiths & Mrs. Seldon, Jerusha Leonard there, When I got home found Porter come. Lord may mercies & troubles all keep me humble. My husband left us last Monday morning about 5 for Boston. Satt, the girls home.

June 3 Mr. Hop. pr. Luke we [sic] & 26 & from Psalm 42 & 1 Sacrement day Dear Lord may I be remembered with thy pardoning mercy & renewing grace. I think I feel a sweet dependence upon God for all that is needed for me and mine. Thursday the girls to school. Fryday Dr. Strong and Mr. Harris came Porter went with 'em to Hatfield. They came back and lodged here. Satt the girls home. Mr. Eleazar Porter brought here Mr. Joel Kellogg.

June 10 Mr Williams, Leveret, pr. Numbers 32 & 23 & from 1st Cor. 10 & 4. Monday the girls to school. Mrs. Shipman here a little while. Tuesday Genl Porter and Mrs. Hilhouse here a moment. He brought me a letter from Mr. Phelps. Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord here in the morning—a good visit. Porter set out for Newburyport early Monday morning last. Thursday I into town of arrands. Drank tea at Mr. Shipmans. Thursday this day 22 years married May I get good by Providence. Satt the girls home then a visit at Mr. Shipmans.

June 17 Sun. Mr. Hop pr Daniel 6 & 10 upon prayer, & Romans 3 & 23 Monday the girls to school—in the afternoon had Col Thompson of Bilrica and wife, Sally Phillips of Boston, Genl Porter & the Capt & wife Betsy Hop Sophia Worthington all here. Tuesday the widow Hubbard of Hatfield & Becca Dick here all day. Mrs. Shipman here in the after-noon. Fryday Mrs. Alexander visit here. Satt the girls home. About 4 my husband got home once more, all well, been gone one month into one day but thro the goodness of God we have all been comfortable.

June 24 1792 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Romans 6 & 21 & Job 7 & 7 Mrs. Gilbert buried this day. Monday the girls to school. Mr. Phelps and I a visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday we a visit Brother Dick. Wednesday Mrs. Hop. visit here all day. Our girls & two Cutlers & two Barrows here visit. Mr. Hop. here jest at night. Thursday Judge Porter and wife visit here. Fryday visit Mr. Gaylords. Satt the girls home, they a visit at Mr. Chilliab Smiths.

July 1st Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Hebrews 6 & 12 & Jeremiah 5, 23 Monday visit at Mr. Azariah Dickinsons. Mrs. Shipman met me there, Tuesday Mr. Phelps and I at Northampton upon business—got home about one o'clock. Wednesday Dr. Porter and wife here Mrs. Hop. & Mrs. Gaylord. Thursday I went alone made a visit Dr. Cutlers. Satt, the girls home. Went Monday they into town to get taylouring done. I jest at night to do arrands.

July 8 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 8 & 22 and Jeremiah 5 & 24. Monday the girls to school. Sister Dickinson visit here. Wednesday Susa's mother here, lodged. Thursday left us. In the afternoon I at Mr. Smiths to get my leaf chintz made. Satt the girls home. Thankful at Hatfield to get some Muslin, soon home. Betsy and she into town jest at night.

July 15 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr Psalm 119 & 173 ver. Monday after Dinner I went out with the girls. Soon home. Tuesday visit Mr. Seth Smiths Mrs Gaylord there. Wednesday Mr. & Mrs. Hop. short visit here. Satt the girls home (Fryday Suky & Thankful here a little while) Mrs. Alexander here of arrands Satt the girls home.

July 22 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Kings 11 & 28. Spoke most to the young. Monday morn the girls to school. Mr. Phelps & I rode into town jest at night. I a visit at General Porters to see Mrs. Hilhouse on Wednesday. Fryday Mrs. Dwight & Mrs. Butler from Northampton. Judge Porters wife & Mr. Butler here, soon Mrs. Shipman and Mr. Chilliab Smiths wife here a visit. Satt the girls home.

July 29 1792 Sun. Mr. Williams pr Psalm 16 & 1 & from Romans [blank] Monday noon, the girls to school. Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton. visit at Capt. Hunts, Dr. Sheppard & wife with us. Tuesday Mrs. Hilhouse here. Afternoon Mr. Eleazar Porter & wife here Wednesday afternoon I carried Mrs. Hilhouse to her fathers stoped a few moments at Dr. Porters a little while at Mr. Shipmans. Thursday visit Mr. Lymans Hatfield when we got home found Thankful & Betsy & Polly Barron. Lucy Marshall came jest at night, they left us early in the morning Lucy in the afternoon when Dolly came from town. Satt I very poorly in the morning got better in the afternoon Mr. Phelps and I rode into town called at Mr. Hop to see Mrs. White of Boston, down to Brothers then out to Dr. Cutlers (the girls dont come home) got home jest after sun-set.

Aug 5 Sun Mr. Hop pr Romans 8 & 16 & from Coll. 3 & 2 Sacrament day but rather stupid. O God forgive me and grant me thy grace for Jesus sake Amen. Monday before 10 o'clock Mr. Phelps & I set out for Amherst, to see the exhibition dined at Dr. Cutlers in the afternoon went to the meeting house, was entertained with a number of actors acting the confedericy. Drank tea at Mr. Parsons with General Porter & Mrs. White of Boston Lucy Hop, then home. Tuesday morn the girls came home to stay. may we be made comforts to one another—in the afternoon Mr. Hop & Mrs. Mrs White & her son and Lucy Hop all a visit here. Wednesday Dr. Porters wife here in forenoon stayed till night Fany Lyman from Hatfield here. Betsy carried her to get some taylouring done at Mrs. Smith. Jest at Eve both girls went brought her home—she went home. Thursday me a visit Mr. Hop. Mr. Lyman & wife there. Fryday Dr. Cutlers daugh. and Mary Hinds here all day jest at Eve Mr. Phelps & [I] rode jest in at Mr. Gaylords few moments. Satt not well.

Aug 12 1792 Sun Mr. Chapman pr Revelations 15 & 7 & Isaiah 55.6 Monday the girls visit Mr. Gaylords, Tuesday Mr. White & wife and son & Mrs. Hop dined here. Mr. Hop came after he attended the funeral of a man drowned at Hokanumb—All left us at night. Wednesday visit Judge Porter Thursday morn Mitta Gaylord, Lucretia Smith here our girls went with 'em to Hatfield. I a visit Brother Warners sent for home old Mrs. Parsons & Mrs. Strong here. Just at night the girls came back. Fryday I visit Mr. Gaylords Jest at night the girls went home.

Aug. 19 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Romans 8 & 1 & Isaiah 46 & 6 Tuesday I carried the girls to make a visit at Brothers did a little work at Mrs. Smiths about some gowns, home at night. Thursday afternoon the girls rode home to get some things soon back. Jest before night Mr. Phelps & I up to Mr. Hibbards, he went on to Stockbridge upon business. He came back; when we were at supper the mare got loose & we did not get home till after 11. Fryday before dinner I brought the girls home—in the afternoon they went to Amherst. I a visit at Mrs. Shipmans. Satt morn the girls home.

Aug 26. Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Hebrews 3 & 12 & from Ephesians 2 & 8. Monday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton to get Susa's gown, we drank tea at Brothers. Tuesday Susa went, got it made. Wednesday I a visit to Dr. Porters. Mr. Phelps set out in the morn for Williamsburgh to lay out a road. Sally Shipman visit here. Thursday Mr. Hop. & wife visit here. Polly & Lucy Barron & Nancy How Jest at Eve Mr. Phelps got home. Fryday I out doing arrends stayed a little while at Mr. Kelloggs.

Sep 2 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr Psaim 115. 3 ver. & from Coll 1 & 5 Monday up at Mr. Alexanders carried Mitti Susa's babe. Tuesday I carried the girls jest at night to Mr. Chiliab Smiths to visit there and Mr. Walkers. Thursday Eve home. Wednesday Mrs. Hibbard visit here. Fryday I visit Capt. Billings Hatfield Mrs. Mather from Bennington there, Becca and others.

Sep 9 1792 Sun No preaching Mr Hop gone to see his children at Brookfield Vt. None of our family at meeting but Mr. Phelps—rainy, the deacons performed. Monday Mrs. Little from Pittsfield and her daughter Wright & two granddaughters all here, spent the afternoon. The old lady above seventy, a very intimate friend of my mothers when they were girls at Hartford (Mabel Woodbridge) Tuesday Mrs. Hop. visit & Mrs. Gaylord. The girls jest rode out to Dr. Cutlers. Thursday I visit Dr. Cutlers Mr. Phelps up farther after Peaches. Fryday Suky Cutler & her little brother Robert & Molly their maid here. Betsy Colt here drank tea. Satt Betsy into town jest at night.

Sep 16 Sun. no preaching Mr. Phelps & Thankful at Hadley Betsy & I at Hatfield Mr. Lyman preached Genesis 23 & 4. Monday visit Mrs. Hop Tues. Mr. Hop. got home. Thursday Mr. Hop. & Mr. Jonathan Porter & wife, Moses Porter & wife Lucy & Betsy Hop and Mr. Worcester Betsy is going to marry all drank tea here. Fryday old Mrs. Alexander & Landlady Smith visit here. Jest at night Mr. Phelps & I out to Leut Enos Smiths met Sister Warner, Seth Smiths wife, Jerusha Leonard there.

Sep 23 Sun. Mr. Olcott pr. Ephesians 6 & 18 Afternoon Mr. Spring pr. Joshua 10 & 12 Monday at Mr. Gaylords Mrs. Spring, Mrs. Norton & many others there. Tuesday they dined here. Mr. & Mrs. Hop, Mr. & Mrs. Stone (she was Eunice Williams of Lebanon) Mr. & Mrs. Spring, Judge Porter and wife, Capt Norton & wife, Mrs. Gaylord in the afternoon Lucy & Betsy Hop. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I dined at Judge Porters with the others, in the Eve Mr. Spring pr. Lecture Deuteronomy 30 & 19 Fryday they set out for home. The girls visit Judge Porter Satt

about 5 Sister Warner sent for me between 9 & 10 had a daughter born all well I got home about 2 Satt Thankful & Suky Cutler went to Pelham.

Sep 30 1792 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Romans 2 & 5 & Proverbs 5 & 11 Tuesday Betsy went to Amherst to meet Thankful Wed. Eve. they both got home. Thursday Lecture Mr. Lyman pr. Matt 15 & 13 Fryday Mr. Lyman and wife Hatfield visit here—our Lyman Browns father & Mother here.

October 7 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Matt 26 & 29 & from Psalm 116. Once more I set at thy table dear Lord, & how can I be so stupid, I deserve to be left in final darkness—but oh May I have one spark of light from the father of lights to guide me through this dark state for Jesus sake Amen. Monday visit Capt. Elisha Dickinsons, Mrs. Gaylord & others there. Tuesday Mr. Parsons and others Dr. Cutler & wives visit here. The girls into town to see the school exhibition. Nancy How Easter Kellogg came home with 'em left us Wednesday morn. Thursday Betsy at Northampton with her father he left her at Mrs. Dwights Thankful at Mr. Chilia Smiths she tarried. Fryday morn both home. We killed 14 hogs.

October 14 Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. 1st Cor 11, 17 Tuesday into town of arrands. Wednesday the girls out to Brother Dickinsons. Fryday Mrs. Hop. & Major Porters wife here, met with a reproof from her which I hope will be a benefit to me.

Oct 21 Sun Mr. Hop preached Genesis 22 & 10 & from Ecclesiastic 3 & 1 Monday Mr. Phelps out to a part of Westhampton, one of a committee upon a road, at night Mr. Cook from Ashfield here to see him—lodged. Tuesday Eve. got home. Wednesday morn Mr. Phelps & I our two daughters at Sunderland. Mr. Lyon ordained there, we got there just after sermon began. Mr. Taylor made the first prayer Mr. Parsons preached [*blank*] Mr. Wells the ordaining prayer Mr. Emerson gave the charge. A Mr. Lyon from Connecticut the right hand of fellowship. Mr. Lyman the concluding prayer. We dined at Mr. Graves, Capt. Billings wife & Becca & others there—Mr. Azariah Dickinson & wife home with us spent the Eve—Mrs. Billings and Becca drank tea here. Fryday jst at Eve Polly Cooley came here.

October 28 1792 Sun. Mr. Ball pr. James 4 & 8 & Ecclesiastes 12 & 13 Tuesday the girls down to Mr. Gaylords Mrs. Hop, Mrs. Gaylord up here before dinner soon Mr. Wells (Sollomon) & wife from Weathersfield here, soon left us after dinner. Mrs. Hop & Mrs. Gaylord in the Eve Wednesday Mr. Phelps set out for Greenfield. Thursday got back. Fryday jst at night the girls came home.

Nov. 4 Sun Mr. Lyman pr. 1st Thess. 1 & 9 & Phillipians 4, 48 Monday Cap Porters wife and her sister Betty Hubbard visit here. Tuesday the girls visit Maj Williams, he has married the widow Sarah Montague—the girls to see her daughter. Wednesday I into town of arrands. Jst at night Becca Tappan and her sister Lucy here to stay Betsy Colt brought them. Thursday forenoon Suky & Pomeroy Cutler here in the afternoon Brother Warner & sister. Mrs. Shipman visit here, Mr. Shipman too during tea, all spent the Eve here. Satt before noon the Tappans left us in the afternoon the Cutlers left us. Made candles this day.

Nov. 11 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Titus 1 & 1 & from the above 1st & 16 Tuesday Dolly Warner came here. Thursday Sally Shipman here, our Susa went in the morn to see her grandmother—back at night. Fryday Dolly & Sally went home.

Nov. 18 Sun. Mr. Phelps & Thankful to Hadley no preaching Mr. Hop gone to pr. at Bernardstown Mr. Cook sick. Eliza & I at Hatfield Mr. Lyman pr. Galations 4 & 28. Monday we quilted coat for Susa Tuesday finished it. Wednesday visit Mr. Gaylords, When I was gone Lucy Barron & Polly came here, soon Hannah Lyman & Fanny. Lucy & Betsy Hop. Mr. Fisk spent the Eve then left us. Thursday the Barrons home. Fryday completed our well at the house been digging it up. This day and Sat very stormy snowy days.

Nov. 25 1792 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Thess. 2 & 4 & Romans 1 & 16 Monday forty five years old—how soon a year is gone, may I be more careful to spend my time well, always have the good spirit of Gods grace to direct me in every future occurrence in life for Jesus sake Amen. Thursday Thanksgiving day. Mr. Hop pr. Psalm 100 4 vers. At night the girls went into town. Fryday night came home.

Dec. 2 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Romans 15 & 48 1st Peter 3 & 8. Again have I been at the table of the Lord & have I got good? May I be the subject of the quickening influence of the spirit of God. tuesday the girls at Brothers to quilt. Wednesday night home. Thursday Betsy & I at Mr. Smiths to get my callico gown altered for her. I soon home. Mr. Hop. & Mrs. here. Fryday Mr. Phelps and I visit brothers Mr. Enos Smith & wife here.

Dec. 9. Mr. Hall pr. Ezakiel 33 & 11 & Proverbs 27 & 1 Monday Mr. Gaylord & wife a visit here. Thursday brother Warner & sister visit here.

Dec. 16 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 9 & 23, 24 & Deuteronomy 32 & 39. Monday we attended the funeral of Dr. Porters wife at the meeting house. she died Fryday forenoon Sister Warner has the babe. Tuesday Submit Gaylord here. Thursday I visit Judge Porters Mrs. Gaylord there. Fryday the young people here Mitte home with 'em.

* Dec. 23 Sun Mr. Hop. John 8 & 31 & 1st Cor. 12 & 26 Tuesday visit Gen Porters. Mrs. Hop Mrs. Gavlord. Wednesday visit Mr. Shipmans. Thursday killed hogs 4. Fryday the girls visit Mr. Shipmans.

Dec. 30 Sund. Mr. Hop. pr. Ephesians 6 & 12. & Eph. 1 & 6. Monday by day Ichabod Leach (of Pelham who lives here) set out for Newburyport to take a horse to Porter. In the after-noon Mr. Phelps & I visit at Mr. Lymans Hatfield. Tuesday morning the girls to Amherst a visit. Mr. Phelps & I dined at Mr. Gaylords. Mr. Hop. & wife. In this afternoon Mrs. Belding of Weathersfield there. Wednesday visit Brothers Eleazar Porters wife there. Fryday Capt. Lain & four daughters called here Satt the girls (my) home.

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VITAL RECORDS OF YORK, MAINE

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BOOK 6

This book is the sixth book, in order of time, to contain some records of marriages in York. The original book, now in the custody of the Town Clerk of York, Maine, is a book measuring approximately 13 $\frac{3}{8}$ " high by 8" wide by $\frac{3}{4}$ " thick. It was bound in boards, covered with marbled paper, much worn when last seen. The back and corners were of leather.

On the spine of the book was marked in ink: "Bills of Sale. Publications & Marriages 1854 to 1868." Pages 1 to 150, both inclusive, contain records of chattel mortgages, bills of sale, etc., and are omitted from this copy. Pages 151 to 243, inclusive, contain records of intentions of marriage and marriages. The first entry is of a marriage performed 30 Nov. 1854, and the last is of a certificate (license) issued 26 July 1868.

The Town Clerks during the period covered by this book were:

1854 - 1857	Edgar A. McIntire
1857 - 1864	Washington Junkins
1864 - 1865	Charles I. Hutchins
1865 - 1868	Samuel P. Young

Charles I. Hutchins resigned the office of Town Clerk on or before 14 Oct. 1865, and at a Town Meeting held 21 Oct. 1865, Samuel P. Young was elected Town Clerk.

With the exception of the omission of most of the Town Clerks' attestations of the individual entries of intentions of marriage, the copy follows the wording and spelling of the original. The punctuation has presented some difficulty. Due to the manner in which the

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1793 January 6 Mr. Hop. Pr. Gen 8.22 & Job 7 & [blank] Tuesday in the forenoon Uncle Parsons and wife from Northampton here. Afternoon Capt. Hunt & wife Dr. Hunt & wife Capt Lain & wife here Mr. Parsons and wife left us before tea. Jest at night Mr. Lyman and wife came from Hatfield. Wednesday Icabod got home left the horse at Mr. Parsons—Porter gone to Boston. Fryday Judge Porters wife here in the morn, soon Mr. Root from Montague left his wife here, they returned before tea. Judge Porter came jest at night Satt after we got to bed Porter got home 10 o'clock. May we be truly thankful.

Jan. 13 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Peter 1 & 6 Monday Steven Hopkins and wife (they live in Vermont) Mrs. Gaylord, Capt Porters wife here. Jest at Eve Mr. Bentley (schoolmaster) John Hop. Capt Porter Jerusha Leonard Betsy Hop. came old Mrs. Parsons came before dinner Thursday morn Thankful at Dr. Porters had a tooth drain'd.

Jan 20 Sun (morn Mrs. Parsons sent for home went) Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 5 & 31 Tuesday I a visit at Mr. Eleazar Porters the girls to singing school Thursday Mr. Hop & wife Mr. Gaylord & wife Mr. Steven Hop. & wife dined here. Becca Dickinson came here in the forenoon Capt Billins wife & Betty Church here in afternoon.

Jan. 27. Sun. Mr. Hop. Coll 1 & 23 Revel 21 & 4 Monday Brother Warner and wife Eleazar Porter & wife Mr. Phelps & I at brother Dickinsons they carried the two babies. Tuesday Porter & the girls visit Mr. Gaylord. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I invited to drink tea and spend the Eve at Esq. Henshaws Northampton got prepared to go but a snow storm came on so severe did not go. Thursday at lecture Mr. Hop pr [blank] Fryday Eleazar Porter & wife Moses & wife Dr. & Jona Porter John Hopkins and Sister Warner all here.

Feb. 3 Mr. Potter pr. John 10 & 11 & Ecclesiastes 9 & 10 Once more I have been at the Lords table. Lord may I be carried above this world may my heart be in heaven. Monday Porter and the girls visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday I at Mr. Gaylords to see Mrs. Austin Thursday Porter & the girls to Northampton. Fryday Mr. Tappan & wife here short visit. In the Eve Mr. Lymans two daughters Mr. Kellogg Mr. Fisk—Satt morning early Mr. Phelps & Porter left us. Mr. Phelps to attend the General Court Porter to Newburyport. They are in the hands of kind providence. God will do right Amen. Last Tuesday when I got home found a number of young people visiting & Brother Phelps from New Marlborough Wednesday he went on to Suffield. Satt fornoon got back & wish him brother John Williams's daughter Dolly—afternoon went on homeward.

1793 Feb. 10 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Joshua 23 & 11 & Psalm 119 & 25 Monday the night the girls went to brother Warners to spin. I went did some arrands in the back street. Thursday Judge Porter & Lady, Jonathan's wife & Mrs. Hillis of Hartford visit here Fryday night the girls home Satt Mrs. Hibbard visit here.

Feb 17 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. James 1 & 15 and from Matt 6 & 19 Monday the girls visit Mr. Seldens. Dolly home with 'em. Tuesday Rebecca Dickinson here. The girls out a sleigh ride went to Amherst. Wednesday came home Becca and I visit Mr. Hop. Thursday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Fryday eve Dolly went home & Satt morn Rebekah went home.

Feb. 24 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr 2nd Corr. 5 & 14 & 15 Monday Eve the girls to singing school Dolly Warner Lucretia Smith came home with 'em & Sally Shipman all to spin here. Thursday Mrs. Gaylord visit here Mr. Gaylord came back from Hatfield drank tea with us. Fryday Mrs. Hop. here forenoon in the after-noon Mr. Hop. Mr. Parsons & wife Mrs. Strong all here. This Eve all left us girls and all Lucretia went home Thursday. Satt old Mrs. Alexander here little while.

Mar 3 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Matt 13 & 41 spoke of the Kingdom of Christ Monday Eve the girls into town to spin. Thankful at Mr. Chilliab Smiths Betsy at Mr. Shipmans. This night I watched with Mr. Elihu Smiths wife—she was delivered of a dead child last Satt morn. Thursday I attended her funeral. Mr. Hop. pr. Psaim 90 & 10. Fryday Eve Betsy came home Satt noon, Thankful.

March 10 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. John 3 & 19 & Acts 24 & 25. Tuesday we attended the Funeral of old Mr. Eastman at the meeting house. Mrs. Shipman & I a visit Mr. Azariah Dickinsons. Thursday Capt. Kellogg's wife & Mrs. Shipman visit here. Fryday Lyman set out for Brookfield with the chaise to meet Mr. Phelps coming from Boston Satt they got home about 4. O God grant me wisdom to improve all thy favors well.

March 17 Sun Mr. Hop pr. 2nd Peter 1 & 12 & from Psalm 70 & 10. Monday killed hogs 2. Wednesday began to make soap. Fryday done. Old Mrs. Alexander here. Satt she went home.

Mar. 24 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 11 & 20 & Psalm 32 & 5 last clause. Monday Thankful & I up to Mr. Alexanders & Mr. Hibbards of Arrands home soon—then she & Betsy into town. Early in the morn Mr. Phelps set out for Springfield home at night. Tuesday went to Conway. Thankful and I into town she at Mr. Smiths to get a gown altered, I visit Mrs. Newtons, Mrs. Shipman there—at night we came home in a great rain. Wednesday morn Mr. Phelps got home the rain prevented him last night. Thursday visit Brothers.

March 31 Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Job 15 & 20, 21, 22 & from Luke 12 & 43. Monday visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday at Mr. Chilib Smiths Sister Warner & Mrs. Shipman there. Wed. Mr. Hop. & Mrs. here. Thursday Lecture Mr. Grant pr. Luke 14 & 17 visit Mrs. Gaylord, Chilib Smiths & Daniel Dickinsons wife there. Fryday Lucy & Betsey Hopkins visit here.

April 7 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Galations 2 & 20 & Matt 11 & 28. Once more I have been at the table of the Lord may the spirit of God dwell in my heart leading me always in the right way for Jesus sake Amen. Monday the girls to Amherst visit Dr. Cutlers. Tuesday Betsy at Mr. Smiths to get taylouring done. Mr. Gaylord and wife visit here. Wednesday I visit Mr. Alexanders Thursday fast day Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 14 & 17.

April 14 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Nehemiah 19 & 26 & Acts 10 & part of the 30 & part of the 31 verses. Monday Mrs. Hop & I visit at Mr. Jonathan Porters (the Lawyer) he married Delia Dwight—lives in the north room of Dr. Porters. Tuesday visit at Mr. Eleazar Porters. Wed. Dr. Cutlers daughters visit here. I visit Mr. Lymans Hatfield (Hadley girls were here last Monday) Fryday Lucy Barron here little while Satt Mrs. Catling (Timothys wife) here They are moved upon a farm between here & Sunderland.

Apr. 21 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 5 & 7 & Matt 6 & 6. Monday the girls rode into town jest at night. Tuesday Betsy brought Sister here just before Dinner. Mrs. Shipman here in afternoon—brother here to drink tea. Jest in the Eve had a letter from Porter he is unwell. Thursday Mr. Phelps set out for him. Lord fit us for events. Wednesday Thankful at Mr. Smiths to get a gown altered. Lucretia home with her. Thursday Sally Shipman here. Fryday both home. Satt Betsy rode into town of arrands.

Apr. 28 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 15 & 14 & Ephesians 1 & 13. This day dined at Mr. Gaylord. Israel was turned over in a cart yesterday & almost killed twas thot but praised be God he is better. Monday visit Mr. Shipmans. Sister Warner and Chilib Smiths wife there Thursday Thankfuls sister Phili here. John Hibbards child buried this day. Susa at the funeral. Mr. Hop & Nabby Hibbard drank tea here going home. Cousin John Phelps of Marlborough. came here. Wednesday after dinner Philene left us. Col. Samuel Porters wife and her sister Susa Hubbard came here just before we drank tea stayed. In tea time Mr. Phelps & Porter got home safe. Porter dont appear very poorly—show thy mercy & fit us for the reception Amen. Thursday the girls to Amherst. Porter carried 'em. In the afternoon old Mrs. Alexander and her sons wife (he was married last March 7 day) here a visit. Fryday John Phelps home. Satt Porter brought the girls home.

May 5 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 20 & 35 spoke of the duty of giving to the poor—in the afternoon Luke 16 & 25 Monday the girls rode into town jest at night. Tuesday they visit Brothers met the Cutlers there. At night they came home with 'em. Wednesday & Thursday all into town visiting, home nights. Fryday I rode into town jest at night. Satt the Cutlers home—our girls rode with 'em a little way.

May 12 Sun Mr. Hop Romans 3 & 20 & Psalm 66. Tuesday we attended at the meeting house the funeral of Josian Nash, Jr. he was kicked by a horse upon his

fore-head about the 27 of March soon appeared to be near well—but toward the latter part of April grew worse, had a piece of his skull taken out, found it was fractured lived till the 13th of May—May the spirit of God set it home upon the hearts of youth—after the funeral made a visit at Judge Porters. Capt. Nortons daughter came home with the girls this night. Sister Warner visit at the Judges & Ebenezer Porters wife. Thursday Porter at Westfield. We killed 12 Hogs for the market. Porter home at night.

May 19 Sun, Mr. Chapman pr Exidus 30 & 10—spoke of the great efficacy of the prayer of faith. Monday Old Mrs. Parsons & Mrs. Stoddard here in the forenoon—in the afternoon Porter & the two girls visit Mr. Parsons of Amherst. Mr. & Mrs. Hop visit here, Tuesday Eliazar Porters wife visit here. Wednesday Betsy at Mr. Smiths to get her silk gown done. Thankful had hers done last week. Thursday attended the lecture Mr. Williams pr. Psalm 10 & 17 Visit Mr. Hop & great many others

1793 May 26 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. John 1 & 49 & Ephesians 2 & 7—Communion day. Monday Morning early Mr. Phelps and I set out for Boston. Capt & Dr. Hunt and wives overtook us at Belcher, Col. Dwights. We went on to Spencer—Jenks, lodged. Tuesday left them there went on early got to Boston before sunset put up at Mrs. Grays—found Mr. Lyman and Hannah there and some others. Thursday they set out for home.

June 2 Sun. at Mr. Clarkes Meeting—stayed at the Communion Mr. Clarke pr John 14 & part 21 & part 24 verses. Afternoon Ecclesiastes 7 & 1 Monday drank tea at Dr. Noyces. Friday at Mr. Whites in the morning to see Mrs. Hop they got into Boston last night—in the afternoon drank tea at Mrs. Philipps. Satt we dined at Mr. Whites and drank tea.

June 9 Sun. Went to Mr. Stilmens Meeting—he preached Job. 15 & 20. In the afternoon we went to Mr. Clarks Meeting where he delivered an oration to the Humane Society. He introduced it by those words of our savior Matt 9 & 24. Polly Billings & her father came last Fryday. Wednesday drank tea at Mr. Whites Thursday Mr. Hop. & Mrs. set out for Newburyport. Satt General Porter, Mr. Phelps & I set out for home about 3 o'clock came up to Williamses at Marlborough, lodged.

June 16 Sun rose early came to Worcester, went to the tavern—breakfasted—went to Meeting. Mr. Austin pr John 1 Chap 45 ver. We stayed at the Communion Genl Porter did not. We dined at Mr. Austin's after meeting—drank tea. Just at night rode on to Jenks. Monday got home found all safe, God be praised. Tuesday attended the funeral of the widow Lyman (Phinies Lyman) drank tea at Brother Warners. Wednesday the girls to quilt at Mr. Hpp Thursday Mr. Parsons of Amherst drank tea here. Satt Mr. & Mrs. Hop got home Eunice Allixander here

1793 June 23 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Ecl. 9 & 3 & from Proverbs 16 & 31 Monday Mr. Gaylord & wife visit here, he has been sick, now getting better. Tuesday Morn Porter and Betsy set out for New Marlborough. Dr. Cutler & wife from Boston came here jest before dinner. Left us before tea. Mrs. Cutting & Mrs. Stockbridge visit here. Mitte Gaylord, Lucretia Smith visit here. Thankful went back into town with 'em. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Col. Murrays Hatfield. Mr. Lyman & wife visit there, Dr. Williams & wife. Thursday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thankful came home. Porter & Betsy returned. Fryday Mr. Lyman here to divide some loading [?] sugar etc. Satt I down the back street of arrends.

June 30 Sun. Mr. Gardner Kellogg of this town pr. 1 Cor. 15 & 14 & from Matt 6 & 19, 20, 21, Wed Mr. Joel Kellogg here—he now lives at Whately—sick as ever—afternoon Mr. Hop. & Mrs. Visit here & Sally Shipman. Thursday my mother visit at Mr. Hop. She has not been in town for two years last March. Dolly Warner, Becca Smith visit here. Fryday Aunt Root of Northampton & her daughter here & Sister Warner in the forenoon. Aunt and her daughter left us soon. Chiliab & Windsor Smiths' wives visit here. John Hop & Jerusha Leonard Betsy Colt (old & Young Mrs. Alexander here—soon home) Brother here to tea. Thankful & I rode as far as Mr. Gaylords stayed a few moments.

July 7 Sun Mr. Hop pr. 1 Thessalonians 5 & 4 & from 1st Cor. 10 & 24. Mond. the girls rode into town of arrends stayed late—the horse broke the harness some. Tuesday I visit at General Porters—he came home while I was there with his two granddaughters, Sally & Polly Hillhouse they came from their parents at Georgia

last April—have been with their relations at New London. Wednesday Betsy to get a gown altered. Porter went to Westfield. Thursday home. Fryday Mrs. Hop & Mrs. Gaylord here to drink tea. Satt old Mrs. Alexander here, Satt Thankful & Betsy out to Amherst.

1793 July 14 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Deuteronomy 27 & 24. There has been night mischief of late—will God strike conviction into the hearts. In the Eve Betty & Lucy Barron came—left Thankful. Monday jest at night Polly Barron brought Thankful home & took Lucy. Wednesday Thankful at Mr. Chiliab Smiths to quilt in the morning—Betsy in the afternoon—at night Thankful came home Betsy stayed. Thursday Moses Porter & wife visit here. Porter fetched Betsy home at night. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Hop. Judge Porter & wife there. Satt young Mrs. Alexander & Eunice here.

July 21 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. 1st Kings 3 & 7 spoke of dispositions of Providence in allotting to each person their place in life, & James 3 & 2 spoke of our duty in respect of our words. Monday Lucretia Smith and Patty Dwight visit here General Porter brought his grand-children here a little while. Wednesday the girls quilting at Mr. Eleazar Porters and many others. Thursday Mr. Parsons and his wives' sister Pricilla Williams, Mr. Strong's son Wright & Polly Barron here from Amherst,—Mr. Lyman and wife from Hatfield. Fryday into town of arrands drank tea at Mr. Shipmans. Satt old Mrs. Alexander here. Last Tuesday Sally & Becca Tappan come here, dined then went to Amherst.

July 28 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 5 & 2 & from Isaiah 55 & 3. Monday Mr. Eleazar Porter & Wife here a little visit. Tuesday Judge Porter & wife visit here Dr. Shepherd & wife from Northampton visit here. Wednesday forenoon rode into town of arrands—home at dinner, afternoon Thankful & Betsy with other young people to a sail out to the Island. Mr. Seth Smith & wife & Mrs. Gaylord visit here. Thursday lecture Mr. Lyman pr [blank] Mrs. Gaylord & I visit at the widow Rhoda Montagues she has fell from a horse & hurt her very much. Fryday Porter & I visit Mr. Strong's at Amherst John Hopkins & Lucy & Betsy there. Satt jest at night Mr. Pickman from Salem here to see Porter.

1793 Aug. 4 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Matt 19 & 21 & from Matt 7 & 24, 25. Sacrament day insisted much on our preferring Christ to all else. Oh that it might be my happy case. Porter and Pickman went to Hatfield. Monday morn they went to Northampton—back to dinner. Dr. Porter drank tea here. Tuesday Morn. Pickman set out for home. Susa went to Whately. In the afternoon I at Mr. Smiths to have a light callico gown made. Wednesday I visit at the widow Jerusha Smiths the girls visit at Lawyer Porters. Thursday Mrs. Cook from Western here before dinner—jest at night Mr. & Mrs. Hop here. Mrs. Cook sent for to her father Cooks before tea—her child very uneasy. Fryday Capt. Norton & wife (he lives now at Ashfield) Judge Porter's wife & Moses wife here.

Aug. 11 Sun. Mr. Williston pr. Habbakkuk 3 & 2 Monday the girls rode into town visit widow Lymans. Tuesday I visit Brothers—went before dinner, Mrs. Shipman Mrs. Smith, Chiliab & Windsers wives. Thursday Court held here—many people. Col'l Porter & wife visit here. The girls had company come for tea & rode. Fryday I visit Mr. Gaylord.

Aug 18 Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. Psalm 144 & 12 ver. Spoke largely upon the education of children. Monday the girls a visit at Mr. Walkers, Tuesday they were at Judge Porters quilting. Thankful did not come home last night. Mr. Williams of Brimfield & daughter in here in the afternoon going up to colledge. Wednesday Mr. Phelps went away upon a committee to lay out a road by Palmer. I a visit Mr. Lymans Hatfield. When I came home found Mrs. Shipman here, she stayed & lodged with me. Thursday she and I rode up to Sunderland upon a very extraordinary arrand. She went home at night. My husband came home. Satt Betsy & I rode into town of arrands. Old Mrs. Alexander here.

1793 August 25 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. 1st Cor 3 & 1, & Joel 2 & 12 We attended the funeral of Mr. Granger's child after meeting. Monday the girls visit Mr. Walkers. Tuesday I at Mr. Shipmans. Mr. Hop & Mr. Lyman there to take her account of some facts relative to Mr. Lyon Minister of Sunderland. Wednesday dined at Mr. Gaylords. Mr. & Mrs. Hop & Mrs. Austin, Sally Williams is come here to live. We made visit at Maj. Williams the girls to Hatfield. Thursday home

at night. Fryday all of attended the funeral of Dr. Kellogg—drank tea at Mr. Hop. Dr. Colman & Dr. Cutler with their wives there. Thankful tarried to help Mitte Gaylord quilt, Satt Betty brought her home.

Sep. 1 Sun. Mr. Austin pr. Psalm 19 & 12 & 2 Cor. 10 & 17. Monday Mr. & Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Gaylord, & Sally, Lucy & Betsy all here. Thankful took poorly Sunday night, sick today—they all left us jest at night. Mr. Phelps, Betsy & I at meeting in the Eve. Mr. Austin pr. Ephesians 2nd & 8th. Tuesday Eve Dolly Warner here to stay. Wednesday Young company here. Thursday more came and took our girls. Went to Mr. Hibbard's to see Graham & Elsie Furgunson; & Lord Hibbard & one Smith married. Widow Porter of Weathersfield & Mrs. Hopkins visit here. Mr. Hop took tea with us on his way to wedding. Jest at dusk Mr. Phelps & Porter got home from Northampton Court. Friday jest at night more young company—all left us, girls and all. Satt Young Mrs. Alexander & Eunice here.

1793 Sep. 8 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Psalm 134 & John 9 & 4. The funeral of Mrs. Granger was attended this day at meeting house after meeting. Wednesday the girls set out from Amherst—broke the carriage did not go. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I at Pelham, Mr. Oliver ordained there. Mr. Morris made the first prayer (he is from Londonderry) & pr. from 1st Timothy 6 & 20. Mr. [blank] minister from Colerain did all the remainder. We came directly home having been very agreeably entertained. Fryday at Mr. Lymans at Hatfield. Satt jest at night Deodat Woodbridge's wife and his brother Russell Woodbridge came here. Last Thursday evening Thankful was sent for to Mitte Gaylords wedding.

Sep. 15 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Matt 16 & 26 & Matt 13 & 13. Mrs. Woodbridge did not go to meeting being in a weakly state. Monday they tarried with us. Tuesday Morn Sally Williams & Betsy Hopkins came here to stay. About noon Mr. & Mrs. Woodbridge left us. Wednesday Polly Barron here dined. Thursday Eve. Betsy Hop. & our girls at Mr. Alexanders. Experience married one Latham of Montague. After the wedding Sally & Betsy went home with Mr. Hop. Fryday I into town of Arrends. Dined at Brother Warners. Got Crocoery at Hop's. Satt morning unwell—afternoon better. Wednesday Morn Porter & his Father set out in the stage for Boston.

Sep. 22 Sun. Mr. Hop Ecclesiastes 6 & 11 & James 2 & 5. Tuesday Morn Mr. Hop came here I went with him to Sunderland respecting Mr. Lyons cause—home at night. Had a very sick night, violent pain in my head and back. Wednesday very poorly, Lawyer Porters wife here of an errand. The girls rode down to see the Canals with others. Capt. Lane of Northampton with two little daughters, here a few moments. The girls got home beginning of the evening. Thursday Polly Williams here, Eliakim Smiths wife (she was Mitte Gaylord) come with her. She home at night. Mr. Hop & they here before dinner. Fryday Mr. Phelps came home about 3. Soon Mr. Hop came back from Sunderland—he took Mr. Hop home. Mr. Lyon is silenced. Mr. Phelps & I are both poorly. Satt: Polly home. The girls and he visit at Brothers.

1793 Sep. 29 Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Matt 21 & 5, 6, & Luke 19 & 37, 38. Monday Mr. Lyman & wife visit here. Tuesday the girls visit Deacon Smiths. Soon after they went from home Mr. Hop & wife, Mr. Williams of Brimfield & wife & child Mrs. Gaylord & Sally Williams, all here visit. Wednesday the girls to Belcher to Dr. Hows Thursday Mr. Phelps and I at Lecture. Mr. Williams of Brimfield preach'd James 2 & 23. When we got home found the girls returned. Fryday sister Warner here. Satt: jest at night I carried her home did arrands. Lucy Marshall (that was, she married one Briggs of Shutesbury) lodg'd here Fryday night.

Oct. 6 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Revelations 1 & 18 & from Romans 3 & 24 Another communion have I been at. Lord how dull, how stupid, where can I look for help but to thee, have mercy upon me for Jesus sake. Monday Thankful jest rode into town. Tuesday she went to Chilib Smiths to make a visit. Soon sent for home, Lucy Barron, Patty Boltwood, Lucretia Gurn, all from Amherst here. Susa and Mitte into town visiting. Satt. the girls out to Dr. Cutlers, Easter and Suky, been gone to Boston & Concord, ever since last May, got home yesterday.

Oct. 13 Sun Deacons Carried on. Mr. Hop & Wife gone to Boston. Betsy & I at Amherst. Mr. Parsons pr. Luke 19 & 41, 42 vers. We dined at Dr. Cutlers, Lyman went with us. Monday Mr. Bag of West Springfield and wife here (she was Sarah

Ashley) Tuesday forenoon Esq. Salter and wife of Mansfield here—dined. Soon after dinner Mr. Bag and wife left us, then Esq. Salter and lady went for Mr. Parsons at Amherst. Mr. Phelps & I soon followed 'em; spent the afternoon and evening there with them very agreeably. Wednesday Thankful at Mr. Gaylords to help quilt. Walter Edwards dined here—soon left us. Mr. Phelps & I at Amherst visit Dr. Colmans. Thursday Betsy into town Mrs. Shipman here. Friday jest at night Betsy home lodged at Mr. Shipmans Satt. noon Thankful home.

1793 Oct 20 At Hadley in forenoon no preaching, in the afternoon Betsy & I at Hatfield. Mr. Lyman pr. Luke 20, - 37, 38. Monday at General Porters. Tuesday at Northampton upon business drank tea at Dr. Shepherds. The wind very high when we came back pestered much about landing. Judge Porter & wife visit here—Wednesday I visit brothers. Thursday Betsy out to Dr. Cutlers. Thankful went yesterday. Fryday I rode into town of arrands. Satt. the girls home. Young Mrs. Alexander visit here.

Oct. 27 Sunday Mr. Hop pr. Proverbs 1 & 15 & Job 11 & 20 Monday the girls at Cap Dickinsons to see Esq. Billings daughter Polly, & Betty Marsh. Tuesday Mrs. Dickinson and the young ladies visit here. Wednesday Betsy at Dr. Cutlers to get the damask she has been colouring for Cloaks. Satt jest at night Col. Samuel Porters wife here a few moments—told Betsy Hop was married last night to Mr. Worcester of Worcester, a Printer.

Nov. 2 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Psalm 119 & 77 & from Proverbs 5 & 9. Tuesday (Betsy Hop that was) & Lucy set out for Worcester with the bridegroom. Farewell. Thursday Thanksgiving day Mr. Hop pr. Isaiah 45 & 7—in the eve the girls into town. About 8 two women came here going from Suffield to Montague—lodged here, left us early. the girls came home the same night. Friday Susa visit into town. Satt. Betsy into town of arrands, had the Pump at the Barn made.

Nov. 9 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Acts 3 & 19 & from Job 34 & 32. Monday Sister Dickinson visit here. Mr. Hop & Mrs. visit here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps went to Greenage to lay out roads. The girls to brother Warners. Wednesday Mr. Phelps came home—the girls home at night. Fryday Dolly Warner came here, Betsy and she went to brother Dickinsons, took Polly Cooley—she tarried here last Monday. Satt. Betsy into town of arrands.

1793 Nov. 17 Sun. Mr. Kellogg pr. Isaiah 28 & 16 & Proverbs 15 & 3 Tuesday Mr. Phelps at New Salem to lay road. Betsy at Northampton to get some things at Mr. Prescotts store. Wednesday she & Thankful at Capt. Chiliab Smiths to get their wild boar gowns made. Thursday night home—they attended the funeral of Mrs. Alexander in the afternoon before they came home. Mr. Phelps came home in the morning. Fryday Thankful at Amherst of an arrand.

Nov. 24 Sun. Mr. Williams pr. John 3 & 20 & from Geneses 16 & 13 Monday brother Warner & Sister visit in the Eve. Tuesday forty six years old—how thankful should I be for all Gods mercies & Lord, I ask thy direction and blessing in all my future life—Whatever I do may it all be done to Gods Glory for Jesus sake. Thursday at lecture before Sacrament Mr Hop pr. 2nd Corr. 5 & 14, spent the Eve at Mr. Gaylords.

Dec. 1 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Luke 13 & 26 & 27 & 1st Corr. 10 & 31. Once more I've been at the table of the Lord. Oh that I might be wholly devoted to my redeemer. Monday visit at Mr. Shipmans Mrs. Smith there (Chiliab's wife) Tuesday the girls visit Mr. Walkers. Thursday visit Judge Porters—his wife not well. Eliazar & wife visit there. Thankful a visit at Eliakims to see Mitte—they went to housekeeping Fryday before last.

Dec. 8 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Proverbs 13 & 4 & from John 12 & 31. When we were going to meeting in the morning Mr. Shipman stop'd us & desired me to go there, his wife ill, I went. Jest as meeting was done in the afternoon she was delivered of a daughter—I came home with my husband. Monday Pene Parsons here to taylour. Tuesday Mrs. Hibbard visit here. Wednesday I carried Pene to brother Warners then made a visit at Mr. Hop. Mr. Gaylord & wife there. Mr. Phelps spent the Eve there. Satt. Betsy into town of arrands. Thursday got her gown done.

1793 Dec. 15 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 19 & 12 & Proverbs 4 & 13. Monday we killed Hoggs 6. Thursday Mr. Hop & wife visit. Mr. Phelps & I visit at Brothers; meant to make visit at Deacon Smiths—she not at home. Fryday Dr. Cutlers

daughters & Rhode Cutler of Boston here forenoon Dr. Strong and the two Barrens visit in afternoon. Satt: made sausages.

Dec. 22 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Genesis 3 & 15. Monday the girls at Dr. Cutlers. Tuesday Eve—Young folks here. Mr. Phelps & I at Andries to keep Christmas Eve, Fryday killed Hogs 8 Dr. Cutlers daughters here to stay.

Dec. 29 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 2 & 11 & Isaiah 52 & 10 (53 & 10). Wednesday Mr. & Mrs. Hop. Mr. & Mrs. Gaylord & Sally & Brother Warner & sister all dined here—left us near 9. The Cutlers & Thankful visit Eliakim Smiths. Thursday Mr. Parsons & his Mother & wife visit here.—the girls all visit at Mr. Walkers. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Lymans, Hatfield. Satt: Easter rode into town of an arrand.

1794 Jan. 5 Sun. Mr. Field pr. Jonah 2 & 8 & Romans 14 & 24. Monday Fanny Lyman visit here. Tuesday Young company from town here. Wednesday Genl. Porter & Col. Samuel wife visit here—our girls & the Miss Cutlers visit Mr. Lyman, Hatfield. Thursday the Cutlers home. I visit Mrs. Shipman—Capt. Kellogs wife there. Fryday evening Mr. Alexander came for me—his wife poorly—daughter born about half past 3. I got home before light. Satt: night Thankful watched.

Jan. 12 Sun. Mr. Ball pr. Matt 6 & from the 9 to the 14 ver. & 1st John 4 & 7. Tuesday Mr. Hop & wife Mr. Phelps and I visit Dr. Cutlers. Thursday visit Capt. Billings he & his wife gone. Mr. Gaylord & wife & Sally visit there A large company from Northampton there. Mr. Henshaw & wife and many others. Mr. Lymans daughters visit here. When we came home found Porter & one Mr. Thomas from Newburyport. Fryday we all went to Northampton the girls visit Dr. Hunts the rest of us at Mr. Henshaw's. Betsy unwell. O Lord I leave her with thee fit us all for thy will.

1794 Jan. 19 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Psalm [blank] & Psalm 106 6 & 7 verses. Tuesday morn Thomas & Porter left for Newburyport. Wednesday morn Mr. Lyman & wife Mr. Phelps & I set out Springfield. Went down the West side of the river. Mr. Lyman & Mrs. lodged at Mr. Lathrops—we at Esq. Eyly's at West Springfield. Thursday after the rain we came as far as Lymans Tavern, lodged. Fryday about 11 got to Mr. Lymans in Hatfield. Mr. Phelps came home, I tarried—the river very poor. Mrs. Lyman and I visit Cap. Billings. Satt. morn Mr. Phelps came and I got home in safety for which I desire to be thankful.

Jan. 26 Sun. Mr. Hop from Revelations 2 & 11 & Acts 13 & 42 Monday Mrs. Hills of Hartford here Judge Porters wife & Eleazars wife's mother—Eleazar & the Dr. here by tea time. Mrs. Hills tarried. Tuesday jest at dinner time her Husband & others came, they all went on & she with 'em soon after dinner. I a visit at Mr. Gaylords—the girls at Capt. Smith's. Thursday did not attend Lecture. Fryday went to attend the Funeral of old Mr. Joseph Smiths wife but was too late. Visit Mr. Hop. Satt. Mr. Lyman of Hatfield & Mr. Hop. here a few moments. Old Mrs. Alexander here.

Feb. 2. Sun Mr. Hop pr. Job. [blank] [5 & 7] & Job [blank] [7 & 16] One more sacrament I have been allowed. Lord always keep me lowly in heart. Monday got ready to attend the funeral of Ebenezar Marsh's wife, old Mrs. Bartlett & her daughter Catling (Susanna) came here for a visit (the girls went) they left us jest at Eve. Mr. Gaylord & wife & Sally spent the Eve here. Sally tarried. Tuesday my husband set out in the stage for Boston. Polly Barron & Lucretia Green here. Lucretia Smith visit here. Fryday Eve Polly Barron & Lucretia Green left us. Satt Betsy & I into town—jest at night Sally went home.

1794 Feb. 9 Sun. Mr. Cook pr. 1st Timothy 1 & 14 & Acts 10 & 1 & 2 insisted Most upon the last words "and prayed to God alway" spoke much upon family prayer. Tuesday Mrs. Lyman & Becca here a visit. Wednesday the girls to Northampton. Satt: home.

Feb. 16 Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. Ezekiel 37 & 3. Monday Mrs. Norton, Col. Sams wife, Lawyers wife, Moses wife all here. Landlady Smith visit here. Col. & Moses drank tea here, spent the Eve. Tuesday Lucretia Smith here to stay. Brother Dickinson & sister visit here. Wednesday I visit Lawyer Porters, Mrs. Norton and others there. Thursday morn brother Phelps & sister & Eunice their daughter came here. Fryday morn went for home. Satt: Lucretia went home.

Feb. 23 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Mark 4 & 15 afternoon 16 & 17 vers. Monday the girls to Dr. Cutlers to stay. Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord & Betsy here forenoon visit. Thursday Betsy home for some things—soon back, Fryday Mrs. Hop visit here forenoon. Heard of Mrs. Whites death of Boston when here. Satt: Betsy home.

March 2 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. 18th & 19th vers. the above [Mark 4] This day—when we got to meeting found Mr. Phelps came from Boston with Dr. Porter rode from Belchertown this morn, both came to meeting, he is well & all of us are comfortable—How many Lord are thy mercies. O for a heart to give God the Glory. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I made a visit Mr. Parsons—Betsy at Dr. Cutlers, back with us. Fryday visit Mr. Gaylords.

1794 Mar 9 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. 20 ver. the above Mark & from Proverbs 30 & 16. The funeral of Mr. Elisha Cook attended at the meeting house after meeting. Monday Betsy visit Chiliab Smiths. Tuesday John Hop., Master Smith drank tea here spent the Eve. Betsy home at 9 Wednesday old Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Stoddard, Dr. Colman & wife visit here, left us in the Eve. Thankful came home, went to Amherst 24 Feb. Thursday Master Smith, Sally, Lucy Hop visit here & Mrs. Shipman. Fryday I rode into the back street with Lyman of arrands. In the Eve John Montagues wife and sister of hers here. She wants a place to live. O God of wisdom direct thy poor ignorant creatures in the right & good way.

Mar 16 Sun. Mr. Kellogg (Gardner) pr. Psalm 37 (& 4) and John 5 & (39) Monday Eve Mr. Hop here married Samuel Blocket & Susanna Whipple—both live here. Tuesday Betsy rode to Dr. Cutlers. In the Eve Thankful & she at brother Warners to see the show—exhibition on the slack wire and other performances.

Mar. 23 Sun Mr. Hop pr Numbers 23, 21 & from Acts 4 & 12. Monday visit Mr. Shipmans, Tuesday began to make soap. Mrs. Alexander here with her babe all day. The chimeys are building anew My husband has bought the house. Thursday here again with her babe. Wednesday Mrs. Pierce here upon business Fryday Eve Brother Williams here, lodged, going home from Norwich.

1794 Mar. 30 Sun. Mr. Hop. read the first ver. of the 3ch. of Philippians gave us another sermon upon drunkenness. Monday Susanna & Mitte left us to live at the house which was Mr. Alexanders. Mrs. Montagues sister Mrs. Hancock with her two children came here to live. I think I can say I referred the matter to the disposals of providence & now heavenly father I once more commit us all into they [sic] hands praying to submit to thy will in all things. Wednesday Dr. Colmans wife & her sister Meriam Church visit here. Mr. Hop & wife came when we were drinking tea. Fryday I visit Mr. Shipmans (Thankful into the street) their babe was buried last Tuesday Mr. Phelps and Betsy attended—I was sick.

April 6 Sun. Mr. Kellogg pr. Romans 12 & 14 & Luke 10 & 42 Monday the girls attended the dancing school for the first time Wednesday Mrs. Cutler and Easter visit here. Tuesday visit Eliazar Portets. Thursday at lecture Mr. Emuison pr. Titus 2 & 10 I at Mr. Hops the girls at Mr. Walkers. Fryday visit at brothers.

Apr. 13 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Hebrews 11 & 3 & 1st Thessolonians 1 & 3 This sacrament rather dull—O that I might have life in Christ. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord & Sally visit here. Thankful stayed down Monday night with Lucretia Smith. Wednesday jest at night Betsy brought her home. Thursday fast day. Mr. Hop from Proverbs 3 & 6 & Psalm 104. 30 ver. Fryday the girls visit Mr. Shipmans Judge Porter & wife visit here. Satt: Mr. Griffith the dancing Master drank tea here.

1794 Apr. 20 Sun. Mr. Hop from Luke 5 & 12. 13 & Ezekiel 18 & 32 Monday Mr. Azariah Dickinson & wife visit here. Mr. Baldwin minister of Palmer with them. Mr. Phelps gone to Northampton. Lucretia Colt came home with girls this night—down with 'em in the morning When they went to school Tuesday. Wednesday visit Mr. Lymans. Hatfield Thursday the girls & I into town. I visit Windsor Smith's they at Widow Hubbard's Fryday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton I at Lecture Mr. Wells pr. [blank] made a visit at Mr. Quartus Pomroys with Mrs. Shepherd.

Apr. 27 Sun. Mr. Hop from Deuter. 10, 12 & 13 & Nehemiah 9 & 26 Monday Mrs. Newton & Mrs. Shipman visit here. Tuesday the girls visit Mr. Hop I went after 'em made a visit Mr. Gaylords. Betsy more poorly—they went to school—Monday afternoon & stayed. Wed. Sister Warner & Capt. Smith's wife here

(Chiliab). Fryday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton dined at Uncle Parsons made a visit at Cap't Hunts.

May 4 Sun Mr. Williams, Northampton pr. Psalm 119. 57 & Isaiah 7 & 13. Monday the girls at Dr. Cutlers stayed all night. Tuesday morning home. Wednesday Association lecture Mr. Wells pr. 1st Cor. 4 & 2. Mr. Fisk was also ordained to go to preach in the Genesee Country. Drank tea at Mr. Gaylord—Mrs. Spring, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Worcester & Mrs. Lyman of Hatfield there & others there. Thursday made candles. Friday Brother Warner & Sister, Mr. Phelps & I visit Brother Dickinsons (Polly Cooley went home last Sunday she came here the Tuesday before)

1794 May 11 Mr. Hop pr. John 6 & 45 & Matt 6 & 13. Tuesday Mrs. Hop, Mrs. Spring, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Worcester, Mrs. Gaylord & Lucy Hop. all visit here. Wed. Polly & Lucy Barron & one Miss Barnard of Deerfield who lives at Mr. Strongs visit here. Thursday Mr. Lyman of Hatfield and wife & his brother, minister of Woodstock, visit here Fryday Thankful went to brother Warners. Satt Betsy & I went to quilt at Mr. Hop., Thankful too & came home with us. Last night a terrible cold night killed almost all the fruit.

May 18 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Job 15 & 14 & Genesis 32 & 10. Monday the girls visit Shipmans. Mrs. Shipman & I visit Mr. Hibbards Tuesday Mr. Phelps and I at Northampton visit Dr. Hunts. Wednesday morn the girls home. Thursday Betsy at Northampton with her father all day.

May 25 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 19 & 38 & Acts 3 & 23 Thankful and Betsy into town, Betsy homè Thankful stayed at brothers. Tuesday home. Thursday lecture Mr. Lyman pr. Luke 23 & 52, 53 The girls visit Mr. Smiths. Satt Mr. Lyman of Hatfield here to divide sugar. Old Mrs. Alexander visit here. The girls to school.

June 1 Sun. Mr. Smith (Jonathan) pr. 1st Peter 2 & 5 & Deuteronomy 32 & 29 Dare I wait to return thanks to God not only for another comunion but I hope for some influence of the Spirit of God, all good comes from the fountain and there it leads the soul again. May I be kept in the Love of God. Tuesday Lucretia Smith & a Miss Kilburn of Hartford dined here—more young company in the afternoon. Wednesday Thankful rode to Dr. Cutler's. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Smith. Mr. Jonathan there and many others. Fryday the girls to Amherst to carry yarn to weave—we a visit Col. Porters, Mrs. Hubbard and others there.

1794 June 8 Sun. Mr. Jackson pr. Proverbs 8 & 4—afternoon Mr. Hays pr. Mark 7. 25 Wed. about noon Mr. Phelps & I set out for Newburyport—slept at Belcher at Uncle Orlando Roots till a large shower of rain was over then went to Cooks at Western got there about 9—set out about 7 in the morning broke one of the irons in the charriage—stopt 3 hours to get it mended—went to Shrewsbury lodged at Farias got into Boston about 4 Fryday. went on for Newburyport got to Mr. Parsons before sunset—found Porter well & I hope we are thankful, twenty four years have been married. Lord we still depend on thee.

June 15 Sun. went to Mr. Springs Meeting—he pr. 3 Epistle John 11 ver. Communion day we stayed. O may there be some lasting good impressions. In the afternoon went with Mrs. Parsons heard Mr. Andries from [blank]. Monday Mr. Phelps & I, Porter & Mrs. Parsons rode to see their curious bridge. Mr. Spring & wife dined at Mr. Parsons, then all drank tea at Mr. Springs. Tuesday morning set out for Boston got there before night, put up at Mrs. Grays where we did before. Wednesday did business. Thursday about 10 set out for home came to Northbury lodged at Monroes, Fryday came to Cooks. Satt get home about noon—found all well. Thanks be to God for all his mercies

June 22 Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 123 (& 2) & from Matt 25 & 2. Monday drank tea at Mr. Shipmans—he & she went with us to see the dancing school at brothers. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Lymans. Hatfield Fanny Came home with us. Thursday she & the girls to Amherst, Dr. Cutler's. Friday they into town drank tea at Mr. Smiths. Satt went home. Mr. Phelps carried her. Betsy & Mitte set out to go with her but the canoe turned over & they got into the river. Betsy & Mitte came home as wet as water. Last Tuesday Mr. Gaylord & wife visit here. last Thursday Mr. Hop & Mrs drank tea here.

1794 June 29 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Zachariah 9.12 & Matt 24 & 48, 49. Tuesday brother Dickinson & sister visit here. Dr. Cutler's daughters visit here. Wednesday Sister Warner visit here. Thankful took opium last night for her cough—sick all day. Thursday visit Lawyer Porter a great number of people there. Friday Thankful into town of arrands in the morning. Satt. Lawyer Porters wife & her sister Woolsea from New York here. Mrs. Hop. & Lucy here, all drank tea here.

July 6 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 12 & 1 & Job 14 & 2 Tuesday jest at night Dolly Warner came here—the Cutlers here a few moments. Fryday afternoon Mitte very sick—she lives here most of the time, soon better. John Hop., here Dolly home. Satt young Mr. Strong & one Laurance here drank tea. Last Monday Mrs. Cook of Western here.

July 13 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Psalm 72 & 4 & from Ecclesiastic 3 & 20 Tuesday Jerusha Leonard, Lucretia Smith, Sally Williams of Pittsfield all here. Wednesday Mrs. Shipman visit her. Mr. Phelps & Thankful at Northampton upon business Thursday reaping day. Fryday Porter got home, May we all be truly thankful.

July 20 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 146 & 5 & from 1st Peter 1 & 5 Oh what a day and what a night was the last. Good God help me compose my spirit, teach me what I ought to do, for Jesus sake. Monday Sallome Parsons brought her mother here to stay. I visit Dr. Porters, in the Eve we all went to the ball which closes dancing school. Wednesday another harvest day—may we be thankful—what a week of wonder and amazement—such feelings—Lord help me. Surely now I can truly say I am at thy feet in anguish of spirit. I said surely the bitterness of it is past when to a new tryal. O God support thy poor distressed handmaid. Dear Jesus turn it for my good. May my husband find it works for our good as all troubles do for them that love God. From this time forth may we live heavenly, may this bitter cup prepare us for divine food. May we never turn again to folly. Thursday Mrs. Parsons into town Lucy Tappen here just at Eve Porter and all the girls at Amherst to the last ball there. Fryday Sally Hunt and Wealthy Dickinson here—at night Lucy Tappan went home with 'em—Mrs. Parsons returned here. Satt Porter, Betsy at Northampton upon business. Mrs. Parsons went home.

1794 July 27 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Romans 12 & 10 & Isaiah [blank]. Monday Mr. Emerson & his daughter called here a few moments. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Hop. Last Tuesday Lawyer Porter & Leut Smith here to settle some matters respecting Dr. Kelloggs estate.

Aug. 3 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Isaiah 53 & 11 & 1st Chronicles 28 & 9 Dear Lord Jesus may I not say I have been with thee at thy table this day—I hope I have had communion with thee father and with the saints & sweet friendly communion with my dear husband. A new life we hope to live by the grace of God. Monday John Hop & Billy White (young man) here Fanny Lyman too, Tuesday morn our three children all left us (went in the stage for Boston) dear Lord to thy Providence I commit 'em—keep 'em from sin & whatever they are denied dont let it by thy mercy in a redeemer—but give 'em one sparke of saving grace for Jesus sake Amen. Wednesday I visit brother. Thursday Judge Porter & wife Mr. Hop & wife visit here. Fryday I out of arrands in the forenoon.

August 10 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Jeremiah 9 & 6 & 1st Chronicles 16 & 10. Something of a calm frame but not lively—but in time of reading before prayers at night was much moved by heavenly effections I hope. Dear Jesus have mercy on us & open our eyes—how powerful is thy word. Zaccheus make haste and come down for today I must abide at thy house—dear redeemer abide with me. Thursday Timothy Cattings wife drank tea here.

Aug. 17 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 32 & 5 & Psalm 115.16 This day attended the funeral of Nehemiah Gaylord's wife. Tuesday Sister Warner here forenoon afternoon Eleazer Porter & Dr. Porter & wives visit here. Sister & I rode up to Susa's before dinner. Last Thursday John Montagues wife to see her sister Hancock.

1794 Aug. 24 Sun Mr. Parsons pr. Jonah 3 & 9 & Hosea 10 & 2 Monday visit Mr. Gaylord. Tuesday my husband set out for New Marlborough he & I both kept this day of fasting & prayer till after sunset. Well God bless us & we shall be blessed. Wednesday night he came home. Thursday morn went out to Ware with

others as a committee to lay roads. Fryday afternoon returned. I rode out did some arrands—Col. Porters wife visit here. Satt visit Mr. Shipmans Satt night new discoveries—bitter! Cruel.

August 31 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Job 4 & 8 & 9 & Psalm 51 & 10 Tuesday over at Northampton visit at Capt. Lanes. Mr. Phelps attended court. Wednesday he had a very sick day—Something of a disentery. Mrs. Walker & her daughter Porter visit here. Thursday Mr. Phelps at court again & Friday in forenoon. Afternoon visit Mr. Seth Smith's.

September 7 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 19, 41, 42 & Psalm 43 & 5 Wednesday General Porter & Col's wife a little visit here (Mr. Hop & Mrs. visit here Tuesday, Polly Cooley came). Satt Mr. Phelps & I rode into town of Arrands.

Sep. 14 Sun Mr. Hop. pr. Ephesims 5 & 3. Monday Eve. Peercys Leonard came here to live. Tuesday Mrs. Handcock & her two children left us to go to live at Whately. Wednesday Mr. Phelps set out for the girls. Mrs. Gaylord & Betsy visit, came before dinner. Thursday jest at night rode into town. Fryday Polly Cooley came back from brother Warners. she went there last week Thursday.

Sept. 21 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Ezekiel 25 & 6, 7 & Ecclesiastes 3 & 8. This day seperated at a great distance from my husband & all my children—I suppose they are at Newburyport—will God keep 'em. Monday visit Capt. Kellogg's. Tuesday a number of girls here to see Polly. Wednesday jest at night Mr. Hop. & Mrs. here. I soon up to Mrs. Allixanders, Susa ill. Thursday morn before 4 o'clock she was delivered of one daughter & one son. I came home before sunrise, found husband & daughters at home all well. God be praised. Sat. up to see Susa she poorly.

1794 Sept. 28 Sun. Mr. Wells pr. Matt 24 & 27, 28 and from Genesis 4 & 7 We had our little girl submit West christened. Tuesday went to go to the funeral of Mr. Nathan Goodman—was too late Betsy, Polly & Mitte they at brother Warners. I visit at lawyer Porters. Thankful up to take care of Susa—her nurse gone a few days. Wednesday Betty there. I at brother Dickinsons and to see Mr. Kellogg & wife. Thursday lecture Mr. Lyman preached John 14 & 17 drank tea at Mr. Hop. Mr. Phelps came there out upon roads four days this week. I rode into town of arrands—the Barrows visit here Satt.

Oct. 5 Sun Mr. Hop. 1st Cor 2 & 2 & Genesis 5 & 5 One more Communion—may I ever have true and spiritual communion with the Lord. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I rode into town in the forenoon of arrands. Wednesday a deal of young company here, Polly Edwards tarried. Thursday my girls & she made a visit Mr. Strong's, Amherst Fryday she left us.

Oct. 12 Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Job (22 & 2) & Mark 13 & 4. Monday the girls to chestnuting—Mr. Hop. & Mrs. visit here. Tuesday the girls attended the funeral of David Warner. Made visit Mr. Hop I at Mr. Shipmans in the Eve. Wednesday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thursday Mrs. Smith of the mills visit here—the girls visit Judge Porters. Mr. Phelps came home Jest before night—he went to lay out roads Tuesday morn. I up at Susa's Fryday. Sally & Polly Shipman here for Betsy to make a bonnet.

Oct. 19 Sun Mr. Hop pr. Proverbs 22 & 2 & Matt 23 & 26. Monday Susa's babies poorly—we all there to see 'em. Tuesday visit Judge Porter's. Wednesday the girls visit Brother Dickinson's. Thursday quilting, brother Warners. Mrs. Shipman, Mrs. Walker afternoon. Fryday Judge Porter & lady dine here, spent the afternoon.

1794 Oct 26 Sun Mr. Hop. John 3 & 17 & Luke 24 & 46. 47 Tuesday morn Mr. Phelps went to Westward to lay roads. Wednesday rode into town of arrands came directly home because I met Moses Porter & wife, Daniel Colt & Polly Edwards—in the Eve they all returned but Polly. Thursday Mr. Phelps came home. Fryday men came here to lay a spring. Satt Polly back to the Judge's.

Nov 2 Sun M. Hop pr. 2nd Cor 1 & 3, 4. Tuesday Eve the girls visit Mr. Shipman's. I visit Mr. Gaylord on Monday Thursday I at Brothers quilting, & others. Fryday Hannah & Fanny Lyman here forenoon. Lawyer Porter and wife visit here. Thankful took with the scarlet fever. Last Monday Judge Porter & Mrs. Dwight here a forenoon visit. Satt. Judge Porter & wife in here a few moments. Wednesday Mr. Phelps at the funeral of one Bellnap, died at Lt. Cooks.

Nov. 9 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Romans 14 & 16 & Job 21 & 23. Monday visit Mrs.

Newton's & Mrs. Shipman. Tuesday at brothers quilting. Peircus Leonard went to see her brother at Wilbraham last Satt. got back this night. When we came back from brothers made an evening visit at Mr. Hop. Wednesday Thankful got nearly well—been very sick. Betsy & Polly the same disorder in a small degree. Fryday Thankful into town of arrands.

Nov. 16 Sun Mr. Riddle pr. Matt 26 & 37 & Isaiah 26 & 4 Monday sister Warner & Jonathan here jest at evening. Tuesday Evening Betsy & others into town of arrands, went in a sleigh—came a snow last Fryday night. Thursday Thanksgiving day Mr. Hop pr. Psalm [blank] The girls into town in the eve, a very rainy tempestuous night. Fryday came home Lucretia Smith. Polly Dwight—all went again before night. Satt Polly Cooley came home she went Fryday.

1794 Nov. 23 Sun Mr. Kellogg pr. 1st Kings 18 & 21 & Psalm [blank]. Monday killed Hogs 12 Wednesday tryed the suet, the girls to Amherst—this day forty seven years of age—when I view the occurrences of the past year how am I filled with amazement, the wormwood and the gall, my soul hath them still in remembrance & is humbled in me. I think it is for my real good that I have such peculiar trials, pray father make me thine & keep me close to my duty whatever sorrow it may cost me from they [sic] correcting rod. Thursday Mr. Gaylord & wife visit here. Thursday sent for to Mr. Hopkins. Mr. Lyman & wife there. Satt the girls home. Dr. Porter here to see my mother she seems to be more poorly—a very strange eruption all over her body.

Nov. 30 Sun Mr. Parsons pr. Acts 24 & 16 Wednesday Mr Hop. & Mrs visit here—Sister Warner's Brother came in the Evening. Fryday I visit at Mr. Shipman's. Satt morn Mr. Phelps was moving a tub of hot water the handle brooke & scalded his leg very bad.

Dec. 7 Sun Mr. Washburn, a young candidate, pr. Luke 19 & 9 & Matt 5 & 25, 26 Another Communion—I feel I grow more careless of spiritual concerns. O Lord rouse my cold heart may it be rightly fixed trusting in thee. Tuesday made candles Mr. Phelps leg in great pain. Thursday the girls to Dr. Porter's, quilting. Fryday Mr. Parsons & wife—Judge Porter & wife visit here.

1794 Dec 14 Sun. Mr. Hop pr. Romans 1 & 19, 20, 21, 22, 23. Mr. Phelps tarried at home very lame. Monday the girls at Brother Warner's. Thursday General Porter & his daughter, Col Porters wife visit here—jest at night Mr Hop & wife here. this night the girls came home.

Dec 21 Sun Mr Hop pr the above Romans. Tuesday the Miss Cutlers here to stay the Dr came with 'em looked upon my mother says tis a scorbutic eruption. thinks she will not hold it long unless she has relief. Mrs. Shipman visit here Wednesday the girls all visit Mr. Shipman's. Thursday visit Dr. Porter Friday visit Eleazar Porter's. Satt Master Stickney & Master Smith drank tea here. Mr Stickney is teaching a singing school in this town.

Dec. 28 Sun Mr Lyman pr Ephesians 4 & 1. Wednesday the girls visit Mr. Hop. Thursday at Chiliab Smiths. Fryday the Cutlers home.

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To whom it may concern — — —

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By me, Chas E. Goodwin

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1795 Jan. 4. Sun. Mr. Hop. continued his discourse from Romans 1 & 19 &c. Another year has ended and Oh Lord that the heart rending sorrow which I have had put upon me may yield to me the good fruit of peace with God—the year past has been such a time of anguish of spirit as I never saw or that I should see, but we know not what is for us in Life. A new Year I see begun the events I shall see unfolded as it passes on. One thing have I desired of the Lord—that I may be constantly actuated by the spirit of God & always guided by it for Jesus sake Amen. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I at Amherst visit Dr. Cutlers. Wednesday the girls into town visit Mrs. Walkers, then to school—brother Phelps here at night, Thursday killed Hogs. Fryday brother left us—brother Dickinson & sister visit here. Satt: finished making sausages Susa here and her two babes. Jest at night Mr. Phelps & I rode into town—did some errands.

1795 Jan. 11. Sun. Mr. Hop. finished the above discourse from Romans. Monday made a visit Mr. Strong's Amherst. Thankful visit Dr. Cutler's. Wednesday Mr. Hop. & Mrs. visit here—jest at night Mr. Phelps came from Northampton, Uncle Phelps of Westfield & his two daughters & Miss Catherine Parsons. Thursday morn they left us. Mr. Phelps to Northampton, Fryday over again to attend Court. I visit brother's. Satt. Mrs. Alexander visit here.

Jan. 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Isaiah 57 & 11 & Proverbs 26 & 10. Tuesday visit Mr. Gaylords Thursday Judge Porter & wife Jonathan & wife & a number of others visit here. The girls to Sunderland with others visit to Miss Jerusha Leonard.

Jan. 25. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Peter 3 & 15 & Proverbs 3 & 13. at Evening Lawyer Porter & Mr. Phelps set out for Charlemont upon business. I spent the Eve at Dr. Porter's a praying meeting—her father & mother there, he made the first prayer. Monday young company here—Dolly & Saily Shipman staved. Tuesday Mr. Phelps came home. Mrs. Gavlord and Seth Smith's wife here in the Eve. Mr. Gaylord, Mr. Smith & Lucy Hop. Wednesday Col. Porter & wife Moses Porter & wife & Eliazars wife here a visit. Thursday Lecture—I did not attend. Dr. Cutler & wife, Mr. Strong & wife visit here—our girls at Northampton with other singers—home at night. Dolly left us this day—Dolly left us Tuesday. Mrs. Pierce here all day last Monday.

1795 Feb. 1. Sun. Mr. Hop: pr. Romans 8 & 32 Lamentations 3 & 40. Once more have I been at the table of my Lord & I hope not altogether without some good impressions. O that the temper of heaven may always be in me. Monday brother Warner & sister visit here. Thursday Mr. Lyman & wife dined here spent the afternoon. Fryday Becca Dickinson here all day. Satt: Old Mrs. Alexander & Eunice here. Fryday Eve spent at Mr. Hop. Went to see their children from Vermont but they were not there.

Feb. 8. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Cor. 7 & 24 & 2nd Chron. 36 & 16. Monday Mr. Hop. & wife & their children from up the country here. Tuesday Dr. Porter & wife visit here. Wednesday Sister Dickinson sent her two girls here for Polly Cooley. She has been here ever since last September. Fryday at Dr. Porter's to see her Father & mother, a large collection there.

Feb. 15. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. from Psalm 65 & 2 & Psalm 145 & 18—Upon the duty of prayer. Thursday Thanksgiving appointed by the President of the United States thro all the Union. God be forever praised for all the mercies shewn to the people of these states from the first arrival of our fathers to the present day.—be pleased to confer one favor more, a truly grateful heart. Mr Hop pr. Psalm 118 & 23. Fryday Lucretia Smith, Sam'l Gaylord, Enos Hitchcock dined here—our girls into town with 'em home at night.

Feb. 22. Sun. Mr. Williams pr. Acts 26 & 29 & Proverbs 3 & 1. Monday went to see Lawyer Porter's wife in the forenoon—her babe is sick & he gone to Boston. Tuesday visit Capt. Dickinson—Sister met me there. Thursday visit Judge Porter, Capt. Whites wife there. Mrs. Porter has been sick now better. Fryday Mrs. Shipman and Mrs. Gavlord visit here. Last Wednesday the girls visit Mr. Shipman—

Lucy Barron here to stay. Satt. attended the funeral of Orange Warner's wife.

1795 March 1. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Thess 5 & 15. Spoke upon gaming from 2nd Samuel 12 & 23. Monday we met brother Warner & Sister at brother Dickinson's. Tuesday met Sister, Mrs. Hop. & Seth Smith's wife at Mr. Shipmans. Wednesday the girls visit at Chiliab Smith's. Thursday I met Sister there. Satt. my husband took poorly—had the Dr. bleed.

Mar. 8. Sun. all tarried at home. My husband poorly still. The riding very bad. Tuesday Mr. Lyman here—after he was gone Mr. Hop. here to see Mr. Phelps. Wednesday Judge Porter here to see him. Thursday General Porter here. Last Monday Dr. Porter here again, bled Mr. Phelps again, jest at night laid on a blistering plaister on his side. Tuesday better. Fryday jest at Eve I rode to Mr. Gaylords—she very poorly.

Mar. 15. Sun. Mr. Hop. Dueteronomy 4 & 9 & Psalm 27 & 10. Mr. Phelps better but not well eno' to go to meeting. Monday Eve the girls visit Dr. Cutler with others. Tuesday Mr. Hop. & Mrs. visit here & Sister Warner.

Mar. 22. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Hebrews 4 & 2 & Psalm 111 & 10. Something rainy. Mr. Phelps did not go to meeting. Fryday began to make soap Wednesday finished. Thursday Samuel Blotchet & Susa his wife & twins moved to Deerfield—may they have a blessing spiritual & temporal. In the afternoon Mr. Phelps & I made a visit at Mr. Lyman's. Thankful in town—Fryday home.

Mar 29 Sun Mr Hop pr Proverbs 22 & 6 & Jeremiah 36 & 3. Tuesday Betsy into town of arrands. Thursday fast day Mr. Hop. pr. 2nd Samuel 22 & 4 & Psalm 104 & 13. Fryday visit Mr. Gaylords.

1795 April 5. Sun. No preaching. Mr. Hop. gone to pr. at Northfield. Mr. Hubbard died last fall. Mr. Phelps read both parts of the day in president Davies' works. This morning killed a noble cow because she could not calve—found when she was opened the calf grew fast to her. Dear Lord may we hear they voice even in this providence. Monday Mrs. Gaylord & Betsy here a few moments. Tuesday visit Mr. Hop. Thursday morn Mr. John Hop. came here desiring me to go & tarry at their house. Mrs. Hop. had another fit of the Palsey last Eve. I went with him. Lecture Mr. Parson pr. I did not attend. Mrs. Hop. very stupid. Lodged with Mrs. Gaylord—he gone to Worcester for Lucy. Fryday Mrs. Hop. much better. Satt. just before night Lucy got home. Mr. Phelps came for me & I got home.

Apr. 12. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 23 & 24 & 1st John 4 & 13. Lord once more at thy table yet how unworthy & the more so as I am not fully sensible of my vileness. O may I have the spirit of the redeemer always dwelling in me at all times. Tuesday the girls had company. Wednesday sister Warner here before dinner. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Fryday visit General Porter's—jest in to see Mrs. Hop. appears much the same. Satt. made candles Lawyer Porter & wife in here a few moments.

Apr. 19. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 21 & 14. Wednesday Porter came home he has now finished his studies & compleated his Education. Heavenly Father be merciful & direct him in this now important period—may he begin right. may he begin with making choice of God for his father, friend & portion & all shall be well. The girls went to Amherst this afternoon to a ball.

April 26. Sun. Mr. Parsons pr. Collossions 1 & 27. Thursday the girls a ride to Amherst, at Dr. Cutler's. Eliazor Porter's wife & Lawver Porter's wife visit here. Mr. Lyman of Hatfield here a little while. Wednesday Porter attended court at Northampton. Thursday morning Porter & I set out for Boston—lodged at Leicester at Swan's Tavern. Fryday breakfasted at Mr. Austin's—got to Boston jest at night—put up at Mrs. Grays.

1795 May 3. Sun. at Mr. Clark's meeting—he pr. [blank] Communion day. Hope I had some feeling tho rather dull. Tuesday drank tea at Mr. William Parsons. Wednesday drank tea at Mr. Whites—in the Eve went to the Play. Thursday we set out for home, lodged at Worcester. Fryday night got home comfortable found all so. Blessed be God.

May 10. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 1 & 50 & Isaiah 1 & 3. Monday into town did many arrands, visit Mr. Hop. Sister Warner & Capt. Dickinson's wife there. Tuesday Porter set out for Swansey upon business for Mr. Timothy Hammond. In the afternoon Mr. Gaylord, Lucy Hop., & Betsy Gaylord here. Jest at night my girls

went to Mr. Shipman's to stay. Thursday Porter got home, Fryday morning the girls.

May 17. Sun. Mr. Riddle pr. Hebrews 4 & 9 & John 9 & 40 I tarried at home not very well. Monday had our Chaise house raised. Tuesday Porter & the girls visit Mr. Lyman's. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & Porter attended court Northampton. Thursday Porter & the girls visit Mr. Hopkins. Fryday I visit Mr. Eliazar Porter's. Last Monday Dr. Cutlers daughters visit here.

May 25. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 9 & 5, 6 & Matt. 8 & 25. Monday morning early my husband & son left for Boston. The girls rode into town in the afternoon. I was very sick,—Tuesday better. Piercis went home for a visit. Wednesday Mrs. Shipman here—very poorly. Dolly Warner & Becca Smith visit here. Thursday Sally Shipman here to stay, Satt. home.

May 30. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Peter 5 & 10 & Psalm 90 & 10. After meeting attended the funeral of Mr. Ebenezer Marsh. Jest at Eve'g Percis came back. Tuesday Sister Warner visit here. Wednesday Mr. Lyman of Hatfield visit here. Thursday lecture—Mr. Lyman, Thankful & I attended. I met sister Warner at Mr. Gaylords. after meeting this day Mrs. Hopkins rode out for the first time since she had her last shock. Fryday the girls a ride to see the canal. Satt. Betsy & I rode into town did arrands—drank tea at brother. This day Mrs. Hop. rode to our door.

1795 June 7. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Cor. 11 & 24 & Galations 3 & 9. Another opportunity at thy table is thy spirit dwell in my heart dear Lord all shall be well. Tuesday Mrs. Hills from Hartford & Emele Pitkin Judge Porter & wife, Coll'l & wife, Eleazai & wife, Moses & wife, Mrs. Walker & Mrs. Hillhouse all visit here. Thursday Mrs. Gaylord visit here all day—the girls visit Judge Porter's with many others. Fryday Thankful & I attended the funeral of Dr. Lyman at the meeting house. Satt. Mr. Phelps came home well and we were also thro the great goodness of God. This week Mr. Joel Kellog's wife died at Whately—they lived with a daughter there.

June 14 Sun Mr Parsons pr. Ruth 1 & 5 & Numbers 16 & 46 This day twenty five years since we were united in the marriage relation and how tender the feelings of this day—how softened my heart Lord Jesus surely what comes from thee tends to thee again. Lord I live upon thee May I live to thee. Monday visit to Mrs. Dwight at Lawyer Porters, the lawyer & his wife are gone to New York & her mother Dwight stays there. Judge Porter's wife & others there. Tuesday Mr. Bodwel of Hatfield killed by lightning. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Parsons's Amherst. Thursday the girls rode out to Amherst jest at night. Fryday rode into town jest at night, drank tea at brothers. Satt. Mr. Phelps & his daughter from Suffield dined here.

June 21. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job. 36 & 18 & Jeremiah 6 & 8. Monday Judge Porter's wife and her sister Pierpont Edwards wife, of New Haven & her daughter Johnson visit here. Tuesday General Porter & his daughter Hillhouse, Mr. Phelps & I went to see the locks & canals that are made at South Hadley. Met Mr. Ely from Springfield & Dr. Shepherd & Mr. Henshaw, Mr. Pomroy & their wives—went in the morning and returned at night. Wednesday visit General Porters. Sister Warner & Lucy Hop. there. Satt. made Mrs. Hop. a little visit. Last Monday night Mr. Phelps & his daughter came back from Montague & lodged here.

1795 June 28. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Ephsians 5 & 14 from Isaiah [blank]. The funeral of old Mrs. Pierce was attended this day. Monday Col. Lyman of Northampton & wife a visit here. Jest at night Mr. Phelps & I rode into town. I stop at Mrs. Newtons a few moments. Tuesday the girls at Amherst to tarry. Fryday General Porters grand children here. Thursday Judge Porters wife and her daughter Moses wife, Mrs. Hillhouse & Col. Porters wife jest called here. Satt. in the forenoon I set out to do arrands—first into town up to old Mrs. Fergusons—she is very sick. Jest as I got home Jerusha Leonard & a Miss Williams from Sunderland called here.

July 5 Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Acts 2 & 37 & 1st Peter 1 & 6. Monday visit at Mr. Azariah Dickinsons, Mrs. Shipman visit there. Tuesday Dr. Porter & wife & Dolly Williams visit here. Wednesday old Mrs. Ferguson buried. Widow Rhoda Montague visit here. Fryday into town of arrands in the forenoon, soon home.

Jest at night the girls came home from Amherst. Satt. there again upon business jest at night—soon returned.

July 12. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. John 4 & 42 & Romans 4 & 5. Monday the girls visit Dr. Porters. Tuesday visit Mr. Shipmans. Wednesday the girls had Company from Amherst. Fryday Eleazar Porter & wife little visit here.

July 19. Sun. Mr. Kellogg pr. John 6 & 45 & Hebrews 4 & 9. Monday I at Mr. Hop. to see Mrs. Worcester—we went to Mr. Gaylords drank tea—Lucy Hop. very poorly. She and Mrs. Worcester called here Tuesday morning riding for Lucy's health—got a lowness of spirits never very much effected. Thursday Mr. Gaylord & Mrs. Worcester & Sally Williams & Betty Gaylord here & John Hop. Satt. Mr. Phelps & I into town of arrands, drank tea at brothers.

1795 July 25 Mr. Hop. from Romans 2 & 16 & Joel 2 & 12. Monday the girls visit Lawyer Porters. Tuesday they went to Hatfield Mr. Lymans, to stay. Mr. Phelps & I at Brother Dickinsons. Satt. the girls home—in the afternoon I rode into town of arrands. Last Wednesday Perces had her mother here for the morn.

August 2. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 103, 3 ver. & Genesis 3 & 15. Monday Mr. Phelps down by the falls laying out roads—a hard rain. Tuesday the girls to Mr. Chiliab Smiths to help Lucretia quilt. Thursday Lecture we did not go. Betsy went from Mr. Smiths. Mr. Williams of Leverett pr. Solomons song 5 & 10. Fryday jest at night the girls home. Three of the warmest days, perhaps ever I knew. Satt. in the afternoon Dr. Shepherd & wife came in here—it rained, they have been at Northfield. Jest at sunset they left us.

Aug. 9. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 119 & 25 & Psalm 143 & 8. What a good text! Once more have I been at thy table dear Lord & May the language of my heart & the practice of my life be correspondent to the words of the text. Monday Mrs. Newton, Mrs. Shipman visit here Tuesday Mrs. Shipman & I visit Mr. Seth Smiths. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Lymans, Hatfield. Satt. Thankful rode out to Amherst from home in the afternoon. Polly & Lucy—Easter & Suky, Wealthy Dickinson of Northampton visit here. I into town, stayed some time at brother—dull times. Mr. Tappen & wife visit here last Friday.

Aug. 16. Sun. Mr. Hop. from Jeremiah 32 & 18 & Job 37 & 13. Monday the girls took Mitte & went to Deerfield to see Susa. Mr. Phelps had business that way. I very poorly all day, they got home before night—went in the morning. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I, Mr. Tappen & wife visit Dr. Cutlers. Wednesday poorly again all day. Hitchcock & John Hopkins, Thankful & Betsy rode to Sunderland. Lucy came here and stayed while they were gone. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I set out for new Marlborough—got to brothers jest at night. Satt. stayed there.

1795 August 23. Sun. at Meeting Mr. Lyman pr. Hebrews 11 & 7. Drank tea at Mother Smiths—back to brothers. Monday set out for home hindered, lodged at Uncle Aliens. Tuesday got home about noon. Capt. Smiths wife and Windsors wife & her mother visit here. Thursday the girls to Amherst with Northampton girls. Fryday they visit Deacon Smiths. Fryday at Amherst again with Betsy Hills.

Aug. 30. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Phillipians 3 & 1. Tuesday Mr. Phelps at Northampton to attend court—I went with him dined at Uncle Parsons—in the afternoon attended the funeral of Mr. Samuel Clarks wife, she was Jerusha Phillips neice to General Porters second wife & lived with her before she married Mr. Clark. Thursday Mr. Phelps at court again—the girls with Lucretia Colt. Fryday he attended Court again—Mrs. Strong, Mrs. Cutler, Dr. Cutlers sister Robinson visit here. Mrs. Strong & Mrs. Cutler had sons to wait on 'em. Satt. my mother visit Mr. Shipmans—she had not been any where abroad for two years. Betsy & I rode into town to arrands—when we got home found Samuel Blotchet & his wife here with the twins. Jest at night Easter & Suky Cutler came here to keep Sunday.

Sept. 6. Sun. Mr. Hop.: read part the first of Numbers—from thence shewed the value of the Scriptures. in the afternoon pr. Job 8 & 13. Monday Susa went with her twins into town, our girls and the Cutlers visit at Judge Porters to see Betsy Hills—the Cutlers went home from there. Tuesday the girls rode into town of arrands just at night. Wednesday I at brothers before dinner, Mrs. Shipman there; jest at night Mrs. Goodman. When I was gone the girls went with Mr. Lymans daughters, made a visit at Cutlers. Fryday Betsy Hills here—back again

in the afternoon to prepare for the ball at Amherst, our girls there. Wednesday Susa came back here. Satt. home to Deerfield.

1795 Sep. 13. Sun Mr Hop pr. Luke 3, 10 & on to the 15 ver & Proverbs 11 & 25. This day one Joseph Homes, about 14, living at Mr. Gardner Kelloggs looks like was trappan'd fell from the great beam last Thursday night. Tuesday the girls visit Mr. Gaylords in the Eve. Dolly Warner here to stay. Wednesday Sally Shipman here. Thursday, Eve Sally went home. Fryday I was sent for to Dr. Porters to see Esq. Billings wife of Conway. When I got home found young company here—they soon left us. Satt. Betsy carried Dolly home.

Sep. 20. Sun. Mr. Phelps & I at Amherst, Mr. Parsons pr. Titus 2, 11 & 12 dined at Mr. Parsons. Monday unwell. Wednesday the girls to Conway. Thursday the widow Cutting here to stay. Jest at night the girls got home. Fryday Landlady Smith here. Moses Porters wife & Mrs. Selden here a few moments—the girls into town of arrands. Satt. Mrs. Cutting left us, Sally Williams & Lucy Hop a short visit here. Betsy into town of arrands.

Sept. 27. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Proverbs 15 & 26 & Psalm 128 & 1. I tarried at home, been unwell all the week past. I pray God to fit me for the disposition of his will. Fryday Mr. Parsons & wife & Sister Salome here, soon came Lt. Patrage's son Samuel & Capt. Billings' son Joseph both scollars in Colledge—Hannah Lyman & two of Coll'l Dickinson's daughters, then Patty Church & a Mr. Adams of Portsmouth whom she is soon to marry, all visit here. I very poorly but about. Thursday the girls went to lecture but found it was put by to Fryday on account of training. Fryday Mr. Austin & Lucy called here in the forenoon. I went to Lecture—Mr. Austin pr. Psalm 51.4 Drank tea at Mr. Hop. Satt. went to see Dr. Cutler being so unwell.

1795 Oct. 4 Sun. Mr. Montague a Church priest pr. Psalm 43 & 4 & Eclesiates 12 & 1. Been at the table of the Lord tho in a great deal of pain, hope I had some blessing from above. Monday Mr. Phelps at Greenfield. Tuesday went to South Hadley to lay roads. Lucinda Nobles here to taylour. In the afternoon Betsy and I attended a praying meeting called a consert of prayer—the afternoon of the first Tuesday of every third month, beginning from January and proposed to be observed in prayer for the pouring out of Gods gracious spirit upon the needy children of men, by a great number of Churches far & near. Mr. Hop. pr. "thy kingdom come thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Wednesday Eve Mr. Phelps came home. Fryday Thankful & I rode to Dr. Cutlers, Lucinda home.

Oct. 11. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Isaiah 63 & 1. Very rainy—none at meeting from here in forenoon. Mr. Phelps and Thankful afternoon. Had a very sick day indeed, been growing poorly all the week. Dear Lord I hope in thee. Monday Polly Billings here to tarry. Tuesday she & the girls visit Mr. Parsons & Mr. Strong—Wednesday Judge Porter & wife visit here, Polly & Lucy Barron visit here. Thursday Old Mrs. Hammlton here—a very rainy day. Fryday morning she left us. Betsy carried Polly into town found a messenger at Capt. Dickinsons from Conway to carry Polly Billings to her Aunt Ashley home. Mr. Elisha Billings daughter very sick. Mrs. Gaylord & Betty visit here.

Oct. 18. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 89 & 7 ver. Monday Mr. Phelps at Ashfield, got back in the Eve. Mr. Lyman an evening visit here. Thankful carried Betsy to stay at brothers. Wednesday Thankful there & Betsy home. Thursday Mrs. Cook of Western visit here & Kezia Cook. Satt. Mr. Phelps & I rode to Brother Dickinson & I continued poorly yet but was at meeting in the afternoon last Sunday—Mr. Phelps at Hatfield in the forenoon. Thankful here at night, been quilting. Jerusha Leonard here going to Hadley.

1795 Oct. 25. Sun. Mr. Amasa Cook pr. Romans 9 & 14 & James 1 & 17. In the forenoon Mr. Phelps went to Hatfield heard Mr. Taylor of Deerfield from Acts 26 & 28, 29. I have again been at the house of God this afternoon for which I deserve to be thankful, be pleased O God & restore my health, fit me for thy mercy & bestow it upon me for Jesus sake Amen. Monday the girls to Northampton. Mr. Hop. visit here. Tuesday Mrs. Lyman of Hatfield visit here. General Porter & Coll'l Samuel Porter's wife & Lawyer Porter's wife visit here. Wednesday the girls to Amherst to exhibition. Judge Porters wife & Lawyer Porters wife here to wait upon Mrs. Dwight & Mrs. Butler from Northampton. Thursday Sister Warner &

Mrs. Shipman, Brother Dickinson & Sister here to dine, spent the day. Friday my mother & I spent the day at Mr. Hop.

Nov. 1. Sun. Mr. Emons pr. Romans 3, 12 & 2nd Kings 8 & 11. I have been at meeting all day & feel mending. I hope my last Sundays prayer is in a measure. O God fit me for mercy & then grant it for Jesus sake Amen. Monday Capt. Eliazer Porter & wife came here about sunset, drank tea & spent the Eve. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord, her daughter Smith, Mrs. Emons, Sally Williams & Lucy Hop. visit here. Wed. the Miss Cutlers & Mary Honds visit here. Thursday forenoon Sister Phelps came here going home from Norwich. Fryday morn left us. Satt. Dr. Wells here to see me Betsy at Mother Dickinsons. Our folks made candles.

Nov. 8. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Daniel 3 & 16 & Zephaniah 2 & 3. tarried at home been more poorly the week past. Tuesday Thankful at Northampton with Mr. Phelps—he attended court. Wed. Polly Williams & Polly Montague visit here. Polly Williams tarried. Thursday morn she left us. Betsy at Northampton with her father. Fryday Mr. Phelps, Sister Warner attended the funeral of their Uncle Martin Phelps of Northampton. Satt. Eve Porter came home.

1795 Nov. 15. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Phillippians 4 & 19. In the Eve we all went to Brother Warners to see Dolly [Warner] Married to Mr. William Dickinson. I was quite comfortable at meeting in the afternoon. Thursday—Thanksgiving I did not go to meeting. Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 147 & 20—jest at night Brother Williams & his daughter Eunice came here. In the Eve Porter & the girls went to the Ball. Fryday Brother Warner & sister here forenoon. Porter & the girls jest at night went to Lawyer Porters. Brother Warner & sister, brother Williams & his daughter left soon after tea. Satt. Porter & Betsy visit at brother Dickinsons & Mr. Lyman's.

Nov. 22. Sun. Mr. Williams, Northampton pr. John 10 & 32 & Kings 18 & 12. Very cold I did not attend meeting, pray God I may have my health restored. Of this day been greatly melted for my poor thotless children—I think I have committed 'em into the hands of a merciful God, feel more calm. Tuesday Cap Lanes wife called here a few moments—jest at night Porter had some young gentlemen here to see him. About 9 o'clock Mr. Phelps carried him to General Porters who is going for Boston in the stage with him early tomorrow morning. Our Porter has lived in Boston since last June, has an office there. Almighty Lord thy power can bring him to the foot of a saviour & thine shall be the glory. Wednesday the girls visit Mr. Tappans at Northampton, the Miss Lyman's met 'em there. Thursday Mr. Phelps went to Ashfield—I rode out. The girls to a Ball at Northampton in the Eve. This day Forty eight years old. Lord how unworthy I am of thy mercy but the grace is thine and thine shall be the praise and glory forever. Many good things have I received from the Lord & shall I not submit to some suffering—ever since the twentieth of last September I have been quite unwell. I wait the mercy of God to restore me if it be his will, but pray Father make me thine & give me a truly Christian temper & disposition to honor thee in all circumstances of life and may I do my duty in all things heartily as unto the Lord. Fryday Mrs. Gaylord visit here—Mr. Gaylord came jest at night & Mr. Phelps came home—we had a good visit. Last Wednesday Mrs. Smith here a little while—Windsors wife.

1795 Nov. 29. Sund. Mr. Phelps & Polly at Hadley—the deacons carried on. The girls at Amherst. Tuesday morn Betsy went to brothers. Afternoon Dr. Porters wife and Moses Wife visit here. Dr. here to tea. Wednesday jest at night Thankful went to brothers & Betsy came home. Thursday Eve Thankful home. Fryday I rode with Betsy to do errands. Did not get out—soon home.

Dec. 6. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Luke 1 & 77 & Proverbs 1, 24 & 26. At meeting this afternoon. Monday jest at night Lucretia Smith here to stay. Wednesday Eve she returned—Thursday the Miss Cutlers here before noon—in the afternoon I went to Lecture—Mr. Lyman. pr. Ephesians 2 & 4, 5. Made a visit at brother Warners. The girls all a visit at Cap. Chilliab Smiths. Fryday the girls visit Lawyer Porter. Satt. the Miss Cutlers home.

Dec. 13. Sun. Mr. Hop. from John 1 & 29 & Luke 22 & 21 Sacrement Day, rainy did not go to Meeting. May I receive a blessing for Jesus Amen. Tuesday Judge Porter & wife visit here. The girls visit at Mr. Hop. Dolly Warner that is

now Mrs. Dickinson home with 'em. Thursday I at Mrs. Gaylords before dinner—they moved into their new house the week before last. Dolly left us.

Dec. 20. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Job 5 & 9 Joel 2 & 31. Did not go to meeting, stormy. Monday young gentlemen here in the Eve. Thursday Mr. Hop. visit here. Fryday Mr. Phelps at Northampton to see Dr. Hunt on my account. Satt. Dr. Cutler here to see me in a sad situation.

Dec. 27. Sun. Mr. Hop. [blank] Mr. Phelps stayed home with me all day—hope I am a little better, stepped a few steps. In the Eve Brother Warner and sister & old Mr. Orange Warner & his new wife (she was the widow Colman of Whately) here. Monday Judge Porters wife here to see me in forenoon—Tuesday Mrs. Newton here a little while. Thursday Lawyer Porter & wife visit here. In the evening the girls went to see Samuel Gaylord & Lucretia Smith married. Fryday Mr. Phelps and both girls at Hatfield to the funeral of Coll'l Dickinsons daughter Hepsibah last Wednesday Eve., Young gentlemen & ladies here.

1796 January 3. Sun: Mr. Hop. from Deuteronomy 30 & 20. Stormy, none went in the forenoon. Mr. Phelps & Betsy in the afternoon. I feel much more comfortable, can walk about the room. Monday Mrs. Pierce here a little while. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & the girls attended the concert lecture, they made a visit to the new Mrs. Gaylord. Wednesday Mr. Parsons of Amherst here—dined. He has a rupture lately come upon him. Jest at night the girls at Dickinsons—they make their wedding this day. Thursday they came home stayed with Dolly because it was dark. Thursday jest at night Mr. Phelps went with 'em down to Smiths to get a gown. Fryday made sausages, killed Hoggs last week Tuesday. Satt: Miss Cutler here a few moments at night—Uncle John Phelps of Westfield here—a little cracky. Mr. Hop. pr. last Tuesday from Psaim 121 & 4.

Jan. 10. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. 2 Kings 18 & 5 & Phillippians 2 & 16. This day got quite comfortable but dare not yet venture to meeting. O God of my life prevent a return of my disorder & grant that I may once more frequent thy courts with a more heavenly mind than formerly—or else if thou seest best still to hold me in trouble, grant me thy grace to reap good from all the dispositions of thy providence. And it is a sweet trusting & rejoicing in my God thro the merits of my dear redeemer. Tuesday Mr. Seth Smith & wife here. Mrs. Gaylord, Sally Williams, Lucy Hop: Sally stayed. Wednesday the girls visit Jacob Smiths. Thursday Sally and Betsy at the funeral of Samuel Peirce. Fryday we made Sally's gown she got yesterday. Jest at night the Cutlers here. Satt. Morn Sally home. Jest at night Thankful home with Easter, Sukey stayed.

1796. Jan. 17. Sun: Mr. Hop. pr. Leviticus 27 & 14 & 2 Samuel 22, 31. Been at Meeting all day—comfortable—how great Gods goodness to such an unworthy creature. Monday had a comfortable visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday the girls visit at Willian Dickinsons—Sukey home—Thankful returned here. Thursday Sister Warner & I visit at her son Dickinsons. Fryday General Porter & his son Coll'l Sam & wife visit here. Satt. Mr. Phelps carried Betsy to Amherst—she had two teeth drew. Mrs. Cutler here a few moments—Betsy came home with her.

Jan. 24. Sun. Mr. Hop. from Ephesians 1 & 8. Again at the house of God all day—pray Lord continue thy mercy & favour to they poor unworthy creature. Monday Mr. Phelps & I visit Dr. Colmans Amherst. Tuesday jest at Night Mr. & Mrs. Gaylord here stayed to tea. Sister Warner here in the Eve-g. Wednesday morning Mr. Phelps & our two daughters set out for Boston. Mr. Hitchcock went to come back with the girls. Mr. Phelps attends court. Last Sunday evening many people were here, 19 in all.

Jan. 30 not one of us at meeting—the sleigh & horses gone to Boston, Lord grant thy blessing upon us. Mr. Kellogg pr. Monday Sally Williams here before dinner. Thursday jest at night sent for, home. Fryday after 8 the girls got home well—a kind providence.

Feb. 6 Sun: Mr. Gyrby from John 3 & 17 & Luke 10 & 11, 12. Again have I been at thy table dear Lord, hope I felt some melting from thy spirit—how comfortable in my body. How grateful (I hope) in mind. Accept the surrender blessed God, which I make of myself to thee and give me thy good spirit to guide me in the right way at all times for Jesus sake Amen. In the Eve the girls to Dr. Cutlers. Monday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Tuesday Mr. Hop. visit here in the forenoon, the girls visit to Mr. Shipmans. Thursday the girls attended the funeral

of Joanna Gaylord (Mr. Nehemiah's daughter) she died very suddenly. Betsy Colt & Lucretia visit here and Sally Shipman. Fryday Judge Porter & wife in here a few moments.

1796 Feb. 14. Sun. Mr. Lyman Minister of New Marlborough from Luke 15 ch. from the 11 ver. to the 24 inclusive. In the evening Lawyer Porter & wife, young Samuel Gaylord & wife here & some others. Monday I rode up to see Mrs. Paul Wright—has been very sick. In the afternoon the girls visit Deacon Smiths—in the Eve. Mr. Hubbard of Brookfield & wife & Sally came here in their return from Dr. Wells. Mrs. Hubbard unwell, they drank tea & spent the Eve. Tuesday I went to see Mr. Enos Nash—very low. Wednesday visit at General Porters with Mrs. Hubbard and others. Mr. Elisha Williams (once of Pomfret) & wife & child came there and lodged. Thursday I went to Mr. Seth Smiths—soon sent for home. Mrs. Lyman of Hatfield and her two daughters here. Fryday Sister Warner came—I went with her to brother Dickinsons. When we came home found Mr. Phelps returned.

Feb. 21. Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. Isaiah 1 ch. from the 15 ver. to the 19 & Jeremiah 12 & 1. Monday Cap't. Dickinsons wife, young Sam'l Gaylord's wife, William Dickinsons wife visit here—their husbands here drank tea & spent the Eve. Tuesday visit Lawyer Porters. Wednesday visit Mr. Lymans. Thursday Mr. Hop., Mr. Hubbard and wife, Mr. Gaylord & wife, Sally Williams dined here & spent the day. Jest at night Mr. Parsons & wife & mother here. Old Mrs. Parsons tarried. Fryday Sister Warner here before dinner.

1796 Feb. 28 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Timothy 4 & 10 & John 6 & 37 Tuesday we carried the girls to Amherst—Mr. Kellogg & old Mrs. Parsons home. Mr. Phelps & I made a visit there. Thursday went to Mr. Gaylord's before dinner. Mrs. Gaylord & I sent for to see Mrs. Norton she is down from Ashfield with her twins. Fryday brother Dickinson & sister here to dine. Betsy Gaylord and Sinthy Hubbard here to see Polly. In the evening Mr. Phelps & I at brother Warners of errands—soon home. Thankful home, Betsy tarried at Mr. Strong's.

Mar. 6 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Isaiah 5 & 1 & 55 & 1. Monday visit Mr. Shipmans. Tuesday Betsy home from Amherst. Thursday the girls visit Porters. Wednesday brother Tim here lodged.—Thursday set out for home.

Mar. 13 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Numbers 12 & 3 & Luke 13 & 24 Monday visit at Judge Porters—Mrs. Porter poorly. Thankful down to tarry at Dickinsons to spin with Dolly. Fryday Eve—home. Satt. Betsy & her father rode into town to do errands.

Mar. 20 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Hebrews 9 & 28. Wednesday as far as Mr. Shipmans of an errand.

Mar. 27 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Jeremiah 14 & 7 & Matt: 14 & 30. Tuesday went to Mr. Gaylord's in the morning—in the afternoon visit at Mr. Hop. Thursday fast day—Mr. Hop. pr. Acts 27 & 9 & Deuteronomy 8 & 10, 11. Fryday brothers to dinner—attended the funeral of Mr. Enos Nash at the meeting house. Spent the rest of the day at brothers—Dolly there.

April 3 Sun. Mr. Hop. did not tell where his text was—it was respecting the salvation by a saviour. In the afternoon Ecclesiastes 8 & 8. Once more at the Lords table I fear I feel more stupid. Oh may the graces of the divine spirit rest upon me and guide me into all truth. Monday Dolly Warner that was visit here. Tuesday Mitte's mother here. Mr. Phelps & I attended the concert of prayer—Mr. Hop. pr. Psalm 102 & 16. Stayed at Mr. Hop. till night. Wednesday morn Mr. Phelps set off for Boston. The girls visit at Mrs. Walkers. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thursday Eve the girls home, lodged at Mr. Gaylord's. Fryday I visit Mrs. Walkers. Satt. before 9 Mr. Phelps came home well. Betsy into town of Errands this day. Mrs. Blotchet went home Wednesday.

1796 April 10 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Acts 11 & 23 & 1st Thessalonians 5 & 8. Mr. Noah Cooks funeral attended at the meeting house this day. Tuesday the girls visit to Betsy Hubbard. Wednesday made candles. Hannah Lyman & Fanny came here in the Eve to stay. Fryday Dr. Porters wife a visit here the Dr. & others spent the Eve. The Miss Lymans left us.

April 17 Sun. Mr. Lyman from John 3 & 7 & 2nd Timothy 1 & 4, 5. Spoke much of the duty of parents to children. Monday made a visit to the new made widow Cook—had a good serious visit. When we came home called to see Seth

Montague—he cut his knee eight weeks ago & it is now so much mortified it must be cut off. Tuesday the Doctors collected & Dr. Printice cut it off. Thursday Judge Porter & wife visit here.

April 24 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Psalm 50 & 22 & Psalm 144 & 15. Monday a visit Capt. Elcazar Porter's—Mrs. Dwight of Northampton there & others. Tuesday the girls Lawyer Porters. Betsy tarried with Dolly. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton—dined at Uncle Roots. Mr. Phelps attended court, I visit at Mrs. Dwights, Judge Porters wife and Lawyers wife there. Thursday we went over again visit Mr. Stoddards. Fryday Betsy home from Mr. Dickinsons. Satt. the girls rode to Amherst.

May 1 Sun. Mr. Smith from 1st Timothy 1 & 15 & Ecclesiastes 1 & 2. Monday visit Capt. Smiths (Chiliab), Mrs. Gaylord & her new daughter there, Sister Warner etc. Tuesday visit Mr. Hop. Wednesday Easter Cutler & Lucy Barron here—home at night. Sally Shipman went home this Eve. she came Tuesday. Thursday the girls visit Windsor Smiths. Friday put on a blue Shaloon [shalloon a thin loosely woven twilled worsted stuff] to quilt for my mother. Satt. got it off. Jest at night Betsy & I rode into town to do arrands.

May 8 Sun. Mr. Hop. Psalm 119 & 64. Monday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Strong's, Amherst. Wednesday the two Mrs. Gaylords visit here before dinner. Thursday sister Dickinson here. Fryday General Porter & Lucy Hopkins called here a little while. Jest at night the girls rode into town.

1796 May 15. Mr. Hop. pr. 1st Corin. 2 & 11. This day we took our new pew one part of the fore-seat we have to ourselves. Monday Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Williams of Brimfield, Lucy Hopkins here. Jest at night Mr. Gaylord & Mrs. Williams met 'em here—been up to see Dr. Wells. Mr. Williams in a very low state. Tuesday the girls visit Mr. Hop. Thursday Mr. Hop. & Mr. Williams & Mrs. Dined here—spent the afternoon. Satt. forenoon the girls rode to see goods at the new store. Last Wednesday Mrs. Shipman here a little while in the forenoon.

May 22 Sun. Mr. Hop. Genesis 6 & 5. Monday Morn Mr. Phelps & I set out for Boston—lodged at Mr. Worcesters at Worcester. Tuesday got to Mrs. Grays at Boston in the Eve. My son came to see me—all well. Thursday went with Mr. Emons to Franklin. Satt. jest at night Mr. Phelps came.

May 29 Sun. Mr. Emons pr.—tarried at Communion. Lord accept me for Jesus sake. Monday back to Boston before dinner. Wednesday Porter and I set out for Newburyport, put up at Mrs. Springs. Thursday forenoon visited Mrs. Parsons, she unwell. Afternoon Judge Greenleaf & Lady at Mr. Springs. Fryday forenoon Mrs. Spring & her two oldest children; Porter and I rode to Byfield saw the woolen manufacturing. Afternoon visit Deacon Thompsons. Satt. back to Boston.

June 5 Sun. Heard Mr. Clark—Exodus [blank] At the Lords table again—O may I profit by every opportunity. Monday rode with Porter to his lodgings Mrs. MacNeel. Wednesday dined there—made a visit William Parsons. Thursday visit Mr. Grays. Fryday 5 o'clock set out for home with Coll'l Samuel Porter, he down upon business (his father died Sunday before last at Springfield) we got to Ezekiel Hows, lodged there: then to Cooks & lodged. Mr. Phelps could not leave court.

June 12 got home before noon. Afternoon at meeting Mr. Hop. from 1st Peter 4 & 3. Monday I visit Mr. Hop. Betsy at Mr. Gaylords. Found the Cutlers here when we came home. Tuesday visit Mr. Shipman. Wednesday the girls all at Mrs. Walkers. Tuesday—twenty six years since we were married—Lord make us thine. Sister Warner, Mrs. Shipman, Coll'l Porter's wife & the Lawyer's, Mr. & Mrs. Hop. all visit here. Betsy came back for Thankful & tarried at home. Thursday the girls all over to Hatfield at Mr. Lyman. Fryday came home soon after dinner. Mr. Phelps & I into town Fryday—(he came home last night before sunset) visit Mr. Seth Smiths.

1796 June 19 Sun. No preaching. Mr. Hop. gone to Worcester, Mrs. Worcester at point of death, went Thursday morn—the Deacons performed. In the afternoon Betsy & I went to Hatfield, Mr. Williston pr. John 6 & 45. Monday Sally Shepherd & Sally Hunt from Northampton here. Polly Matoon & Easter Kellogg from Amherst. Mr. Phelps & I visit at brothers. Tuesday morn the Northampton ladies left us & a Mr. Jones—our girls & the Cutlers visit Dr. Porters. Wednesday I sent

for to Mr. Shipmans. Thankful & the Cutlers visit Mr. Gaylord. Jest at Eve Mr. Phelps & Betsy came to Mr. Shipmans. Mr. Phelps married Jonathan Warner to Sally Shipman. Thankful came and others. Thursday Morn the Miss Cutlers left us.

June 26 Sun. Mr. Hop. from 1st Corr. 9 & 25. Monday to see Mrs. Norton—found her at Capt Porters—spent the afternoon there with others. Tuesday Polly & Lucy Barron here to tarry. Judge Porter & wife, Capt & wife, Moses & wife and Mrs. Norton visit here. Mrs. Norton tarried. Wednesday forenoon I went with her, dined at Coll'l Porters. Mrs. Norton and I soon went on to Mr. Hop—then Judge Porter's wife came—we went to Mr. Gaylords. Betsy and the Barrons visit Mrs. Walkers. Thursday visit Mr. Hop. Fryday Betsy Colt & the gentlemen drank tea here. Satt. the Miss Barrons home.

July 3 Sun. Mr. Hop. from 1st Corr. 2 & 9 & Psalm 145 & 5. Tuesday Concert of prayer. Betsy & I attended. Mr. Hop. from [blank] The girls visit at Mr. Shipmans. Wednesday William Dickinsons wife, Timothy Hopkins wife visit here. Fryday Mr. Parsons wife of Amherst & Miss Salome & one Mr. Stone, one who takes portraits, was with them here. Satt. the girls into town of arrands in the morn.

July 10 Sun. Mr. Parsons from Philippians 3 & 12. Tuesday visit to Mr. Hop. Thankful at Mr. Gaylords. Wednesday the girls a ride to the canals and others. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Dr. Cutlers. Fryday we visit Judge Porters. Satt. Mrs. Shipman & her daughter Warner here.

1796 July 17 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Ecclesiastes 8 & 6 & 1st Corr. 8 & 1. the girls to Amherst to meeting. Monday Peirces Leonard left us to go to the mills to spin. One Anna Biggelo come to do the work. Wednesday her sister put to bed, sent for her. Thursday Polly had many little misses to visit her. Fryday the girls rode into town of arrands. In the afternoon I set out to attend the funeral of Frances Newtons child—met Capt. Hunt and wife & came back—they made visit here.

July 24 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Job 22 & 3 & 2nd Corr. 5 & 17. Monday Lucretia Morton of Amherst here to help us. Reaping day—a good harvest thanks to God the giver. Tuesday the girls visit Capt. Smiths. Sister visit here—Dr. Rogers drank tea here. Wednesday the girls visit Mr. Stockwells to see Miss Wiggins. Fryday they visit to Hatfield to see Cotton Partridge's wife—she was Hannah Lyman.

July 31 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Luke 18 & 14 & John 5 & 40. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman & I visit to Mr. Newton. Wednesday the girls visit Dr. Porters, I at Mr. Shipmans—Sister Warner there Thursday. Mr. Lyman & wife from Hatfield here. Mrs. Lane & her daughter from Northampton visit here. Fryday I visit at brothers. Thankful at Cousin Dickinsons.

Aug. 7 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Acts 10 & 36 & Isaiah 35 & 8. At the Lords table not wholly thotless I hope. O make me grow in grace & goodness by thy spirit. Dear Lord Jesus, dwelling in my heart. Thursday Judge Porter & wife, Coll'l Porter & wife, Capt & wife, Mr. Elisha Hills & wife all visit here. Fryday visit at Jedediah Montagues, met Mrs. Gaylord & others. Satt the girls into town of arrands. Thankful tarried and watched with Jonathan Warner's wife—she was put to bed of a daughter Fryday.

Aug. 14 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Habakkuk 1 & 18 & Psalm 40 & 16. Monday visit Coll'l Porters. Tuesday visit Mr. Hop. Wednesday Sally Williams Dr. Porters wive's sister came here just at night to tarry. Thursday Dr. Porter & wife visit here and Betsy Colt—Sally back with 'em. In the forenoon I rode to Mr. Shipmans to see Sallys babe—it has fits. Fryday the girls to Belcher to visit at Trasks. Satt. Jonathan Warner here—he has been very sick. Lucretia to Amherst, soon back.

1796 Aug. 21. Sun. Mr. Hop. from 1st Corr. 15 & 19 & Proverbs 1 & 8. Monday visit Dr. Porters to see Mrs. Williams, her mother. Mr. Strong from Amherst & wife visit here. Wednesday Betsy Hubbard visit here. I a short visit at Mr. Gaylords. Mr. Phelps home with me—he has been at Coll'l Porters helping him over look the papers & Matters of the Generals. Mr. Phelps is appointed Executor with the Coll'l to the Generals estate—he died 29 last May at Springfield—was brought to Hadley—buried on Monday. Thursday Lucretia to Sunderland—back at night. Fryday the girls visit Judge Porters. Satt. Mr. Phelps & I took Mitte—went to see her mother in the bounds of Deerfield—got peaches.

Aug. 28 Sun. Mr. Riddle pr. Psalm 144 & 15 and Job 22 & 17. Tuesday the

girls visit Dr. Porter's to tarry. Wednesday Dr's wife & her mother Williams a short visit here. Thankful home at night. Fryday forenoon I went brought Betsy & Sally Williams home with me. Satt. jest Thankful carried Sally to the Drs. Last Tuesday night Esq. Judd of Southampton lodged here. Wednesday Mr. Phelps went to lay out roads. Last Monday Betsy a visit at W. Dick[inson].

Sept. 4 Sun. Mr. Hop. Luke 10 & 16. Spoke chiefly to some who rang the bell coming out of the meeting house Sunday before last & Psalm 143 & 11. Tuesday the two Mrs. Gaylords here, Fanny Lyman & Jerusha Leonard from Hatfield visit here. Wednesday Jonathan Warners wife here forenoon, afternoon Mrs. Shipman, Mr. & Mrs. Hop. visit here. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton (court sets there) we dined at Mr. Tappans—she & I visit at Parson Williams. Fryday Mr. Phelps over again, he was at Court Tuesday.

Sept. 11 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Matt 15 & 19 Hebrews 4 & 2. Tuesday the girls went to Northampton to tarry at Capt Lanes. Thursday Judge Porter & wife visit here Fryday Eve the girls home.

Sep. 18 Sun. Mr. Hop. from 1st Timothy 4 & 5 & Matt 25 & 41. Monday the girls visit to Mr. Gaylords. Tuesday rode into town jest at night—drank tea at brothers—spent the Eve at Mr. Gaylords Wednesday the girls visit Deacon Smiths. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of old Mrs. Parsons. Mr. Forward made the first prayer. Mr. Hop. pr. from Galatians 1 & 4. Mr. Lyman the concluding prayer. We drank tea at Dr. Cutlers, his two daughters & son came to the Ball and lodged here. Fryday morning left us. Afternoon I visit Mrs. Windsor Smiths.

1796 Sept. 25 Sun. Mr. Olds pr. John 3 & 7 & Matt 11 & 30. Monday visit Mr. Lymans Hatfield. Mr. Phelps spent the Eve there. Tuesday the girls visit. Susa Blotchet here. Wednesday she into town—Sister Warner here. Thursday Lecture before communion—Mr. Thompson of Dalton pr. Exodus 33 & 18. Capt Hitchcock of Brookfield & wife came home with us, lodged. Fryday morn left us. I visit Mr. Shipmans. Satt. Betsy rode to Dr. Cutlers of arrands. Polly Barron & her sister Strong here few moments.

Oct. 2 Sun. Mr. Hop. Hebrews 11 & 6. Lord follow with thy blessings this opportunity at thy table grant me a saving faith for Jesus sake. Monday Thankful & I attended the funeral of Polly Southgate of Leicester—died yesterday at Mr. Azariah Dickinsons. Jest as the corps was brought out of the meeting house about 4 o'clock word was brought Mrs. Hop. was took in another fit. I went immediately there, found she had her reason—it held till about five. She fell into a sort of sleep & lived till about 9. Suky Cutler came here jest at night to go with Betsy to Conway. Tuesday morning I went to Mr. Hop. to help 'em. Wednesday we attended the funeral of Mrs. Hopkins. Mr. Williams the first prayer Mr. Lyman pr. Job 1 & 21, Mr. Emerson the concluding prayer. Thursday Morn: Suky & Betsy set out for Conway with Erastus Smith. Fryday Becca Dickinson, Capt. Billings wife & one Mrs. White visit here. Last Tuesday when I was at Mr. Hop. I attended the concert of prayer. Mr. Phelps & Betsy came. Mr. Hop. from Luke 11 & 13.

Oct. 9 Sun. Mr. Hop. from James 1 & 5, afternoon spoke from a great number of texts of Scriptures. Spoke of each & then appraised it. Monday the widow of Noah Cook and her son Eleazar's wife of Western visit here. At night Suky & Betsy got back, Easter Cutler came here for her. Wednesday Eve at Mr. Hop: to see Mrs. Worcester. Thursday Patty Emons of Franklin (she came with Mrs. Worcester) & Pene Gaylord visit here. Fryday morn left us. I a visit at Lawyer Porters. Satt: Betty at Sutherland. I into town of errands—had some alteration made in our pew which we moved into the 22 last May—made out of the old fore-seat. Last Thursday night Mr. Bill Williams lodged here.

1796 Oct 16 Sun: Mr. Hop: Luke 17 & 10 & 16 ver. When we were going to meeting met Rubens mother & husband, Mr. Winchester & child. Monday morn they left us. Lucretia went to Amherst—training there. I visit Capt. Porters. Wednesday Lucretia came back. Jest at night Dr. Field & Patty Hitchcock of Brookfield came from Northfield. Capt Porters wife and Mr. Enos Hitchcock met us here. Jest at Evening Capt. Isaac Williams of Norwich, his sister Patty & neice Miss Brewster and a Miss Fitch came here. Thursday Morn Dr. Field & Patty left us. Judge Porter & a Parson Chapin & wife here a little while—she was Jerusha

Edwards—after dinner Capt Williams & his company left us for New Marlborough. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I set out for Ashfield, dined Esq. Billings in Conway, got to Capt. Nortons at Ashfield jest at night. Satt. after dinner set out for home—got in a little after dark.

Oct. 23 Sun. Mr. Hop. Job 29 & 18 & Psalm 111 & 10. Monday Lucinda Noble here to alter Thankful's surtout. Mr. Hop. visit here. Tuesday Thankful set out with Mr. Hitchcock for Boston & Providence. Mrs. Gaylord, Sally Williams (she got back from Brookfield in Vermont last week—went the last of the sleighing) & Lucy Hopkins visit here. Wednesday Dr. Cutler & wife here dined & drank tea. Thursday Jonathan Warner's wife and William Dickinsons wife here spent the day. Jonathan Cooks wife and Mrs. Walker visit here—they left us. Mr. Dickinson spent the Eve—carried home his wife—Mrs. Warner tarried. Fryday night Betsy carried her home, did arrands.

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VITAL RECORDS OF YORK, MAINE

Communicated by LESTER MACKENZIE BRAGDON, A.B., LL.B., of York, Maine

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Mr Andrew F. Hutchins of York and Miss Lydia Boston of York intend marriage

— Entered April 25th 1862 — Certificate issued April 30, 1862

Mr George Donnell and Miss Carrie H. Simpson both of York intend marriage

Entered May 19, 1862 — Certificate issued May 24, 1862

Edward N. Chamberlain Esqr. of Lisbon and Miss Mary S. Moody of York intend marriage. Entered May 30, 1862 Certificate issued June 5th 1862

Marriages during the year ending April 1862 — By me

Mr William A Longel of York & Miss Sarah Abby Bragdon of York June 5th 1861

Also

Mr. Josiah Moore of York & Miss Eliza Jane Fitzgerald [*sic*] of York Nov. 7th 1861

— also

Mr. John F. Plaisted of York & Miss Hannah E. Bracy of York Feb 16th 1862

N. D. Center

Recorded June 3rd 1862

Attest Washington Junkins Town Clerk

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Mr John J. Bowden and Miss Mahala Hutchins both of York intend marriage

Entered July 7th 1862. — Certificate issued July 12, 1862

Mr Charles Moore and Miss Hellen L. Beals both of York. intend marriage. Entered July 12, 1862 — Certificate issued July 18, 1862 —

Mr. Edward G. Ramsdell of York and Miss Annie S. Littlefield of Wells intend marriage Entered August 20, 1862. Certificate issued Aug. 25, 1862

Mr Elias Baker and Miss Hellen E. Norwood both of York intend marriage Entered August 31st, 1862 — Certificate issued Sept. 5, 1862

Mr. Charles D. Preble and Miss Emily G. Varrell Both of York intend marriage Entered Sept. 22nd 1862 — Certificate issued Sept. 27, 1862.

Richard H. Walker, Esq of York Maine and Miss Susan Wentworth of Rolinsford, N. H. intend marriage Entered October 2, 1862. Certificate issued October 7th 1862.

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Mr. Alonzo Lewis and Miss Irene Fitzgerald Both of York intend marriage, Entered October 18th 1862. Certificate issued October 23, 1862.

Mr. Almond H. Merrow of Newfield and Miss Elizabeth L. Webber of York intend marriage Entered October 22nd 1862, Certificate issued October 27, 1862.

This certifies that Mr. Alonzo Lewis and Miss Irene Fitzgerald, both of York, were joined in marriage on the 23^d day of October A. D. 1862. — By me

Washington Junkins Justice of the Peace

Attest Washington Junkins Town Clerk

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THE DIARY OF ELIZABETH (PORTER) PHELPS

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Oct 30 Sun. Mr. Williams Northampton from Mark 6 & 20—showed that persons may go very far in religion & not have saving grace & Proverbs 11 & 7. Monday Mr. Phelps & I visit brother Dickinsons. Tuesday Mr. Porter out with a committee. Wednesday Polly had company Betsy Gaylord, Betsy Smith, Joanna Smith. Jest at night the Cutlers came—soon left us in the morning of Thursday. Mrs. Shipman visit here. The girls home jest at night. Mr. Phelps came home.

1796 Nov. 6 Sun. Mr. Parsons from 2nd Cor. 5 & 1 & Galations 3 & 19. Monday visit Mr. Hop: & Mrs. Gaylord, Major Williams wife & Sally. Wednesday Eve Brother Warner & wife here to supper—pig. Dr. Porter & wife here. Fryday made candies. Jest at Eve Mr. Hitchcock & Thankful came home—they were married at Providence last Monday by his Uncle Dr. Hitchcock minister there—Lord bless 'em.

Nov. 13 Sunday Mr. Gardner Kellogg from John 1 & 29 & Matt 11 & 28. Monday morning Mr. Phelps set out for Boston & Betsy with him. I rode round & did arrands toward night. Thursday Mr. Hitchcock & Thankful went to Northampton (he resides there). Made a visit at Capt Porters when they returned. Jonathan Warners wife here. Fryday brother Phelps son John & daughter Eunice here. Satt. morn Mrs. Warner sent for—John & Eunice went on for Suffield.

Nov. 20 Sun. Mr. Hop: from Luke 4 & 5, 6, 7 & Psalm 79 & 9. Wednesday Will Dickinson & wife, Becca Smith, Betsy Hubbard & Dr. Rogers drank tea here & spent the Eve. Fryday daughter Hitchcock a visit at Mr. Gaylords. Mother had a very strange day—jest at night Mr. Phelps and Betsy got home well—God be praised. Satt. this day forty nine years old—what changes I have experienced the year past. Lord thou has brought me low & raised me up, wonderfully hast thou appeared for me, also the obstruction in my throat greatly relieved. O how good a measure of health I enjoy. I am loaded with mercies I can't be thankful eno & may I still ask for one greater—even to be really thine to do all the duties of my station in life & have a mind ever under the divine direction.

1796 Nov. 27 Sun. Mr. Thatcher from John 9 & 4 & Matt 7, 13, 14. Tuesday did arrands. Mrs. Hitchcock a visit W. Dick[insons]. Thursday killed Hoggs 14. Fryday Betsy & she visit brother.

Dec. 4. Mr. Hop. from Romans 11 & 33 this forenoon preached on Rev. Mr. Williams of Brimfields death he died 26 Nov. Afternoon Phil. 3 & 3 Mr. Shipman & wife visit in the Eve. Monday the Miss Cutlers here, Easter and Thankful rode into town—in the Eve the girls over to Hatfield—Fanny Lyman came home with 'em. Tuesday morn the Miss Cutlers home. Judge Porter & wife visit here—Fanny home. Wednesday the assessors here making rates. Thursday Lecture—Mr. Parsons from Matt 18 & 3 after meeting visit Mr. Orange Warners sister & Mrs. Shipman. Fryday spent the day with Mrs. Gaylord—she poorly with Rhumatism. Lydia Atwood from Spencer came home with us to live.

Dec. 11 Sun. Mr. Hop: John 11 & 36 & 12 & 28 Am I the better by being once more at the Communion. Lord I look to thee for every thing I want—for time & eternity. Monday the girls to Amherst Lucretia Morton home. Fryday Eve Porter came home. Thursday Thanksgiving. Mr. Hop. from 1st Timothy 4 & 17. Porter went to Hatfield to meeting. In the Eve. Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Lyman—Mr. Maltby & wife, Mr. Partridge & wife there—Porter at home—almost the whole family into town. Fryday morn Porter set out for Charlestown. Mr. Phelps & I, Mr. Hitchcock & wife with many others dined at Dr. Porters. John Phelps called here going home. Betsy at Mr. Lymans of an errand in forenoon.

Dec. 18 Sun. Mr. Hop: from Romans 3 & 28 Psalm 119 & 125 ver. Monday Porter came back. Tuesday Dr. Porter & wife dined here. John Hop. here. In the Eve Porter left us for Northampton to take the stage for Albany tomorrow morn. Thursday Capt. Porter & wife visit here. Mr. Hitchcock set out for Hartford last Wednesday. Satt. night home.

1796 Dec. 25 Sun. Mr. Hop. 1st Cor. 2 & 2 & Jeremiah 3 & 10. This morning Mr. Hitchcock set out for Brookfield his brother David very sick. Monday Mr. Hop. visit here—been to the funeral of Daniel Russells wife. Fryday Mr. Phelps

& Betsy attended the funeral of Mrs. Cook. In the Eve Mr. Hitch[cock] got home—his brother died last Tuesday Eve. Satt. Thankful went into town with him back at night.

1797 January 1 Sun Mr. Hop. Genesis 1 & 14 & Eccl. 8 & 15. Monday the girls visit Deacon Smith. Mr. Lyman of Hatfield & wife & their daughter Pattridge visit here. Tuesday Concert of Prayer. Mr. Hop. Luke 6 & 28. Betsy out to Amherst with Fanny Lyman. Fryday Thankful spent the day at Mr. Gaylords. Betsy home at night. Last Sunday Lyman Brown came here. Last Sunday after meeting the funeral of Samuel Gaylords babe was attended.

Jan 8 Sun Mr. Hop: John 9 & 41 & Coll: 3 & 2. Monday I visit at Capt. Porters. Thankful to Betsy Hubbard. Tuesday Polly Billings here to tarry. Thursday Mr. Hitch[cock] & wife, Jonathan Warner & wife set out for Guilford. Fryday Mrs. Austen visit here—Lucy & others—Betsy Hills tarried. Young company from Amherst here. Satt Polly Billings & Betsy Hills left us—in the Eve. Mr. Hitch: & wife came home, Esq. Billings dined here last Fryday. Last Fryday Polly Cooley went home.

Jan 15 Sun. Mr. Hop: Acts 2 & 33 & 3 & 19. The funeral of Jacob Smith's babe attended after meeting. Monday killed hogs. Betsy & I visit—I at Judge Porters, she at Coll'l Samuel Porters Tuesday she was gone all day. Thankful & she visit Judge Porters. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I set out for Conway—got to Esq. Billings jest at night. Thursday he went on to Ashfield—got back to Esq. Billings to dinner then we came home. Fryday we made a visit at Mr. Parsons at Amherst. When we came back went into town—called to Mr. Gaylords—Samuel very poorly with Rhumatizm.

1797 Jan 22 Sun: Mr. Hop. Psalm 144 & 15 & Coll. 3 & 12. Monday I visit Capt. Dickinsons. Tuesday at William Dickinsons—Sister Warner there. Wednesday attended the funeral of Mrs. Stoddard of Northampton—she was Eunice Parsons of Amherst—drank tea there—then came to Dr. Porters—called to see their little son badly scalded—the girls had company—William Dickinson, Jonathan Warner & wives & others. Thursday the girls visit Capt. Dickinsons. Fryday Mr. Hop: visit here, brother Phelps came here. Satt: morn set out for home.

Jan 29 Sun: Mr Hop: from Psalm 62 & 10 & Proverbs 11 & 19. Wednesday Mr. Phelps set out for Boston to attend Court, two of our men went and two sleighs—in the afternoon William Billings of Conway & Polly came here—Betsy went with 'em to Amherst lodged at Mr. Strong's. Thursday forenoon they returned & Polly & Lucy Barron, Capt. Porter & wife & Betsy Hills here—she & Polly Billings tarried here. Satt: Eve they left us.

Feb. 5 Sun: Mr. Hop: Titus 2 & 11 & Deuteronomy 32 & 18. Tuesday jest at night I went to Mr. Gaylords—his son Samuel jest gone—died about 2. Wednesday the girls at Mr. Gaylords to help make mourning. Thursday morn: I went to brothers, attended the Lecture & funeral—Mr. Parsons from Mark 10 & 38, 39—went back to brothers home at 9—Mrs. Shipman there. Fryday Lyman, Betsy & Mitte up to Deerfield to see Susa. Moses Clarks wife here, Dr. Porter & his mother Mrs. Williams of Dalton & her son Jet: here.

Feb. 12 Sun: Mr. Hop Psalm 103 & 15, 16. In the afternoon spoke very particularly to the young. O that the spirit of God might set home upon the hearts of us all the surprising death of Samuel Gaylord Jun. Many, even seven, have joined the Church of Christ here this day—may all providences & means of grace prepare me for thy will for Jesus sake Amen. Monday night Sister Warner here to tarry. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman here. Wednesday Morn Sister went home—jest at night Polly Billings here. Young company spent the Eve here. Thursday Mr. Hitchcock & wife, Betsy & Polly Billings all to Amherst. Mr. H. & wife home. Satt Eve. Betsy home & Lucy Barron with her. Lyman Brown left us.

1797 Feb. 19 Wednesday Morn Polly Billings called here returning home—she has attended the dancing school. Thursday Lucy Barron went home. Satt. The girls visit Mr. Lymans. Sally Warner went to Hatfield with 'em to see her babe.

Feb. 26 Sun: all at Hatfield. I went in the afternoon Mr. Lyman pr. Matt 18 & 15, 16, 17 & 18 verses. spoke upon Church discipline. Monday the girls visit Mrs. Walkers. Tuesday Mr. Strong & wife visit here. Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord & Sally visit here forenoon. Mrs. Smith & her daughter Gaylord visit, Mr. Gaylord in the

Eve. Sally stayed. Thursday went with us when we went to the funeral of Dr. Porters child. Satt: Moses Porter, John Hopkins, & Walter Edwards visit here. About seven Mr. Phelps came home—may we all feel our obligation to the giver of all good.

Mar: 5 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Proverbs 3 & 11 & 28 & 3. Tuesday visit Mr. Lymans. Fryday Fanny Lyman came here. She and the girls visit at Deacon Smiths. Last Thursday Capt Dickinson & Coll'l Porter here to make rates.

Mar. 12 Sun. Mr. Hop: from Hosea 14 & 1 Psalm 119 & 155. Wednesday the girls visit Mr. Gaylords. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit there.

Mar. 19 Sun: Mr. Hop: Matt 6 & 34 & Romans 14 & 12. Tuesday visit Mr. Shipman's. Fryday Mrs. Hitch: visit Will: Dick: Satt: Betsy into town of arrands.

Mar. 26 Sun: Mr. Hop: Proverbs 23 & 12 & Hebrews 12 & 27. Monday a large Court here. Tuesday the girls visit at brothers Wednesday Jonathan Warner brought his wife here in the morn—her mother Mrs. Shipman visit here in the afternoon. Thursday Lecture—Mr. Parsons from Matt 5 & 47. I spent the afternoon at Judge Porters (he appears to be declining) Mr. Hop: & Mr. Parsons, Mr. John Smith (our former school master) spent it there likewise. Fryday visit at Capt Porters.

1797 April 2 Sun. Mr Smith from Matt 28 & 20 & Romans 3 & 28. Once again have I set with saints at thy table dear Lord, but can I say I found thee there—rather must I not lament my dull stupidity—Pray Lord grant me thy spirit to lead me near to thee. Tuesday Concert of Prayer Mr. Hop: Revelations 2 & 4—stayed made a visit at Coll'l Porters. Wednesday two Miss Chandlers here from Northampton. Major Williams wife visit here. Thursday I visit Dr. Porters. Cap't Porters wife rode up to bring Suky to stay. Satt: Betsy rode to Amherst—Mrs. Hibbard visit here. Thankful carried Susan home, did arrands. Last Tuesday Morn Mr. Hitch: & wife set out for Springfield to get furniture. Wed. got home at night.

Apr. 9 Sun: Mr Hop: Reve. 14 & 4. Tuesday Made soap. Wednesday the Miss Cutlers, Fowler Dickinson. Lucretia Gun here—the Miss Cutlers tarried. Thursday Mrs. Hitch: Easter rode into town. Fryday Morn the Miss Cut: left soon after noon. Mr. Phelps came home—left us Wednesday Morn to lay roads below Belcher. This day he & I visit at Lawyer Porters.

Apr. 16 Sun: Mr. Wells of Whatley from Genesis 4 & 7 & Acts 10 & 2. Monday Mr. Wells & his daughter dined here. Mr. Gaylord Sally & Lucy visit here. Thursday Mr. Phelps & Mrs. Hitch: at Northampton to get furniture for her. Fryday the girls visit at Mr. Hop. Last Tuesday Mr. Hop visit here.

Apr. 23 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Ecclesiastes 6 & 4 & from Psalm [blank] Monday Betsy carried daughter Hitch: to Amherst to stay. Deacon Smith & Mr. Seth Smith with their wives visit here. Tuesday I rode into town of arrands, stop'd to see Judge Porter, drank tea at brothers. Mr. Hitch: came home with me. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton—met Mr. Lyman & wife at Cap't Lanes a number of others there. Satt: forenoon Mr. Phelps & I at Judge Porters. he appears very low. Jest at night Betsy brought Thankful home.

Apr: 30 Sun: Mr Hop: from Acts 10 & 43. Monday visit Mr. Hop: Young widow Gaylord visit here. Thankful into town about her garden—soon home. Betsy down last week on Thursday about the garden. Wednesday the girls to North [ampton]. Thursday fast day—Mr. Hop. from Zachariah 7 & 5. Fryday visit Mr. Shipmans, Sister Warner there. Satt: jest at night Thankful & I into town of Arrands—drank tea at brothers.

May 7 Sun: Mr. William North, from Psalm 119, 129 ver. & Job 21 & 14. Monday Morn; Mr. Phelps went to lay roads to the Westward. Susa here. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcock & Betsy at Northampton. Betsy tarried, brother Dickinson & wife dined here going to brothers. The Miss Cutlers here a few moments. Mrs. Blochet home. Wednesday jest at night I into town of arrands. Capt. Hitchcock & a kinsman of his lodged here. 10 o'clock Mr. Phelps came home. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit at Dr. Cutlers—when we returned found Capt Hitchcock & cousin had come back. Fryday morn they left us for home. Satt. Betsy home.

1797 May 14 Sun Mr. Parsons from Luke 16 & 9 & Jonah 1 & 6. Monday the girls to Capt. Smiths—the widow Lucretia Gaylord is gone back there. Tuesday Mr.

Phelps went to Deerfield one of a committee respecting the bridge. Wednesday Betsy & I rode into town of arrands in the forenoon. Mr. Hop. visit here in the afternoon. This Eve Mr. Phelps got home. Thursday attended Northampton Court. Fryday again. We made candles. The girls visit Mr. Shipmans.

May 21 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Luke 14 & 24 & Jeremiah 16 & 17. Tuesday in the forenoon Mr. Phelps & I rode into town did arrands. The girls rode the Mountain in the afternoon—a large party went Wednesday Mr. Phelps set out to attend a reference in Greenfield. Dolly Dickinson & Sally Warner here. Thursday Suky Cutler & a Mr. Tuttle here. Fryday the widow Hubbard of Hatfield & Becca Dickinson here forenoon. Mr. Hopkins came when at dinner—dined with us—they all soon left us. Fowler Dickinson & Lucy Barron called here—soon left us. Betsy & Lucretia Colt & Betsy Hubbard visit here. Satt: Mr. Phelps came home.

May 28 Sun: Mr. Lyman from Romans 5 & 21 & 2 John 9 ver. Monday attended the funeral of Judge Porter. Mr. Hop. from [blank] Tuesday Mrs. Newton here in the morning, stayed all day. Mrs. Williams formerly of Pomfret & Mrs. Gaylord here. Jest before night John & Lucy Hopkins came. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I, Mr. Hitchcock & wife set out for Boston—lodged at Capt Hitch: in Brookfield. Thursday got to Hows in [blank] Fryday got to Boston put up at Mr. Newels.

1797 June 4 Sun. heard Dr. Clark. Dear Lord at thy table O may I always live upon Christ by faith. Dined at Porters home, Mrs. Mackneels, went with Mr. William Parsons family heard Mr. Kirkland. Monday set out for home—our children not ready to come. Lodged at Williams. Tuesday came in to Capt. Hitchcocks, Wednesday got home before night found all as usual—for all Gods goodness may I be truly thankful. Thursday Betsy at Mrs. Walkers. Fryday Mr. Phelps carried her to Conway. Polly Cooley went home to stay.

June 11 Sun. Mr. [blank] from Job 15 & 4 & Matt. 10 & 15. Monday Capt Porters wife visit. Tuesday Mr. Hitchcock & wife came home. Thursday the new made widow Porter & Mrs. Dwight visit here. Fryday morn Mr. Phelps set out for Conway after Betsy. Mr. John Hopkins sent us an invitation to dine with him this day—I went, Mr. Phelps came when he got home—Mr. Hopkins came home with his new wife last night. He married Lydia Thompson of Newburyport last Monday morning. Satt: I rode out of arrands. Drank tea with Mrs. Shipman.

June 18 Sun Mr. Hop from John 10 & 27, 28 & Isaiah 28, 9 & 10. Tuesday Coll Porter & wife visit here. Mary Matoon & Easter Kellogg here to tarry. Wednesday morn Betsy took very poorly, soon better—thanks to the Supreme giver of all good. Thursday Morn the Amherst girls home, ours rode with 'em—they visit Dr. Porter in afternoon. Satt: Mr. Hop. & his new wife called at the door Suka Cutler here morning—in the afternoon Mr. Phelps & I rode to Northampton upon business—drank tea at Dr. Shepherds.

June 25 Sun: Mr. Williams of Leveret pr. Luke 24 & 47 & Proverbs 28 & 14 The girls to Amherst to meeting, my mother more poorly than common—dear Lord fit us all for the event. Monday the girls home, afternoon they visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday Lawyer Porter & wife Moses & wife visit here. Fryday I visit Mr. Gaylord—Betsy at Moses Porters—Lucretia Smith here. Satt: Capt Hitchcock came here.

1797 July 2 Sun: Mr. Hop: Exodus 31 & 15. Monday morn Cap't Hitchcock left us. Tuesday Concert of prayer—Mr. Hop. from Psalm 65 & 2. When I came home (Betsy & I went) found sister Williams here from Wethersfield—she has not been here since February 1786. Sister Dickinson soon came. Wednesday sent for Sister Warner—all here once more. Mr. Phelps gone both days upon damaged land. Sister Warner & Sister Dickinson left us at night. Thursday Sister Williams & I visit at Capt Smiths, Sister Warner there—Sister Williams went home with her. Fryday the girls visit at Capt. Smiths. The girls had company last Monday. Mr. Hop visit last Wed when the sisters were here.

July 9 Sun: very rainy—all at home. Afternoon fair Mr. Hop. from Matt 25 & 18. Monday Mr. Phelps at Northampton Upon last weeks business. Tuesday again. Mr. Lyman & wife & Fanny here. Lt. John Hop: & new wife, a Miss Sympkins from Boston, who tarries there & Lucy all here. Wednesday I went to brothers brought up Sister Williams. Thursday morning she & I went to Northampton. Dined with Uncle Martin Phelps widow he died in the fall of 95. Drank tea at Uncle Roots,

Aunt Parsons with us, then came home. Fryday sister Warner here forenoon. Mrs. Shipman afternoon. Satt: Sister Williams left us jest at night for brother Dickinsons on her way home.

July 16 Sun: Mr Hop: 1st Cor 15 & 3, 4 & Matt 21 & 19. Monday the girls visit at Will Dick: Mr. Gaylord & wife here. Tuesday attended the funeral of David Smith Cook's wife. Made a visit to the lately made Widow Porter. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Mr. Hitchcock went with me. Wednesday Mrs. Hitch. visit broihers. Jst at night I carried Betsy to Mr. Strong's at Amherst, came by brothers brought Mrs. Hitch: home. Satt: she brought Betsy home.

July 23 Sun Mr. Hays from Galatians 6 & 16 & Matt 16 & 17. Tuesday Lucretia Gaylord & Sally Williams of Dalton (now living with her sister, Dr. Porters wife) came here in the Eve to tarry. Wednesday old Mrs. Montague and the widow Rhoda visit here. Young company from Amherst—this day our harvest—thanks to God for all his goodness. Thursday all the girls quilting at Mrs. Hop: back at night. This day Dr. Job Marsh was buried. Fryday Dr. Porters Wife & Anna Norton visit here—Dr. to tea. Satt. Lucretia home. Polly Cooly went home; she came Wed.

1797 July 30 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Proverbs upon the insatiability of the grave. Old Mr. Joseph Smith buried between Meetings. Afternoon Romans 6 & 1. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I made a short visit at brothers. Wednesday Sally Williams left us, the girls visit the Miss Colts. Mrs. Peirce here all the afternoon. Thursday Mr. Williams pr. the Lecture from John 6 & 67. Made a visit at Mr. Hop. Mr. Lyman & wife met us there. Fryday the girls visit at Dr. Cutlers with the new Mrs. Hop. Satt: Mr. Phelps & Betsy at Northampton of arrands.

August 6 Sun: Mr Hop: from John 10 & 15 & Deuteronomy 10 & 12. Been at the table of my Lord & dare I say his banner over me was love,—May the good spirit ever lead me in the right way for Jesus Amen. Tuesday visit at Mr. Shipmans. Thursday the Miss Cutlers came. Afternoon they and Betsy went to Hatfield. Fryday Mrs. Hitch: went—at night all home here. Last Monday Mr. John Stoddard of Northampton & Polly Billings of Conway visit here.

August 13 Sun. Mr. Oliver of Pelham pr. Titus 2 & 14 & Revelations 5 & 6. Monday all our girls to Capt Smiths. Tuesday Lucy Hop, Miss Symkins here & the Miss Colts. Wednesday Sally & Lucy Tappan from Northampton here before dinner. I a visit at Lawyer Porters—sent for to see Mrs. Hunt—she was Eunice Edwards. The Miss Cutlers went home while I was gone. Thursday Morn the Miss Tappans left us. Afternoon I went to Mr. Seth Smiths—sent for home, Miss Easter Stoddard & Miss Nancy here—left us at night. Fryday Mrs. Hunt, the widow Porter, Lawyars wife & Moses wife visit here. This morn Betsy set in the stage for Boston—may she have the protection of a kind providence. Lord she is thine I leave her with thee for body & soul. Satt: before dinner came here Jerahmeel [Jerahmeel] Williams of Norwich with him Anstis Phelps brother Tim's daughter.

1797 Aug: 19 Sun Mr. Hop: Rev. 22 & 9. Monday Morn they left us for Norwich. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcock & I put on her red & blue bed quilt. Thursday Mrs. Hubbard of Brookfield here a few moments—she came to her fathers last Fryday. Wednesday we receive letters from Betsy—all well. I think I know all good is from God. Oh may I be all grateful & truly feel my dependance. Fryday morn Mr. Moses Porter came here for me to go & see his Aunt Hunt once more. After she went to Northampton Moses wife and I went to Mr. Hop—found 'em all in confusion putting up Lucy's things to send to the Province of Main. See Deacon Thompson & wife, Mrs. Hop: father & mother, jest come. Then made a visit at Cap. Porters. Satt: quite ill all day violent pain in my back & hips.

Au: 26 Sun Mr Hop: Gen. 17 & 7—able to attend meeting this afternoon. Monday rode did arrands drank tea at brothers. Mr. Phelps set out to lay roads. Wednesday Eve he came home. This day & last Wednesday we had letters from Betsy. Thanks be to God, all well. Thursday Anna Norton here a little while. Mr. Phelps & I rode out of arrands jest at night. I drank tea at Mr. Perez Smiths. Fryday Mr. & Mrs. Hitch: set out for Brookfield. Mr. Hop: Mr. Thompson & wife Leut. Hop. & wife, Mrs. Hubbard, Lucy, Miss Symkins dined here spent the afternoon.

Sept 3 Sun. Mr. Riddle from 1st Thessalonians 5 & 16 & Ezekiel 11 & 23. Sunday

Eve Mr. Phelps & I visit at Mr. Hop: to see Mr. Worcester & wife, Mr. Riddel & Mrs. Spring. Monday Mr. Thompson & wife, Mr. Worcester & Miss Symkins, Leut. Hop: & Mrs. Spring, Mr. Phelps & I all went to see the canal. Lucy Hopkins married to Mr. Riddel this Eve. Tuesday Mr. Shipman visit here. Windsor Smiths wive & daughter. Fryday Mr. Hop & Mrs. Hubbard here a few moments. Satt made us a good visit, Mrs. Gaylord in the afternoon. Mr. Phelps attended Northampton Court Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday. Friday Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock got home.

1797 Sep. 10 Sun: Mr Hop: from the above Genesis 17 & 7 upon the duty of all to give their children baptism. Monday visit brother Dickinsons. Tuesday Deacon Smith & wife, Coll'l Porter & wife, Mr. Phelps & I went to Belcher to get Peaches—all dined at Warners—Coll'l Porter & wife, we drank tea at Dr. Hows. Thursday visit at Mr. Hop. Mrs. Colt came when I was there.

Sept. 17 Sun: Mr. Hop. 2nd Cor 5 & 10—in the afternoon Mr. Phelps & I went to Hatfield. Mr. Riddel from John 8 & 24. Monday 11 o'clock Mr. Phelps & I set out—Went to Springfield, lodged at Worthingtons. Tuesday about 3 got to Eppa Pitkins—spent the afternoon at Col Georges with friends. Wednesday set off from Mr. Eppa's and visited along. Mr. Eppas wife & I dined at Ward Woodbridges—we all went to Mr. Kilburns, drank tea went & lodged at Mr. Elisha Hills. Thursday Wards wife & I, Mr. Phelps spent the day visiting her children at West Hartford—came back to East Hartford lodged at Wards. Fryday morn set out for Norwich, got there at night, put up at General Williams's.

Sep. 24 Mr King pr. from Luke 2 & 29—afternoon Mr. Strong of the other parish pr. Job 14, 14. Monday dined at Capt Colts with a number of friends. Slept there. General Williams wife put to bed—daughter. Tues. set out for home. Slept at Deodat Woodbridges at Hartford five mile. Wednesday came to Uncle Phelps at Westfield—tarried till Fryday then got home in safety found all comfortable, but my mother a little poorly—thanks be to God the giver of all good. Satt: Mrs. Gaylord & Mrs. Colt dined here, spent the day.

Oct. 1 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 37 & 3 & Psalm 9 & 17 Sunday Mrs. Hitch: visit at brothers. I brought home a taylour woman but soon sent for home to Belcher: Tuesday Concert of Prayer—Mr Hop pr. [blank] I attended, made visit at Mr. Gaylords with Mrs. Spring & others: Wednesday Cap't Porters wife & Sally Keys of Western dined here & spent the afternoon. Thursday I visit at Dr. Porters.

1797 Oct 8 Sun: Mr Hop: from Matt 26 & 28 & Psalm 79 & 9. Again at the Lords table and what returns do I make. Lord grant me mercy & grace for Jesus sake Amen. Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Spring dined here, all but Mrs. Spring left us at night. Mrs. Hop: Miss Symkins here in the afternoon. Thursday Mr. Parsons & wife of Amherst, Esq. Billings wife of Conway, widow Stoddard of Pittsfield here, jst before Mrs. Spring left us. Mr. Parsons & wife left us at Eve. Fryday I & the two ladies went & dined at Dr. Porters with other friends. This day our wood house raised as far as the roof. Satt: finished.

Oct. 15 Sun: Mr. Hop. from Romans 10 & 21 & 1st Peter 4 & 2. Tuesday forenoon carried Mrs. Hitch: to tarry at Capt Smiths. Wednesday at night went for her—she came home. I stopt at Mr. Shipmans—Mrs. Shipman not well—came home about 9. When I was gone Mrs. Briggs came here (She was Lucy Marshall). Thursday left us. Mrs. Hitch: visit Hatfield, Mr. Partridges. Mr. Spring called a few moments—Polly Hannum here to talour. Satt morn: I carried her to Mr Shipmans, did arrends.

Oct 22 Sun: Mr. Spring from 1st Peter 3 & 13 & Numbers 14 & 8. Monday Coll'l Porters wife & her sister Susa visit here. Wednesday Mrs. Hubbard & Becca Dickinson of Hatfield here in the forenoon—left us soon after dinner. Mr. Hop. visit here Thursday. Mrs. Hop & Miss Symkins called here a few moments. did not stay—we all in confusion, the hearth's laying. Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock visit at Mrs. Walkers—he came home last Tuesday—went to Brookfield the 15 of this month. Fryday at brothers—she and I visited her daughter in the afternoon. Satt: into town of arrands. Last Monday noon at Mr. Hop to give Mr. Spring letter for Betsy in Boston.

October 29 Sun: Mr. Hop: pr. Proverbs 5 & 21 & Job 36 & 11. Monday Dr. Porters wife & her sister Dolly visit here, the Dr. spent the eve. Tuesday I visit Mr. Lymans at Hatfield. Wednesday Mrs. H[itchcock] visit at Lawyer Porters.

Thursday Mrs. Shipman visit here. The Miss Cutlers here. Fryday they went home. Lydia left us this day going to Spencer for a visit. Silence Furguson came to stay here in the Eve. Polly Cooley came here Satt:

1797 Nov. 12 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Matt 13 & 13 & Luke 15 & 21. Monday visit Mr. Seth Smiths. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcock visit Mr. Will: Dickinsons. Wed Judge Porters widow & Capt Porters wife visit here. Thurs. Leut. Hop: wife visit here, he came in the Eve. Satt morn I rode into town of arrands.

Nov. 19 Sun: Mr Hop: Proverbs 10 & 12. Monday Morning 4 o'clock Mr. Phelps set out for Boston—the workman finished working upon the woodhouse etc this day: Lydia came home near 9. Silence Furguson left this morning. Tuesday I visit Mr Shipman. Satt: jest before night Mr. Phelps & Betsy came home, all well, May I always give God thanks, my whole life be gratitude. Last Fryday I made a short visit at Mr Simeon Smiths, he lives next above us.

Nov. 26 Sun. Mr. Hop: 1st Corr: 15 & 49 & Hebrews 11 & 23, 24, 25. This day fifty years old. Dear Lord how full I have felt of Love & Thankfulness to God (if I know my heart) this day, not only my mercies move me to thank God but every providence, tis all mercy & goodness. O may I see & feel more & more of the Universal benevolence of the Deity while I live & ever, not only submit to all the providence I pass thro, but really rejoice, always rejoice that the Lord reigns. Thursday Thanksgiving day, Mr. Hop: from 1st Chron. 16 & 3. Tuesday Mr. Hitchcock came here, he has been at his fathers at Brookfield some time. Fryday visit Mr. Gaylords, Mr. Phelps & others. The Miss Cutlers here, Lucretia Gaylord. Satt: Morn Miss Cutlers home.

Dec. 3 Sun: Mr. Lyman from Isaiah 63 & 16 & John 17 & 16. Monday Betsy visit at Deacon Smiths. Tuesday Mr. Gaylord & wife, brother Warner & wife here to supper. Wednesday Betsy visit at Mr. Walker. Thursday Lecture Mr. Hop [blank] a great number of young company here from town & from Amherst. Fryday Mrs. Hitchcock & I visit Deacon Smiths with many others.

1797 Dec. 10 Sun Mr. Hop. Luke 23 & 24 & John 10 & 27. Dear Lord hast thou not stirred up some of the graces in my soul this day—if so the glory is thine & shall be for ever. Monday William Dickinson & wife, Jonathan Warner & wife supped here. Tuesday Capt Smith & wife, Mr. Gaylord & wife & Mr. Phelps & I at brother Warners. Wednesday Mr. Phelps set out for Guilford (Mrs. Shipman visit here). Friday came home. Satt: Betsy spent the day at brothers she made Betsy Hubbard visit Tuesday.

Dec. 17 Sun: Mr Hop from Timothy 2 Epis. 1 Chap. 9 ver. Monday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Hop. Wednesday Betsy visit Lawyer Porters. Fryday Mr. Phelps went to Ashfield. Satt: home. Last Thursday brother Dickinson & sister a short visit here. Friday Eben & Sally Hunt & Ursula Chandler visit here. Mary Matoon came in the Morn. Satt: our girls accompany'd her home.

Dec. 24 Sun Mr. Hop. from Romans [blank] & Isaiah 40 & 31. Monday killed hogs 3. Tuesday Judge Porters widow & Phebe Colt came here forenoon. Phebe tarried. Wednesday visit Mr. Shipmans. Cap't Dickinsons wife, Seth Smiths wife, Capt Smiths wife—the men in the Eve to tea—Fanny Lyman here. Phebe Colt home with young company who spent the Eve here. Betsy & Fanny visit Dr. Cutlers. Fryday Fanny went home. I was sick with the headache by night. Fanny was here last Sunday night.

Dec. 31 Sun: Mr. Hop. Psalm 119 & 34 & Ecclesiastes 3 & 2. Tuesday cut sausage meat. Attended the Concert of Prayer, —Mr. Phelps Betsy & I. Mr. Hop: Psalm 20 & 8. Thursday Capt. Billings wife, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Maltby & wife, Sally Tappen & a Mr. Adams from Portsmouth & wife (Patty Church) visit here. Fryday visit at Lawyer Porters with number of others. Betsy visit Mr. Hop. Leut. Hop. & wife visit here last Sunday Eve.

1798 Jan. 7 Sun: Mr Hop: John 1 & 17 & Amos 5 & 4. Monday Capt. Dickinson & the new made Deacon Seth Smith with their wives visit here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps at Northampton Court, Betsy with him—home at night. Wednesday Mr. Phelps visit Dr. Colmans, Amherst—this eve Betsy to Northampton. Thursday Sam'll Blotchet & wife & children here. Friday went home—at eve Betsy came home.

Jan 14 Sun: Mr. Hop. Deutre. 32 & 46—Upon the education of children. Wednesday Mr. Phelps hurt by a colt which was tied in the stable—suppose he

was senseless for some time, found himself under the colt, knew not how he came there—one wound upon his temple bled largely—hurt some in 9 places—but all appear favorable—Lord of all, we are surely thine thou wast pleased to save, be pleased to lead our minds to a good use of all thy dealings.

Jan 21 Sun: None of us at Hadley, bad going—Mr. Phelps at home. We went to Hatfield Mr. Williams pr. Psalm 38 & 6 & Psalm 53 & 2 & part of the 3 verse. Tuesday Mr. Lyman & wife visit here. Wednesday Mr Phelps attended a reference at Landlord Cooks—in town, stayed all night. Thursday came home—Capt Hitchcock lodged here Wednesday night. Friday one Peletiah Hitchcock lodged here—about 2 o'clock I was called up. Dr. Cutler came by four & Mrs. Shipman. Mrs. Hitchcock had a son born about one o'clock on Satt—after a severe travel—still O Father we partake of thy Mercies—still grant us thy holy spirit to lead our Minds to thee the giver & to prepare us for whatever we have to meet in our way thro life & for thy kingdom of love & blessedness Amen.

1798 Jan. 28 Sun: All at home but Mr. Phelps—in the afternoon Mr. Hop: pr. [blank] Mrs. Hitchcock poorly, Dr. Cutler here—I unwell in the Morn: got better. Monday eve Peletiah Hitchcock here, going home. Thursday Mrs. Trainer here to help kill'd 6 hoggs. Mr. Tappen & wife visit here. Lecture Betsy attended—Mr. Hop: pr Eph. 3 & 12 "by whom we have boldness." Mr. Hop: came home with Betsy. Will: Dick: & wife here in the eve—Fryday Mrs. Hitchcock came here from Brookfield.

Feb. 4 Sun: Mr. Hop. 1st Cor 1 & 22, 23 & John 6 & 63 Mrs. Hitchcock left us this eve to go home in the stage tomorrow morn. Wed. Association Lecture Mr. Taylour of Deerfield pr. Acts 26 & 29. The funeral of Maj. Williams wife was attended at the meeting—she was widow Sarah Montague, died last Sunday in a fit.

Feb 11 Sun. Mr. Lyman pr. Matt 27 & 5 & 1st Peter 4 & 7. Mrs. Keys of Hartford—west division—here (she was Penelope Williams of Pomfret) Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Hills, Miss Polly Williams. Coll'l Porter, Maj. Eleazar Porter & Moses & wives here & Sister Warner. Polly Cooley came to tarry. Tuesday I met some of 'em at Pierpont Porters. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I visit Capt. Billings. Tuesday the Miss Cutlers visit here. Satt: Mrs. Cutler & Molly here, Mary Matoon here.

Feb. 18 Sun Mr. Parsons from Jeremiah 6 & 7 & Ephe. 2 & 1. Monday Betsy visit at Lawyer Porters to see Sally Dwight, she lives there while they are gone to Boston. Wed. Mr. Parsons & wife, Mr. Strong & wife visit here. Mr. John Stoddard came here. took Betsy, went to Northampton. Thursday went to Conway, he married Mary Billings. Fryday Dr. Porter & wife visit here. Satt: Betsy home.

1798 Feb. 25 Sun: Mr. Hop: Matt 22, 1st & 2 & Luke 12 & 33. Jest at night my mother took poorly. Monday Mrs. Shipman visit here forenoon, my mother very stupid. Wednesday I visit at brother. Thursday Mr. & Mrs. H[hitchcock] & Betsy visit at Dr. Cutlers. Fryday Lucretia Gaylord visit here in the afternoon. Stotham Williams & Mary Barron here to tea. Mrs. Walker and her daughter Betsy in the Eve. Satt made candles. (My mother much as before).

Mar 4 Sun: Mr. Williams of Northampton from Lamentation 6 & 16 & 1 & 12 Monday visit Moses Porter. Tuesday Mr. Wright Strong of Deerfield here, lodged. Wednesday W'm. Dickinsons wife, Jonathan Warners wife visit here—the men drank tea here. Thursday Widow Porter visit here. Fryday killed Hoggs 4—Betsy in town of arrends. Afternoon she visit Mr. Strongs to Amherst & others from town. Mr. Hitchcock came back from Brookfield (went last Satt:) to prepare to go to live at Brimfield. Leut Hop. & wife visit here last Sunday Eve.

Mar 11 Sun: Mr. Gardner Kellogg pr. from Acts 24 & 25 & Job 22 & 21. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcocks furniture went to Brimfield in three waggons. Satt: Mr. Hitchcock returned.

Mar 18 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Romans 3 & 11 & Psalm 139, 1.2.3.4 verses. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcock & Betsy visit Mr. Hopkins. Thursday they visit brothers & W. Dickinsons. Fryday Lucretia Gaylord & Sally Trask of Belcher here.

Mar 25 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Mark 14 & 36. This day morn Lucretia's (Gaylord) brother (Erastus) came & carried her home. Monday Miss Trask left us. Thursday Sister Warner visit here. Fryday Mrs. Hopkins, Lawyer Porters wife here—the gentlemen to tea.

1798 Ap: 1, Sun: Mr. Hop: made remarks upon the 7 first chapters of 2nd book of Kings. Tuesday Concert of prayer—None from here attended, very stormy—Wednesday visit at Coll'l Porters, the widow Porter visit there. Thursday fast day Mr. Hop from James 1 & 17 & Joel 2 & 12. Fryday visit Mr. Shipmans.

April 8 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Luke 22 & 19 & Matt 18 & 11. At thy table dear Lord once more & the heart felt satisfaction of both my daughters with me. O may they be sincere in the surrender they have made of themselves this day. Make 'em truly thine. Mr. Hitchcock's son this day christened by the name of Charles Phelps—Lord he is thine & I rejoice in it. Dearly do I love him—but Monday morning early he & his mother & father left us to go to live at Brimfield—into the hands of God I cheerfully commit them, only asking we all may be fitted for all events. Betsy went with 'em. The last waggon of goods went this day. Fryday Simeon Smiths wife here.

April 15 Sun: Mr. Hop: Psalm 78 & 36 & Matt 25 & 32. The bridge foundered—we rode around [over Colemans brook]. Wednesday Mr. Hop: visit has been up to the Mills to marry Whitney (who lives with us) to Jerusha Murdock. Thursday forenoon went into town—did many arrands—home about 2. Dr. Colmans wife & Perez Smiths wife visit here—Friday I visit at Mr. Gaylords. Satt: Mrs. Shipman visit here.

April 22 Sun: Mr. Lyman from Psalm 39 part of the 5th & the 6th ver. & John 13 & 15. Monday Mr. Gaylord & wife, Stephen Hop: & Johns wife visit here, he jest at night. Tuesday visit Dr. Porters—drank tea there. Wed. rode down forenoon did arrends. Fryday visit Capt. Porter's, Judge's widow there.

1798 Ap. 29 Sun: Mr Hop: pr. Isaiah 43 & 8 & Mark 3 & 10. Monday Mrs. Shepherd & her daughter Sally (married last winter to Mr. Dwight of Springfield) visit here. Tuesday forenoon rode into town, did arrends. Thursday Mr. Phelps set off for Brimfield. Mrs. Smith (Leut Enos's wife) & Seth Cooks wife visit here. Seth Cooks house was burnt the 25th day of April. Fryday Mr. Phelps came home, brought Betsy. This morn rode out of arrends before breakfast.

May 6 Sun: Mr Hop. from John 19 & 11 & 1 & 11. Monday I visit Mr. Hop: Young widow Gaylord & Lucretia Colt visit here: the gentlemen here in Eve. Wednesday Fast day. Mr. Hop. from Psalm 44 & 26. This is a continental fast appointed by the President of the United States John Adams on account of the dark aspect of our publick affairs with France—War is greatly threatened—will the supreme disposer be pleased to hear the joined requests of this whole people & grant mercy in thy own way. Thursday morn. Lydia & Mitte set off for Brimfield. I visit at Brothers. Fryday Betsy visit Capt. Smiths. Satt. Lydia & Mitte home cleverly—the Miss Cutlers here. Thursday afternoon. Fryday morn home.

May 13 Sun: Mr. Dwight, President of New Haven Colledge, 1st Peter 1 & 15, 16 ver & Ecclesiastes 12 & 7. Monday President Dwight Judge Porters widow, Lawyer Porter & wife & Dr Dwight of Hartford, Mr Hop. all drank tea here. Tuesday I visit Leut. Enos Smiths. Wednesday Lydia Parsons of Northampton visit here. Thursday Mr. Lyman drank tea here. Fryday our son came home—may we notice the hand divine in all events.

May 20 Sun: Mr Parsons from Psalm 119 & 129. Tuesday Porter & Betsy a visit brother Dickinsons & Mr. Lymans—Thursday General Matoon—Fryday Mr. Lyman drank tea here. Satt: Porter & I set out for Brimfield, got there jest at night. Mr. & Mrs. H[itchock] gone to Brookfield.

1798 May 27 Sun: Mr. & Mrs. H[itchock] came home in the morn—we heard Mr. Brown from John 16 & 33 & Job 15 & 11. Monday set out for Boston—lodged at Shrewsbury, Peas's—rainy day. Tuesday got in before dinner—put up at Mrs. Demings in Marlborough Street.

June 3 Sun: At Dr. Ecleys meeting—he pr. from John 5, 8 & 9. At Dr. Stillmans afternoon—he pr. Mark 19, 22, 23—this day at the Communion. Lord may I live to thee—we tarried at Dr. Stillmans this afternoon and saw him administer the sacrament to his own church which are Baptists. O how animated. In the Eve. Dr. Ecley pr. a contribution sermon from Acts 10 & 14. Tuesday dined at W. Parsons, Lawyer Parsons & others. Fryday Eve Dr. Elliot pr. Dr. Ecleys meeting, John 6 & 38. Satt: visit Gorham Parsons.

June 10. Sun: Dr. Ecley from Acts 7 & 59 & Proverbs 11 & 19. Monday visit

Deacon Symkins. Wednesday visit Mrs. Smiths. Fryday visit William Parsons. Thursday twenty eight years since we was married—may we ever be fitted for all events & do all duty faithfully.

June 17 Sun: at Trinity Church—Mr. Gardner pr. Eph. 4 & 26. Afternoon at Mr. Kirklands meeting—he pr. from Acts 24 & 16. Drank tea at Eben: Parsons—Monday Eben's wife & I visit Mrs. MacNeil. Wednesday jest at night came out of Boston, lodged at Flaggs. Thursday came to Capt. Hitchcocks. Fryday got home well, found our family all as usual for which mercy God be praised and every other favour.

June 24 Sun: Mr. Hop: From Psalm 73 & 16. Monday Betsy at Amherst Tuesday home—about 1 she visit at Jonathan Warners. Wednesday Mr. Phelps and I visit at Mr. Lymans in Hatfield. Thursday Polly Barron & Lucy dined here—Lucy home—Polly & Betsy visit Dr. Porters. Fryday Betsy visit Mr. Stoddard, Northampton with Dr. Porter & wife & Polly Barron. Satt: Sister Warner visit here. Last Fryday Mr. Hop: here of an errand.

1798 July 1 Sun Mr. Hays from Genesis 7 & 1 & Romans 3 & 32. Monday I visit Mr. Hop: Betsy at Mrs. Walkers. Tuesday morn a little after 4 Betsy set off for Brimfield. I attended the Concert of Prayer—Mr. Hop. from Hebrews 13 & 21. Mrs. Shipman and I visit at Mrs. Newtons—called to see old Mr. Dickinson & old Mrs. Montague. Wed: Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thursday Mrs. Gaylord visit here all day. Fryday Coll'l Porters wife here of an errand. Satt: Morn I rode into town of arrands. Capt. Hunt & wife dined here.

July 8 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Matt 4 & 10. Spoke largely & well upon family worship: Dear Lord by thy spirit thou canst set it home upon the heart & I will hope in thy mercy. Tuesday Coll'l Porters wife & her mother the widow Hubbard here. Thurs. Mr. Gaylord, Capt Dickinsons wife, Deacon Seth Smiths wife came here—went to Hatfield visit Capt. Billings. I was going with 'em but Jonathan Warners child Eliza died & I attended the funeral—carried sister home—drank tea there. Fryday Betsy got home about 2. I visit Mrs. Walkers called at Capt. Hop. to see her two sisters—they came there on Wednesday to stay. Mr. Hop: visit here Wednesday.

July 15 Sun. Mr. Hop: from John 20 & 31 & Isaiah 33 & 1.2. Monday Harvest day—a small harvest but with God's blessing tis enough—Tuesday Dr Porters wife & young widow Gaylord visit here & to fix a gown for Mrs. Porter by one of Betsys. Betsy rode into town this forenoon, called on Mrs. Hop to see her sisters, two Miss Thompsons. Wed: I visit Mrs. Shipmans Thursday Betsy & I visit with Mrs. Walker, with Mrs. Hop: & her sisters. Fryday they visit here & Mrs. Walker & Lucretia. Mr. Hop: came—he drank tea with us last night at Mrs. Walkers. Satt jest at night Mr. Phelps & I rode into town of arrands.

July 22 Sun Mr. Hop. Psalm 10 & 12 & 1st John 2 & 15. Tuesday Betsy went to Northampton upon business—one of Mrs. Hops: sisters went with her, Isabella. Wednesday she rode into town in the morn did arrands. William Dickinsons wife, Jonathan Warners wife here before dinner. —Visit. Thursday Betsy to Capt Smiths in the morn for visit—afternoon Mrs. Shipman & I visit Windsor Smiths. Fryday at night I brought her home. Satt: the Miss Cutlers a short visit here.

1798 July 29 Sun Mr. Hop: from Acts 7 & 51 & 1st Cor. 10 & 11. Monday Betsy & Mrs. Hop:, her two sisters set for Amherst. It rained they all came here & drank tea. Tuesday they all went, visit Mr. Parsons. Wednesday Betsy & a large party went to the Island, drank tea—at night Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock & the babe came. Thursday Mr. Hitch[cock] and I at lecture—Mr. Parsons from 2nd Cor. 13 & 5. We drank tea at Maj. Eleazar Porters & others. Fryday Mr. & Mrs. Hitch[cock] & Baby went to Amherst. Mrs. Chandler came to tarry—they got home, I went with 'em—dined at Dr. Porters—they visit Lawyer Porters, I tarried there; Mrs. Williams of Dalton with her daughter, Mrs. Porter—many there at tea. Satt. Mr. & Mrs. Hitch[cock] visited in town.

August 5 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Acts 4 & 12. Once more at the Lords table. make me really what I ought for Jesus sake. Monday Morn Mr. Hitch: & wife set out for home. Tuesday the girls visit Mr. Parsons, Amherst—Mrs. Hop and her sisters. Wednesday Judge Porters widow spent the day here The girls visit Mr. Hop. Thursday morning she went home. Mr. Phelps & Betsy attended the funeral of

brother Dickinsons oldest son by the first wife. Satt: Mr. Phelps went to Amherst on business—I a visit at Dr. Cutlers.

August 12 Mr. Gridley from Psalm 97 & 1 & Coll. 3 & 3.4. Monday I visit Mr. Hop. Wednesday I visit Mr. Gaylords. Thursday Mr. Phelps came home from laying roads at Montague—he went Tuesday. Fryday Betsy went to Coll'l Porters to assist making the Federal Flagg—did not make it. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Satt: here for Betsy to alter her gown. Jest at night I rode to brothers of an arrend.

Au: 19 Sun: Mr. Hop: from John 21 & 25. Monday Betsy & I visit at Lawyer Porters—with others. Tuesday Mr. Phelps set out for New Salem on a reference. I rode into town did arrands jest at night. Wednesday forenoon Betsy rode to town—soon home. Fryday Mrs. Woolsey, Sally Dwight, Lawyer Porters wife & many others here. Satt: Morn Betsy into town—soon home. About 2 Mr. Phelps came home. Jest at night Betsy went out to Amherst—Dr. Cutlers to stay.

1798 Au: 26 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Acts 21 & 14 & Isaiah 1 & 16 & 17. Monday Mr. Phelps to lay roads, home at night. Tuesday morning set off again. Wednesday forenoon Mr. Hop. called here. Afternoon Mitte and I attended the funeral of old Mrs. Montague—came directly home,—Lydia a deal of company. Mr. Phelps came home before 10. Thursday morn I rode into town, did arrends.

Sep. 2 Sunday Mr. Emons from Isaiah 48 & 5 & Psalm 97 & 1. Mr. Hopkins gone to preach at Whately—Mr. Wells deranged in his mind. Eve Mr. Phelps & I at Coll'l Porters—Mr. Emons & wife & others there. Betsy came home from Amherst. Monday Mr. Emons & wife, Mr. Lyman & wife & many others here. Mr. Emons & wife stayed. Tuesday morn left us. Wednesday I visit brother Warners, Mr. Emons & wife etc. there. Thursday Porter came home and Sally Parsons with him. Fryday Dr. Porters wife spent the day here.

Sep. 9 Sun. Mr. Oliver from Isaiah 28. 16 & Genesis 19 & 17. Monday Porter & Sally rode to Northampton. Wednesday morning my mother poorly. Monday afternoon young company from Northampton. Tuesday all of us visit at Dr. Porters. Wednesday at dinner Ward Woodbridge wife and son come here. Thursday she and I visit at Mr. Gaylords—Sister Warner too. Fryday they set out for home. Mr. Hop. & Mrs. Gaylord visit here—my mother holds very poorly.

Sep. 16 Sun Mr. Hop: from 1st Cor. 15 & 21, 22. I tarried at home in the forenoon with my mother (Monday Amy Lyon came here to live—Lydia Atwood left us last night going to Spencer) the girls visit at Mr. Hop. Tuesday they visit at Northampton. Wednesday they visit at Amherst. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I evening visit at Mr. Hop. Fryday he and Porter at the review Amherst. Satt: Porter and the girls & others up the mountain. Miss Thompson & Miss Coffin drank tea here. Brother Williams son John here, tarried.

1798 Sep. 23 Sun Mr Hop. Proverbs 10 & 4 & 1st Peter 4 & 10. I at home with my mother all day—will the Lord grant she and all of us may be prepared for the event of this and all providences for Jesus sake. Monday John Williams left us for home. Susa Blotchet came here. Porter and Sally rode into town. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & Porter at Northampton Court. Mr. Hop & Mrs. Gaylord here in the forenoon to see my mother. Wednesday Widow Porter & Mrs. Walker here to see her. Satt: morn she seemed jest gone but for Mr. Hop. At night Mrs. Gaylord came and watched.

Sep. 30 Sun: Mr. Hop: Psalm 86 & 10 & 1st Peter 1 & 4. Porter and the girls at Hatfield in the afternoon. I at home all day, my mother has not spoke since yesterday morn. Sunday evening many people here to see her. Sister Warner watched. Monday she continued much the same. Tuesday morn five o'clock appeared more distressed—grew worse & worse till about a quarter before eleven then expired without a groan, breathed shorter & shorter. Gracious father teach us the lesson we ought to learn. (She was born Oct. 4 old stile 1719.) Mrs. Gaylord came just at her last gasp. She and Sally Parsons laid her out. Wednesday morn Mr. Phelps carried Mrs. Gaylord home & brought up Lucretia to help us. About 2 Mrs. Hitchcock got here. Thursday morn Mr. Phelps carried home Lucretia Gaylord—this day the funeral of my mother was attended at the Meeting house—the corps went by water—many of our friends came home with us. Fryday morn Porter & Sally took the stage for Boston. Gracious father grant them thy

direction & the rich blessings of thy grace & the glory shall be thine. Satt: Lawyer Porters wife, her Aunt Lawyer Edwards wife called here. Fryday Mrs. Hitchcock & Baby rode into town. Satt: Mr. Phelps & Betsy rode to Northampton.

Oct. 7 Sun. Mr. Hop. pr. from John 3. Once more dear Lord at thy table with both my daughters. O may we be accepted in the beloved & have thy holy spirit direct us in the way of duty at all times for the redeemers sake amen. Afternoon all tarried at home—a violent rainy day. Monday Eve Mr. Hitchcock came. Tuesday morn they left us. Wed morn Betsy rode out to Dr. Cutlers of an arrand. Thursday Mr. Phelps set out for Guilford. Satt: I rode into town of arrands. Mr. Phelps came home.

1798 Oct 14 Sun: Mr. Williams from Psalm 119 & 9 & Proverbs 17 & 16. Monday I attended the funeral of Ensign Dickinsons wife. Drank tea at Mr. Lymans. Tuesday Betsy visit at Capt Smiths. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I visit at Mr. Parsons. Thursday Betsy went on the mountain with only girls, Fanny Lyman & others, dined at Mr. Hop., drank tea at Mrs. Walker. Fryday Mrs. Gaylord & sister Warner spent the day here. Mr. Hop. visit here last Tuesday.

Oct. 21 Sun. Mr. Lyman from Psalm 4 & 6 & Psalm 14 & 1. Monday Mr. Norton, Mrs. N. & many others here. Penelope Gaylord & Sally Williams here, tarried. Thursday morn Mr. Phelps set off to lay roads in the Eve. Betty Gaylord & the girls went home. Wednesday I did arrands in town—Afternoon visit at Mr. Strongs, Amherst. Dr. Porters wife rode home with me. Thursday Morn: Betsy went to Hatfield. Mr. Phelps came home at night. Fryday widow Newton & William Hodges wife visit here. Satt: Betsy home—I into town of arrands.

Oct. 28 Sun: Mr. Williston from 1st John 4 & 16 & Luke 23 & 31. Monday I visit at Coll'l Porters, —Betsy, Moses Porters. Tuesday visit Widow Hubbards at Hatfield, Mr. Lyman & others. Mr. Phelps to lay roads. Wednesday Hatfield girls here, Capt Smiths wife & Lucretia. Thursday Mrs. Hop. & her sister dined & spent the day here. Fryday Dr. Cutlers son & daughter & Fanny Warner from Hardwick here. Satt: jest at night left us. Wednesday night Mr. Phelps came home. Thursday off again—Fryday home. Polly Warner came Wednesday, home Fryday.

1798 Nov. 4 Sun: Mr. Hop. from John 15 & 7 & Jeremiah 44 & 10. Monday visit at Mr. Hop. Mrs. Gaylord there. Capt. Hop: came home from Boston when we were there. Tuesday Betsy visit at brothers. Wednesday I visit Deacon Seth Smiths. Lucy Barron here to marry. Thursday Betsy & she visit Dr. Porters (Mrs. Porter at Mr. Smiths with me last Wed:) Fryday Lucretia Colt visit here. Satt: I rode into town of arrands—Lucy home—in the Eve—Mr. Ward from Brimfield here (he is in Partnership with Mr. Hitchcock).

Nov. 11 Sun Mr. Hop. Revelations 2 & 1 & Coll: 1 & 23. Monday Betsy & Fanny Lyman visit Northampton, Capt. Lanes. Mrs. Hop: Mrs. Gaylord & Betsy visit here. Capt. Hop: to tea. Susan Cutler here to stay. Tuesday morn: Mr. Ward & I set out for Brimfield—got to Mr. Hitchcocks jest before 6. Wednesday had company. Satt: Eve Mr. Phelps came.

1798 Nov. 18 Sun. Mr. Brown expounded forenoon. Afternoon pr. [blank] Wed. came home, all well, before 8 through the snow with the chaise. Fryday Eve. Capt. Hop. & wife & her sister here, —Lucretia Gaylord & her brother Erastus.

Nov. 25 Sun. Mr. Hop: from Ephesians 1 & 18 & 19. Monday fifty one years have I seen, heavenly father do I not feel happy in thy hands—indeed thou dost all things well, thou art my trust—O may I have thy holy spirit to guide one right at all times for Jesus sake. Thursday Thanksgiving day—Mr. Hop. Psalm 118 & 1. Friday Betsy visit Capt. Smiths, one is missing of our family who will never return, every year since my birth have I kept Thanksgiving with my mother till this—but no more—a long farewell. O Lord bless us that are alive, forgive all our faults, make the path of duty plain & a heart to walk there in for thy mercies sake in the redeemer.

Dec 2 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 73, 23 & Psalm 40 & 8. Monday visit Mr. Gaylords, brother Warner & Sister. Tuesday Mr. Azariah Dickinson & wife visit here. Wednesday Mr. Phelps, Betsy & I din'd and spent the day at Mr. Hop. Thursday at Capt Smiths. Mr. & Mrs. Gaylord there. Fryday Coll'l Porters wife spent all the day here—the Coll'l the eve. Mary Matoon here Satt: she went home.

1798 December 9 Sun. Mr. Hop: Psalm 31 & 24 & Jonah 4 & 1. Monday visit

Jonathan Warners—brother & sister there & others. Betsy at Deacon Smiths. Tuesday Brother Warner, Mr. Gaylord, Capt. Smith with their wives visit here. Thursday Lecture Mr. Hop: pr [blank]. Visit at brothers & others—Betsy Mr. Gaylords. Fryday Mr. Phelps to New Salem. Satt. home.

Dec. 16 Sun Mr. Hop. made some remarks on the Lords supper. afternoon pr. Isaiah 57 & 19. Be pleased O God to help me do my duty, or rather make me for Jesus sake Amen. Tuesday Betsy at William Dickinsons—Wednesday eve home & Lucretia Gaylord with her, Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit at Mr. William Dickinsons & other friends this day. Mr. Ward came, Lucretia left us after Betsy & they had been to Amherst. Fryday Mr. Ward & Betsy set out for Brimfield. I spent the Eve at Mr. Hop.

Dec. 23 Sun: Mr. Hop. from Zachariah 4 & 6 & 2nd Timothy 3 ch. 10, 11 & 12 verses. Monday brother Warner, sister, Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of Aunt Parsons of Northampton—she died in an instant. When we came home found Mrs. Newel here—she was Lucretia Morton. Tuesday Mr. Hop & wife & her sisters dined & spent the day here. Wednesday Amy Lyon left us & Eunice Townsend came. Fryday eve at Dr. Porters a little while.

1798 Decem. 30 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Ephe. 6 & 17 & Ezekial 33 & 19 Monday the Assessors met here. Tuesday I visit Dr. Porters, her mother there & others. Wednesday Mr. Stoddard & wife & Nancy, Miss Betsy Marsh here. Thursday Sister Warner & Mrs. Gaylord here, the men to supper. Fryday a large Court here. Satt: Dr. Porter Mrs. Williams, Madam Porter dined here—the women stayed to tea. Betsy came home.

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Married at the Parsonage at Cape Neddick July 17th 1864 Mr. Appleton H. Talpey and Miss Mary O. Weare.

B. F. Laurence Officiating Clergyman

Received and recorded September 14th 1864

Cha^s. I. Hutchins Town Clerk.

This may certify that Mr. Eber C. Ramsdell and Miss Caroline Avery, both of York, in the County of York, and State of Maine were joined in Marriage at York on the twenty sixth day of January 1864

By me Samuel Adams Justice of the Peace

Recorded Sept. 22^d. 1864

Attest Cha^s. I. Hutchins Town Clerk.

Mr. Cha^s C. Phillips and Miss Caroline R. Quimby Both of York intend Marriage Entered Nov. 17th 1864. Certificate issued Nov. 22. 1864

Mr. Franklin M. Littlefield And Miss Paulina E. Beal Both of York intend Marriage Entered Nov. 23^d 1864. Certificate issued Nov 28th. 1864

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Mr. Ephraim Adams of York and Miss Olive Jane Cole of Wells intend marriage Entered Dec. 17th 1864. Certificate issued Dec. 22^d 1864.

Mr. George Thompson of Wells and Miss Charlotte Applebee of York intend marriage. Entered December 22^d 1864. Certificate issued Dec. 27. /64

Mr. Sidney G. Plaisted of York and Miss Lydia R. Goodwin of Lebanon intend marriage Entered Jan. 14th 1864 [error for 1865 ?]

Mr. Cha^s. E. Weare of San Francisco and Miss Malvinia Stover of York intend marriage Entered Jan. 18th 1865.

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1799 January 6 Sun: Mr. Hop. — John 12 & 43 & Psalm 112 & 1. Monday Mrs. Williams & I a visit to Mr. Parsons & drank tea at Mr. Strongs. Dr. Porter & Mr. Phelps came at Eveng. Tuesday Betsy went to Brimfield again with Fanny Lyman. Wednesday Deacon Seth Smith & wife visit here. Thursday at Eve—Mr. Phelps & I a visit Mr. Daniel Kelloggs at Amherst—when we got home found Betsy returned & Polly Cooley here. Fryday killed Hogs 5. Mr. Hop: drank tea here.

Jan 13 Mr. Huntington pr. of Litchfield—John 14, 27 & Luke 19 & 9. Monday Lawyer Porter & wife, Patty Dwight & Mr. Huntington drank tea here & spent the Eve. Tuesday brother Warner & Sister, Mr. Phelps and I visit at brother Dickinsons. Sister came home with us—went to brother Warners. Wednesday we there & she came back with us. Thursday Mr. Phelps & Sister Dickinson & I visit Mr. John Hodges. Fryday brother Dickinson came — they went home in the Eve. Tuesday Betsy visit Lawyer Porter.

1799 Jan. 20 Sun: Mr. Hop. from Matt 15, 8 & 9 & Matt 13th chap. 14 ver. Monday visit Lawyer Porters — Betsy at singing school, watched with Mrs. Hop: — she had a daughter born yesterday between 11 & 12. Tuesday noon Betsy home — in the Eve Patty Dwight here to stay. Wednesday I visit Capt. Dickinsons, Sister Warner, Mrs. Shipman, Polly Cooley home. Thursday Mr. Parsons & wife Mrs. Morse & Salome visit here — Mrs. Hitchcock came.

Jan. 27 Sun: Mr. Hop pr. [blank] In the Eve William Dickinson & wife, Erastus Smith & Mrs. Ward here. Monday Mr. Phelps & Betsy set out for Boston. Tuesday Mrs. Hitch: went to Amherst. Wednesday came home. Fryday William Dick: Jonathan Warner & wives here. Jest at night Mr. Hitchcock came. Satt: we a visit at Mr. Hopkins.

Feb. 3 Sun Mr. Hop: from Romans 5 & 11 & Luke 16 & 25. Lord I have once more commemorated my saviour's Love with thy Church here — May thy Love lead me to thy heavenly Church above, forever to sing praises to the Redeemer Amen. Monday Mr. H. & wife into town visiting — home at night. Tuesday the same — Dr. Porters wife visit here, he spent the evening here. Wednesday Mr. H. & wife left us — in the Eve I rode into town, did arrends. Mrs. Pierce here.

1799 Feb. 10 Sun: Mr. Lyman from 2nd Kings 5 & 12 & Luke 5 & 32. Wednesday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thursday Sister Warner here. Fryday Brother came & Mr. Gaylord brought his wife — we had a clever visit, all home by 9.

Feb. 17 Sun: Mr. Gardner Kellogg from James 4 & 14 & Romans 8 & 8. Monday Mrs. Newton here. Tuesday home, jest at night Mrs. Gaylord came. Wednesday Eunice Townsend left us, gone home. One Abigail a negro girl with a babe, came here to stay last night. In the afternoon Mr. Hop. visit here, carried Mrs. Gaylord home. Thursday Morn Betsy Gaylord, Melittable Hubbard came here to stay. In the afternoon Orange Warners wife & Mrs. Seymour here. Satt. the girls went home jest at night.

Feb. 24 Sun: Mr. Hop. from 2nd Samuel 12 & 12 & Psalm 103, 17. In the Eve: after 9 Mrs. Phelps & Betsy came home all well, praised be the Lord. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Parsons. Thursday Mr. Gaylord & wife, Brother Warner & wife, Mr. Phelps & I went to Northfield. Put up at Esq. Barrets. Fryday visit at Benoni Dickinsons — afternoon all at Esq. Dickinsons. Satt: home — found Joseph Billings, Fanny Lyman & Jerusha Leonard from Hatfield, the Miss Cutlers & brother from Amherst all here. Our company stayed and drank tea here — all left us at night — the negro girl's child died while we were gone, Thursday night. Last Wednesday she that was Ledia [Lydia] Coats now Babcock came here with a child to stay a few days.

1799 Mar. 3 Sun: Mr. Hop. from Jeremiah 5 & 23 & Ecclesiastes 9 & 3. Monday Mr. Ward & wife & others visit here. Tuesday Dr. Cutler & wife here before dinner — afternoon Mr. Phelps and I with them made a visit Dr. Porters. Wednesday Betsy at Northampton. — drank tea at Mr. Hop. Thursday Mr. Strong & wife

visit here. Fryday Mr. Pomeroy & wife, Capt. Lane & wife, Esq. Henshaw and wife & Dr. Shepherd all visit here. Mr. Hitchcock came Satt. Morn. Mrs. Williams of Brimfield came here at night — Mr. Gaylord came for her.

Mar. 10 Sun: Mr. Hop. from John 11 & 28 & Psalm 89 & 48. Monday Mr. Phelps & I went to Conway, lodged at Esq. Billings. Tuesday Morn. he & his wife went with us up to Deerfield, stopt at Major Dickinsons, the men went on to Greenfield to a reference — came back before night, the business deferred for the present — all made a visit at Deacon Armses — lodged at Major Dickinsons. Wednesday Morn all rode to Greenfield, soon back, dined at Dr. Ashleys. Mr. Phelps & I set out for home, found Mrs. Hop. here, we got home before night. Satt: Betsy at Amherst. This day left us Lydia Babcock — went to Northampton.

Mar. 17 Sun. Mr. Williams of Leveret from 1st Cor 13 & 12 & Genesis 19 & 17. Monday Seth Hunt & Sally called here going to Amherst. Jest at Eve Eben came, went to Amherst, brought Betsy home about 10, Tuesday I visit at Mr. Gaylords — brother Warner & Sister there. Satt. visit Mr. Shipmans, — Dr. Porter & wife called there — drank tea.

1799 Mar. 24 Sun. Mr. Hop. John 15 & 10 2nd Peter 1 & 9. Wednesday Betsy & I visit Mr. Hop.

Mar. 31 Sun Mr. Hop. from Proverbs 1 & 4, spoke largely upon card playing, of girls practicing it especially. In the afternoon from Psalm 71 & 6 — I not at meeting, bad going. Mr. Phelps & Betsy rode on horses. Thursday fast day. Mr. Hop. Psalm 122 & 6 & 1st Samuel 12 & 23, 24, 25. This day went to meeting in the sleigh it has been stormy, snowy weather the two days past.

April 7, Sun. Mr. Hop. 1 Cor 11 & 26 & 1st John 4 & 11. Have I not looked to my dear redeemer this day at his table for a supply of all my spiritual wants. I hope in his mercy for a gracious supply — easy it is with almighty power to grant me jest such a temper & disposition as shall direct me into the right way which I humbly beg for Jesus sake. Tuesday eve our son came home weil, the Lord is good & just. Thursday he & Eliza. rode into town, did arrands.

Ap. 14 Sun: Mr. Hop. Romans 3 & 12 & Luke 1 & 71. Tuesday singing lecture Mr. Hop. from 2nd Kings 3 & 15. Mrs. Gaylord & I visit Coll'l Porter — their son Elisha scalded last week. Wednesday visit Capt Smiths, Betsy to Lucretia Colt. Fryday Mrs. Gaylord and I at brother Warners.

1799 Apr 21 Sun Mr. Hop. Psalm 19 & 9 & 2nd Cor 6 & 1. Monday Betsy set out for Brimfield. I visit at Deacon Seth Smiths. Tuesday Mr. Parsons, Mr. Huntington here & Dr. Porter & wife. Wednesday Mr. Huntington drank tea here. Thursday fast day Mr. Hop. Job 12 & 23. Fryday morn. Reuben set out for Brimfield. Satt. very rainy Mr. Lyman of Hatfield & wife visit here Fryday.

Apr 28 Sun: Mr. Hop. Matt. 25 & 14. This morning foolishly off my guard had the head ache did not go to meeting. Went this afternoon. Monday all the assessors met here. Betsy came home about 4, Mr. Huntington came with her. Mr. Hop visit here. Wednesday Betsy visit to Betsy Hubbard. Fryday she into town again of arrands. The latter part of this week a deal of business done here — the new roof raised on the old house. Thursday, I hope I learn something by all.

May 5 Sun. Mr. MacGeorge from Europe pr. Hebrews 13 & 20 & Matt 13 & 45, 46. Thursday Sister Warner here — had her Italian silk made. Fryday I rode to Dr. Cutlers — she & I made a visit to Oliver Coles Widow. Satt. I rode into town did arrands.

May 12 Sun. Mr. John Smith from Matt. 16 & 26 & John 3 & 3. Monday Mrs. Hop & Coll'l Porters wife visit here. Jest at teatime Lawyer Porter & wife came. Tuesday Mr. Phelps up to Greenfield upon a reference. Thursday Jonathan Warners wife and Will'm Dickinsons wife a days visit here. Mr. Phelps came home when we were at dinner. Fryday jest at Eve Porter & Betsy rode into town did arrands. Satt. Mr. Phelps and Porter up to Deerfield. East Wednesday jest at night Betsy rode into town of arrands, drank tea at brothers.

1799 May 19 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Genesis 32 & 10 & Romans 3 & 24. Monday Betsy went to stay with Mrs. Hop. Capt. Hop gone to New York. Wednesday Mr. Phelps at Northampton Court — brought Betsy home at night. Thursday at Hatfield to see Mrs. Barret of Northfield. Mrs. Lyman and I visit at Cotton

Patridges. Mr. Phelps at Court again. Fryday he & I rode into town did arrends jest at night.

May 26 Sun: Mr. Hop. Proverbs 13 & 21 & Numbers 16 & 3 — Spoke upon politics. Monday Mr. Barret of Northfield & wife, Mrs. Gaylord & Sister Warner dined here. Mr. Gaylord & brother drank tea here. Tuesday morning Mr. Barret & wife left us for Northfield — their little daughter Eliza was with 'em. In the afternoon I visit at Mr. Shipmans. Wednesday Betsy into town of arrends. Thursday Lecture — Mr. Williams from 1st John 4 & 10. Made a visit at Mr. Gaylords. Mrs. Ward was there (she went to live at Brimfield last March) & others. Fryday Capt. Smiths wife & her daughter Ward here. Mrs. Ward tarried. Satt. morn went to her fathers. Betsy into town jest at night. Porter set out for Boston last Monday morn.

June 2 Sun. Mr. Hop. from 1st Cor. 11 & 17 & Ephesians 5 & 2. This stupid heart has once more been carried to the Lords table but still tis far from what I long to feel but oh my soul return sincere thanks to God that there are earnest desires after Gods love & I hope sorrow & deep humility for so little meltings for sin & dulness — yet still I think I must say I look to Almighty power to help both for spirituals & temporals & there I joyfully rest. Wednesday Mrs. Walker visit here. Thursday at Lawyer Porter to see Madam Porter, his Mother, who lives there now his wife is gone to New York. Satt: pulled down our chimney at the south end of the old house.

1799 June 9 Sun. Mr. Hop. Psalm 74 & 1 & John 14 & 28 — at home forenoon headache. Tuesday I visit Mr. Hop. & Mrs. Gaylord. Wednesday Sister Warner & I visit Jonathans. Thursday visit Dr. Porter — very hard thunder this day — the lightning (when we were gone) struck an Elm tree above our house and tore it in pieces — may all thy ways be properly regarded by us, Great Ruler of all events. Last Wednesday Charles & Betsy rode to Amherst.

June 16 Sun. Mr. Hop Acts 28 & 25 & Psalm 122 & 24 — a sort of funeral sermon for Governor Sumner. Monday the Miss Cutlers, Mary Matoon & Lucy Barron visit here. Mr. Hop. visit here. Tuesday Morn Capt. Smith & wife, Sister Warner & I set off for Brimfield got there safe before 5. Wednesday all visit Mrs. Williams. Thursday Mr. Ward minister of Brookfield & wife Capt. Hitchcock & wife, Dr. Field & wife all came to Brimfield. We all drank tea at Mr. Wards & Mrs. Williams. Fryday morn set off for home — all got home well about 5 — found Polly Cooly here. Satt. Charles & Betsy into town of arrends. Mr. Parsons of Amherst called here a little while.

June 23 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Isaiah 63 & 7 & Psalm 146 & 2. This morning a lad about 17 years old was found in the river at the upper end of the town — was drowned with a brother of his last Sunday at Montague. Monday Betsy visit at Deacon Smiths. Mr. Aaron Cleaveland of Norwich came here going to preach at Cornish. Tuesday morning left us. Thursday jest at night rode into town with Porter, did arrends. Satt. Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of old Mrs. Dickinson. Drank tea at Mr. Dickinsons with many others.

1799 June 30 Sun Mr Hop. from Genesis 2 & 3. Tuesday concert of prayer, Mr. Riddle from James 4 & 8. Wednesday Mr. Hop. & Mr. Riddle visit here. Brother Phelps came here. Thursday Independance kept — Solomon Strong delivered an oration in the meeting house. Mr. McGeorge opened with a prayer — fine musick. Mitte & I did not go. Mr. Phelps & Charles dined with a very large company in town. Sister Dickinson here. Jest at night she went home with brother Phelps, rode into town did arrends jest at night & brought home Charles. Fryday Betsy rode into town — Mr. Solomon Williams dined here. Betsy set out with him for Conway, Mrs. Hop. Mr. Hop. Mrs. Riddle Mrs. Gaylord & Capt Smiths wife visit here. Polly Cooley went home — she came when I was at Brimfield.

July 7 Sun: Mr. Hop. Psalm 126 & 2 & Mark 12 & 9. Tuesday Porter went for & brought Betsy home. Wednesday Lawyer Porter & wife drank tea here. Thursday rode into town did arrends.

July 14 Sun: Mr. Hop. Exodus 23 & 2 & Matt 3 & 8. Tuesday Betsy into town did arrends fore-noon. Afternoon Christopher Colt & his two sisters, Mrs. Selden & Lucretia, visit here. Thursday Betsy quilted at Dr. Porters. Fryday she rode to Amherst upon business.

1799 July 21 Sun Mr. Jonathan Smith from Coll. 4 & 2 Acts 8 & 8. Monday visit at Deacon Seth Smiths & many others. Mr. Jonathan their brother up from Marthas Vineyard. Tuesday Mr. Huntington & Charles at Amherst — he came Monday morn. Betsy visit at Lawyer Porters, they there all home together. Wednesday Mr. Huntington left us. The Miss Cutlers & Betsy met at Mr. Lymans — they came here and lodged. Thursday I visit at Mr. Lymans, the Miss Cutlers home. Fryday Mr. Jonathan Smith, Mr. Hop., two Deacons & Leut. Smith & wives visit here.

July 28 Sun Mr. Jonathan Smith from 1st Corr 6 & 9 & Luke 14 & 17. Monday into town of arrends, drank tea at brothers. Tuesday visit Mr. Hop. Mr. Lyman & wife, Mr. Williams & wife, Mr. Strong & wife visit here. Wednesday Mrs. Dickinson & her daughter from Deerfield, Dr. Porters wife & her sister Dolly visit here. Mr. Hitchcock & wife came. Dr. drank tea here. Thursday Mrs. Hitchcock & I at lecture — Mr. Williams from Isaiah 53 & 5. We visit at Mr. Gaylords, with others. Satt. Mr. Hitchcock & wife & Betsy visit Dr. Cutlers.

August 4 Sun: Mr. Hop. Acts 4 & 12 & 1st Peter 5 & 5. This day at the Lords table with all my children. How wonderful. I cant express my feelings — surely tis a favour to have 'em tho'full, but Oh dear Jesus make us all truly thine. Monday Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock, Porter & Betsy into town visiting, dined at brothers. Tuesday morn they set out for home. Thursday young people from Amherst, some Northampton girls visit here. Fryday rode out of arrends.

1799 August 11 Sun Mr McGeorge pr. Ezekill 33 & 11 & Psalm 17 & 5. Monday Coll'l Porter & wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit at M. McGeorges. Tuesday Capt Keyes of Hartford-west-division & wife with many others here. Thursday Betsy visit at Mrs. Walkers & many others. Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Hills & the widow Porter visit here. A very large [blank] attended here. Mrs. Norton Mrs. Hills tarried. Fryday I visit at Mr. Hop with them & others.

Au: 18 Sun Mr Hop. from Job 14 & 3 & Psalm 65 & 7. Charles & Betsy at Amherst in the afternoon, Betsy tarried. Monday Charles went & brought her home. Sister Dickinson a short visit here. Wednesday Mr. Maltby & wife, Mrs. Patridge, Fanny Lyman visit here. Thursday Dr. Phelps & wife visit here. I rode into town brought Mr. Phelps home jest at night. Satt: I a short visit at Mr. Strongs at Amherst — one Mrs. Brown from Boston & a Mr. Lyman of Northampton drank tea here.

Aug. 25 Sun Mr Hop. from Romans 13 & 10 & Proverbs 28 & 6. Monday Mr. McGeorge & wife visit here. Tuesday Mr. Parsons & his sister Salome visit here. Wednesday I visit at Lawyer Porters — Jonathan Warners wife & her sister Betsy visit here. Satt. Young company from Northampton.

1799 Sep. 1. Mr. Worcester from Luke 14 & 17 & Psalm 103 & 13. Monday Betsy & I visit Dr Porters — Mrs. Worcester there & others. Wednesday Mrs. Hills & Pierpont Porters wife visit here. Fryday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Porter & Betsy visit at brother Dickinsons. Satt: Mrs. Landman of Norwich & two of her sisters from Northampton here a little while. Jest at night I rode into town of arrends.

Sep 8 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Isaiah 45 & 5 & from Ezekiel 18 & 32. Monday Mrs. Gaylord, Miss Sally Williams, Mrs. Hop., Mrs. Worcester visit here. Wednesday Porter & Betsy went to Brimfield. Fryday home. Mr. Cleaveland dined here going home.

Sep: 15, Sun: Mr Hop. Luke 6 & 45 & Isaiah 55 & 1. Monday visit at Mrs. Walkers. Tuesday William Dickinsons wife & Rebecca Smith & the two Miss Colts visit here. Monday morning Mr. Phelps set out to lay roads. Satt. got home. Sister Dickinson & Polly Cooley visit here.

Sep: 22 Sun: Mr McGeorge from Romans 6 & 23 & Proverbs 28 & 26. Monday Betsy visit at Deacon Seth Smiths. Porter drank tea there. Tuesday I visit Capt. Smiths. Wednesday at brothers forenoon. Capt & William Dickinsons wives there afternoon. Thursday Betsy visit at Capt. Dickinsons — Porter after her and drank tea. Thursday Benoni Dickinsons wife and daughter of Northfield called here. Fryday Mr. Phelps at Northampton Court.

1799 Sep: 29 Sun: Mr. McGeorge from Hebrews 12 & 24 & 9 & 26. Wednesday

Betsy visit Jonathan Warner. Thursday I visit at Mr. Gaylords Mrs. Spring and others there. Fryday Betsy & Mitte up to see her mother. Satt. Sister Warner & her daughter Sally here; Betsy made a gown for Sally. I into town jest at night with Mitte to see the Dr. She is unwell. Last Monday Betsy Colt & our Betsy visit at Northampton.

Oct: 6 Sun: Mr. Hop: from John 1st Epistle 5 & 4 & Luke 13 & 24. Monday Mr. Hop: Mrs. Spring her son Gardner, Cap. Hop. & wife Deacon Smith and wife, Mrs. Gaylord, Sally Williams, Hitte Hubbard visit here. Tuesday I visit Deacon Smiths with Mrs. Spring & others. Mr. Martin came here to help cast figures in the assessing business. Wednesday Mr. Phelps set off for New Marlborough. Fryday night home. Wednesday Mrs. Cook & Mrs. West visit. Satt. Mr. Martin went home. I into town jest at night. Last Sunday we at Mr. Hop. to see Mrs. Spring.

Oct. 13 Sun: Mr Hop. Romans 14 & 10 & Luke 12 & 3. Monday Mary Matoon and Easter Kellogg visit here. Tuesday Dr. Porter & wife visit here. Wednesday Sister Warner & I visit at brother Dickinsons. Thursday lecture — Mr. Hop. pr. ("for the love of Christ constraineth us"). I visit at Coll'l Porters with Widow Hubbard, Mrs. Gaylord & Sally; Deacon Seths wife.

Oct. 20 Sun: Mr. Hop. Romans 9 & 18 & John 12 & 31. Once again dear Lord have I set at thy table with thy Church here, wilt thou grant me grace to behave as if I had been with Jesus. Tuesday Sister Dickinson here a few moments. Jest at night I carried Betsy to tarry at Mr. Hop: I drank tea at brothers. Thursday about noon Betsy came home. Afternoon I visit at Capt. Billings. Mrs. Lyman & Mr. Lyman, Mr. Phelps at tea.

1799 Oct. 27 Sun: Mr. Hop. from Acts 9 & 6 & Phillipians 2 & 13. After meeting the funeral of Coll'l Porters Negro woman Maria was attended at his house. When we were there news came from Mr. Hitchcocks that his son Charles was burnt. Monday morning Charles set out for Boston—I went with him to Brimfield and found the child badly burnt but not dangerous. Tuesday night at Mr. Wards. Wednesday Mrs. Ward there. Fryday Polly Hitchcock came to tarry.

Nov. 3 Sunday heard Mr. Bemis at Mrs. Eatons from 2nd Samuel 6 & 7. Monday visit Mrs. Wards. Mrs. Williams there. Thursday Capt Hitch. wife there. I heard the above in the same house from Matt 1 & 21. Fryday Mrs. Williams and I set out for Hadley a Mr. Dirgey with us. She stopt at Mr. Gaylords, I got home safe about 7. I think I feel my dependance & I hope I feel truly grateful for my preservation.

Nov. 10 Sun: Mr. Parsons from Hebrews 3 & 6. Afternoon Psalm 34 & 5. Monday I jest rode into town to see Mrs. Williams. Tuesday Morn Sally & she here. About 3 we all went to brothers with Mrs. Gaylord & Capt Smiths wife. Wednesday Charles came home. Thursday Mr. Phelps & he at Northampton Court. Susa & Betty Hubbard & Peggy Porter visit here. Just at dark Mrs. Gaylord & Deacon Smiths wife here of an errand.

No. 17 Sun Mr. Hopkins pr. from Numbers [blank] & Jeremiah 12 & 2. Wednesday Lawyer Porter & wife, Mrs. Dwight visit here. Thursday Dr. Cutler & wife visit here. Polly Warner came yesterday, went home this day. Fryday the Miss Cutlers here all day. Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Lymans, Hatfield. Last Tuesday Fanny & Betsy visit Mr. Strongs at Northampton — lodged at Mr. Lymans — came home Wednesday morn.

1799 Nov. 24 Sun Mr Hays from Psalm 34 & 8 & Romans 2 & 4. Tuesday Eve Mr & Mrs Hitchcock came to keep Thanksgiving with us — this day fifty-two years have I seen and many changes but abundance of mercy through all — the same love and mercy I hope I still rely upon — guide me O Father in heaven in all the way I ought to go & grant all my thots may be pure & right for Jesus sake. Thursday Thanksgiving — Mr Hop. pr. [blank] In the evening Mr Woodward, Mr. Martin, Mr Erastus Smith here — had fine music. Satt morn. Mr. H & wife set out for Brimfield. Charles so well as to come with 'em.

Dec. 1 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Luke 22 & 15 & Psalm 90 & 3. Lord make the provision of thy house my constant support, upon the Lord of the feast may I be

always dependent & have all needful grace given for the redeemers sake. Tuesday Fanny Lyman here to tarry. Wednesday at Mr. Caylords forenoon & sister Warner. Mr. Hops brother, Capt. Hop & wife, Mr. Phelps at tea — Fanny & Betsy visit Amherst. Thursday they visit Mrs. Walkers. Fryday Mr. Gaylord & brother with the wives, Mr. Hop & Sally visit here. The girls a ride out to Landlord Whites in the eve. Satt: Fanny went home.

Dec. 8 Sun. Mr. Hop from 1st Timothy 1 & 5 1st Corr. 13 & 2. Monday killed hogs 9. In the eve'g I went into town did arrands. Tuesday Mr. Smith preacher & Rebecca Smith visit here, at night Mr. Huntington came. Betsy Colt here in the eve'g. Wednesday all visit Mr. Hop & others. Thursday at Dr. Porters. Fryday we all dined at Lawyer Porters. Mr. Huntington, Charles & Betsy spent the Eve at Amherst.

1799 Dec. 15 Mr. Huntington from 1st Timothy 4 & 8. Spoke upon the propriety of the sabbath & Luke 13 & 5. Monday Mr. Huntington left us. Tuesday made sausages. Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord & Sally here for Betsy to make Mrs. Gaylords Italian silk. Coll'l Porter & wife visit here. Mr. Gaylord spent the evening here. Charles & Betsy at Northampton, gone 2 hours. Fryday Rebecca Ballard from Hatfield here to taylour. Satt. home. Last Monday I visit at Mrs. Shipmans.

Decem: 22 Mr Hop. Genesis 13 & 13. Afternoon Mr McGeorge John 8 & 19. Monday Morning Widow Porter, Mrs. Walker, Lucretia Colt visit here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Capt Hunter, Northampton. Wednesday Charles & Betsy set out for Newburyport. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thursday Mr. Lyman & wife visit here.

Decem: 29 Sun: Mr. Hop. from the above Genesis — afternoon Psalm 141 & 8 on the death of general Washington who died 14th of this month. Tuesday widow Porter here to stay. Thursday Becca Dickinson here. Satt. Mrs. Porter went home. Last Sunday night Mr. Cleveland lodged here going to Norwich. Satt night here going to Sunderland.

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LOCATION OF THE PARISH RECORDS OF SOME UPPER CANADA (ONTARIO) CHURCHES

Contributed by HARRY FLETCHER, of Montgomery, Ala.

Several years ago a search was initiated in Canada for the forebears of the writer's maternal great-great-grandparents, David Shell (son of Benjamin) born in 1803 in Williamsburg, Upper Canada, and his wife Lovina Kentner (daughter of Conrad) born 1816 in Upper Canada. With both surnames presumably of German derivation, the additional clue of Upper Canadian origin strongly suggested a Loyalist connection, possibly tracing to Palatine Germans who settled along the Mohawk River, New York.

The preliminary steps of examining available American and Canadian publications concerning the Loyalist settlement of Upper Canada [i.e. Ontario], as well as records of Loyalist claims and lists of persons whose estates were confiscated in New York State during the Revolution, discloses two Loyalists named Shell. Photostats of their petitions to the Executive Council for land on the basis of U. E. (Loyalist) services were then obtained from the Dominion Archives in Ottawa, and, later, copies were secured of petitions submitted for land, or scrip in lieu thereof, by any children claiming their rights

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Family Records

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Emily 5th daughter . . . Sep 4, 1808
Ezra fifth son . . . Dec 22, 1812

Marriages

James Brown was married to Katherine Barry March the —1786
Katherine eldest daughter married to Frederick S Howard Dec 4, 1806
Rachel second daughter married to Elijah Shumway August 17 1810
James eldest son married to Ann G. Warner March AD 1817
Sally 3rd daughter married to Hiram Howard April AD 1818
Orrin Brown 3rd son married to Mary R. Cheney March 8, 1824
Emery Brown 2nd son married to Lucy Ann Cheney March 15 1830
Hannah Brown 4th daughter married to Chester Stocker March 16 1830
Emily Brown 5th daughter married to Friend Blood May 15, 1832
Brainerd Brown Fourth son of James and Katherine Brown married to Louise
Barry ——— 1832
[Ezra never married]

Deaths

James Brown died 21st July 1834 in the 73 year of his age
Catherine wife of James Brown died Decm 23 AD- 1836 aged 67
Orrin Brown 3rd son of James and Katherine Brown died August 12, 1833
Lucy Ann, wife of Emery second son of James and Katherine Brown, died Sep the
12, 1833 in the 24 year of her age
Elijah Shumway husband of Rachel Shumway died April the 17 AD 1811 in the
25 year of his age
Rachel Shumway wife of Elijah Shumway died February the 10 AD 1822 in the
30 year of her age.

HASELTINE

The following records have been copied verbatim (except for combining birth and death records) from *The Cottage Bible and Family Expositor*, Hartford, Conn., 1853, which belonged to Timothy and Betsey Haseltine and is now in the possession of the contributor, Mrs. Miriam Wood Haseltine of Belmont, Mass.

Family Record Parents' Register

Father Timothy N. Haseltine, son of Maxi* and Asenath Haseltine born July 9th 1796 at Bath N.H. He was married Dec. 2nd 1822 & settled in Waterford Vt. where he resided for several years, then moved to Newbury Vt where he remained until the Spring of 1845 when he went to Haverhill N.H. where he lived two years, then returned to the place where he first settled, but after two years removed to Lyndon Vt, where he resided at the time of his death, which took place Sept. 8th 1865. During his illness he sought & found the Savior & for some time before his death longed to "Depart and be with Christ."

Mother Betsey Armington, daughter of Joseph and Deborah Armington was born Jan. 9th 1798 at Waterford Vt. She experienced religion a few years subsequent to

*Maxi was not the Maxi⁴ given as #56 in *Genealogical Sketches of Robert and John Hazelton and Some of Their Descendants*, compiled by Dr. William B. Lapham, 1892, p. 25, the son of Maximillian³ (Robert,² Robert¹), born 18 July 1726; rather he was a nephew of Maxi,⁴ unrecorded by Lapham and son of Robert⁴ (Maximillian,³ Robert,² Robert¹) and Sarah (Colby), born in Newbury, Vt., 10 Dec. 1769. He is listed as Maxey in Newbury Town Records and Vital Records, vol. 1, p. 226, although the record of his birth was never sent to the Secretary of State's office in Montpelier, Vt.

Maxi⁵ married in Bath, N.H., 29 Dec. 1791, Asenath ("Asseney") Bayley (Bath Town Records), and had issue: (1) Isaac B. Bailey Haseltine, born 19 Aug. 1792; (2) Sally Haseltine, born 4 Aug. 1795; (3) Timothy Noyce Haseltine, born 9 July 1796, all of whom were recorded in the Bath Town Records. M.W.H.

her marriage & maintained a Christian character until the time of her death. During her last sickness which was very severe, she exhibited much patience & seemed resigned to the will of God concerning her. She spoke of dying as calmly as of other matters, and though she suffered so intensely, she waited patiently, for the hour that was to release her from earth and take her to her Savior & the many loved ones gone before. May we her children follow Christ as she followed Him and trust in Jesus as did our Parents and at last join them in the "Better Land." She died Sept. 14th 1866.

Jared M. Haseltine Born Oct 4th 1823 Died July 1st 1883 Janesville, Wis.
 Jeannie Haseltine Born Apr. 21st 1825 Died May 18th 1876 Brookhaven, Miss.
 Henry B. Haseltine Born Jan. 21st 1827 Died Nov 7th 1842 Newbury, Vt.
 Harriet M. Haseltine Born Sept. 13th 1828
 Horace H. Haseltine Born Sept. 13th 1828 Died Sept. 15th 1828 Newbury, Vt.
 Emily P. Haseltine Born May 14th 1832
 Mary H. Haseltine Born Mar. 12th 1834 Died Feb. 8th 1842 Newbury, Vt.
 Thomas H. Haseltine Born Mar. 12th 1836 Died June 24th 1837 Newbury, Vt.
 Ruth Ann Haseltine Born Nov. 29th 1838 Died Feb. 7th 1840 Newbury, Vt.
 Elizabeth C. Haseltine Born Jan. 21st 1840 Died July 28th 1850 Lyndon, Vt.

Children of Harriet M. Haseltine Suncook N.H.

William Henry Haseltine Born July 18th 1855 Died Sept. 4th 1890 Suncook, N.H.
 Caroline E. Haseltine Born May 19th 1857 Died Aug. 4th 1858 Suncook, N.H.
 Jeannie E. Haseltine Born June 27th 1859
 Moses S. Haseltine Born June 4th 1861 Died Apr. 25th 1864 Suncook, N.H.

Children of Jared M. Haseltine Janesville Wisconsin

Charles H. Haseltine Born Jan. 27th 1856 Died March 1881 Janesville, Wis.
 Hyatt S. Haseltine Born Dec. 29th 1857
 Frank C. Haseltine Born Mar. 17th 1864

Marriages

Harriet M. Haseltine was married Sept. 6th 1854 to William Haseltine Jr. of Suncook N.H.*
 Jared M. Haseltine was married Mar. 26th 1855 to Elizabeth Chamberlain of Bradford Vt.
 Jennie E. Haseltine was married Feb. 11th 1886 to Frank E. Blodgett of Plymouth N.H.
 William H. Haseltine was married Nov. 1836 to Mary H. Gage of Penacook N.H.
 Hyatt S. Haseltine was married to Almena S. Doolittle
 Frank C. Haseltine was married to Kate Farnsworth

THE DIARY OF ELIZABETH (PORTER) PHELPS

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1800 January 5 Mr Hop. Jeremiah 5 & 12 & Acts 13 & 38. Mr. Wards babe baptized this day. Mr. Phelps & I at Capt Smiths in the Eve. Monday Mr. Whitney & wife visit here. Tuesday Concert of prayer Mr. Hop. pr: [blank] When we came home found Capt John Clark & wife here. Wednesday Morn left us. Sally Wil-

* The marriage of Harriet Miner Haseltine to William⁶ Haseltine, Jr., of Suncook, N.H., brought together two lines of descendants from the immigrant Robert¹ Haseltine of Rowley, Mass. His forebears were William,² James,⁴ Richard,⁵ Abraham,³ Robert.¹ The biographical notes were probably written by Harriet M. Haseltine because the Bible passed from her to her eldest grandson, William Gage Haseltine, who was born in her home and lived with her after his father, William, died. M.W.H.

liams came to stay. Afternoon Mr. & Mrs. Ward & Capt Smiths wife visit here. Thursday Lawyer Porter & wife visit here. Fryday Mr. Hop. visit here. Satt. Sally went home.

Jan 12 Sun. Mr. Lyman from Matt: 16 & 26 & Coll: 4 & 2. Spoke upon family prayer. In the Eve Mr. Phelps & I at Mr. Lymans. Monday we attend the funeral of the Widow Allien of Northampton—her son Minister of Pittsfield preached (& prayed) from Job 7 & 16. Mr. Lyman & wife & Mrs. Green visit here. Tuesday Mr. Parsons & wife visit here. Wednesday our son & Betsy came home. Charles was married to Sarah D. Parsons this first day of this year. Eternal God grant them thy blessing for Jesus sake.

Jan. 19 Sun: Mr Hop. from Ephesians 4 & 22. In the eve Mr. Phelps & I at brothers—Betsy at Lawyer Porters. Monday very sick did not get out of bed till dark—sick headache. Tuesday Sister Warner & a Mrs. Faber from the southward dined & spent the day here. Mr. Cleaveland dined here. Betsy visit at Mr. Lymans. Wednesday Dr. Porters wife Lawyers wife, & a Miss Edwards visit here. Dr. in the eve. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Deacon Seths—when we returned found Mr. Cleaveland & Sally Barron. Fryday morn he left us. Mr. Lyman & wife Mr. Phelps & I visit General Matoons. Satt. Polly home.

1800 Jan 26 Sun Mr. Eastman from Joshua 24 & 15 Luke 14 & 18. Monday morn Jonathan & Fanny Lyman with Betsy set out for Northfield. Becca Ballard here to taylor. Mr. Lyman & wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit Lawyer Porters. Tuesday killed hoggs. I rode down to the funeral of Mr. Aaron Cook—twas over—I came home. Thursday Betsy home. Mr. Phelps & I attended the Lecture. Mr. Cleaveland from Psalm 17 & 15. He & others spent the evening with us at Mr. Gaylords. Mr. Cleaveland came with us to Capt Whites—he stop'd we came on.

Feb 3 Sun: Mr Hop: from Matt. 26 & 26 & Romans 14 & 7. Once more among the saints at thy table dear Lord—grant me to be always directed by thy spirit for Jesus sake. Monday visit William Dickinson, brother & sister, Seth Smith & wife there. Made sausage before I went. Tuesday our children visit Jonathan Warners. Sam'l Blotchet & wife here. Wednesday Eve I visit Mr. Shipmans. Thursday Mr. Lyman & wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit Lawyer Strongs at Northampton. Brother Phelps & Eunice came est before we left. Fryday brother Dickinson brought Polly Cooley, both brothers left us soon after dinner. Mrs. Strong & Salome Parsons visit here, at evening our children at brothers, we at Mr. Lymans.

Feb. 9 Sun: Mr. Hop. Romans 5 & 10 & Matt 7 & 13 & 14. Monday Mr. Hop. & Capt' Hop's wife visit here. Mrs. Walker & Mrs. Shipman visit here. Fryday we attended the funeral of Daniel Marsh's wife. Betsy visit at Moses Porters—in the eve-g Reuben went to carry Polly home. Mitte & I a short visit there. Wednesday Charles & Betsy left us—he for Boston, she for Brimfield.

1800 Feb 16 Sun: Mr. Levet from 1st Thess 5 & 9. Mr. McGeorge prayed this afternoon. Fryday Capt. Billings wife & Becca visit here. Mrs. Gaylord & Sally, Mr. Gaylord & Capt. Billings spent the evening. Satt. at eleven o'clock we went to meeting—a very crowded audience & Mr. McGeorge prayed & preached from Ezekiel 24 & 16. This day our rulers have set apart in memory of General Washington—his bIRTHday. Died last December 14 day. This day to be observed throughout the whole United States. Will the Lord hear a nations prayer.

Feb 23 Sun: Mr Hop. from Deuteronomy 31 & 14 & Matt 27 & 4. Monday Morn Mrs. Gaylord & I with Israel for driver set out for Brimfield. Got to Mr. H. before 2—all drank tea at Mr. Wards. Tuesday Mrs. H. had a daughter born about 5 at night. Thursday home. Fryday visit Mr. David Billings, Mr. Lyman & others.

March 2 Sun. Mr. Hop: Ezekiel 22 & 14 & Revelations 2 & 22. in the eve Mr. Hitchcock came & brought Betsy & Charles. Monday morn he set off for home. Deacon Seth Smith & wife visit here. Tuesday eve Mr. Huntington came. Wednesday our son Charles got home from Boston. Thursday Sister Dickinson here all day. Mr. Parsons called in the forenoon. Betsy & Lucretia Colt, Betsy Hubbard, Becca Smith visit here. Brother Dickinson to tea. Fryday Mr. Huntington set out for home. Satt. Charles & Betsy to Northampton shopping.

1800 March 9 Sun: Mr. Williams, Northampton, from Luke 16 & 13. Monday our children visit Mr Hop. Tuesday Brother Warner & Enos Smith & wives Mr. Phelps & I visit at Brother Dickinsons. Polly home with us. Wed: Mr. Strong, Mr.

Williams & wives from Northampton Mr. Lyman & wife from Hatfield visit here. Thursday we visit at Mr. Parsons—Susan Cutler came home with us. Our son set out for Boston this morning to reside there—will the Lord be with him for his mercies sake in a redeemer. Friday Mrs. Cutler & her son Pomroy here & dined, took Susan home. In the afternoon young company here, Penelope Gaylord & others.

Mar. 16 Sun. Mr Hop: Deuteronomy 32 & 41 (Polly Cooley went to meeting at Hatfield—so home) Spoke very well to our youth. Will the Lord grant the holy spirit to awaken us all to our duty. Wednesday visit at brothers—two Mr. Hop. & Mr. Gaylord to tea, Mrs. Gaylord, Sally & Mrs. Hop. a visit there. I rode upon a horse, went before noon. Mr. Phelps down at night, spent the Eve.

Mar. 23 Sun: Mr Hop. 2nd Peter 1 & 10. All at home the afternoon—went with a sleigh forenoon. Granger came back from Litchfield—took a horse to Mr. Huntington—went Thursday morn.

Mar 29 Sun: Mr Hop: Isaiah 6 & 3. Afternoon Mr. McGeorge from Ecclesiastes 7 & 29. Tuesday Concert of prayer Mr. Hop from 1st Timothy 1 & 1. Dr. Porters wife, Lawyers wife & I visit Mr. Hop: -when we got home found Mr. Daniel Worthington here, he lives in Williamstown in Vermont. Wed: I visit at Mr. Shipmans. Thursday fast day Mr. Hop: Zachariah 7 & 8, Afternoon Mr McGeorge from Acts 26 & 5. Friday visit Dr. Porters—A drown'd man found at Hokanum, Lemuel Hide, belonged at Vermont.

1800 April 6 Sun: Mr Hop. Psalm 25 & 7 & Psalms 119 & 116 ver. This day have commun'd with the saints but can I truly say that my Communion has been with the father & with the son Christ Jesus. The morning Motto soon after I entered the house of God was "fear not little flock, tis your fathers good pleasure to give you the kingdom"—indeed words fail to discribe the freeness as well as the greatness of the mercy by a redeemer. O may an abiding sense ever rest upon me, that I may go on my way rejoicing for the love of Jesus Amen. Monday visit Mr. Azariah Dickinsons, Mrs. Shipman, Mr. Hop. Tuesday Betsy at the funeral of James Cooks wife,—visit to Betsy Hubbard. Wednesday Betsy Colt & our Betsy visit Mr. Strongs, Amherst. Thursday I visit Lawyer Porters, Mr. Hop: Deacon Seth & wife, Dr. Porter & wife—when we got home found Miss Cutlers here. Friday they all rode into town, home to dine. The select man here at dinner, (Capt. Elisha Dickinson, Col. Samuel Porter, Lt. Enos Smith, Ensign Caleb Smith, Charles Phelps Esq. composed the Board). The Miss Cutlers left us just at night.

Apr. 13 Sun. Mr. Hop. 2nd Timothy 4 & 10 & Ecclesiastes 9 & 12. after meeting Mr. Worthington came here going home. Monday afternoon left us—Lord bless him. Tuesday visit Mrs. Walkers with others. Mr. Phelps from Northampton came home with me. Wednesday Betsy visit Mrs. Walkers. We made candles. Thursday a sick day. Lucy Barron & a Mrs. Field from Oakham visit here. Mr. & Mrs. Hop: here a moment.

Apr. 20 Sun Mr Lyman, Ecclesiastes 8 & 8 & Psalm 94 & 8. Monday visit Coll'l Porters, Mrs. Gaylord & others. Tuesday morn: to Mrs. Gaylord, Mr. Gaylord, Mrs Hop. & Sally with me, a visit Moses Porters, Mrs. Walker & Majors wife. Wednesday visit Mr. Lymans Thursday Betsy visit Lawyer Porters—at night Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock came & babe. Satt. I rode into town of arrends.

1800 Ap: 27 Sun Mr. McGeorge from Isaiah 57 & 21 & Ezekiel 34 & 16. Tuesday the Miss Colts & Betsy Hubbard here visit. Wednesday Mr. Hop: Visit here. Thursday Mr Hitchcock visit brothers. I visit & Mr. Percy Smiths, Dr. Colmans wife of Amherst there & others. Friday Mrs. H. & Betsy went to Dr. Cutlers. Satt. home—last Tuesday Mr. H left us for home. Last Monday Mr & Mrs H. & Betsy visit at brother Dickinsons.

May 4 Sun Mr Hop: Isaiah 6 & 3 & from Psalm 42 & 8. Monday visit Mr. Hop. Mrs. H. & I, Mr. Phelps to tea. Tuesday we visit Major Porters. Wednesday Mrs. Hitch: & Betsy forenoon visit Jonathan Warners—din'd at W. Dickinsons, drank tea at Deacon Oliver Smiths. Thursday she & I at Capt. Smiths. Friday Betsy & she visited Coll'l Porters. Jest at night Mr Hitch: & his two sisters Polly & Phebe came. Polly Cooley came here this day. In the forenoon I rode, did arrends Satt, they rode to Amherst.

May 11 Sun. Mr. Hop: 1st Peter 3 & 20 & John 1st 2 & 17. Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock

have this day publickly given their daughter to the Lord. O may they do their duty faithfully to her & Martha Keys be an heir of free grace by a redeemer. Monday morning they all left us & Charles who has been with us from the first of last March, & Polly Cooley. Afternoon Mrs Gaylord, Mrs. Hop: & Sally came here, we all went to Hatfield, visit Mr. Patridges. Mr. Lyman & wife old Mr. Patridge & wife, old Mr. Hop: there. Thursday visit Leu't Enos Smiths. When Mr. Phelps & I came home called at Lawyer Porter to see President Dwight and his wife. Last Tuesday Mr. Phelps went to lay roads. Sally Hunt, Clany Strong visit here. Rode into town did arrends. Thursday Mr. Phelps came before 3. Fryday forenoon Widow Porter Mrs. Norton visit here. Dr. Dwight & wife, Lawyer Porter & wife all here. Soon left us. Afternoon brother Warner & sister visit here. Last Monday when I was at Hatfield, Jonathan Williams & wife visit here.

1800 May 18 President Dwight from Ecclesiastes 2 & 3. Monday Major Porter, Drs. & Moses wife, Mrs. Hop., Sally Williams (she sets off for New Bristol next Thursday) the men here for tea. Tuesday Betsy visit Moses Porters. Wednesday Betsy went to Northampton with her father to tarry,—he goes almost every day, being one of a Committee to build a new jail. Thursday Mrs. Gaylord, Polly Williams here,—Mr. Gaylord came jst at night, rode home with her, Polly tarried. Fryday Mr. Phelps took her to Northampton with him to see Betsy, left her at Hatfield at night. Satt. Mrs. Shipman visit here.

May 25 Sun: Mr. Williston from Solomon's Song 2 & 11, 12, 13 & Psalm 17 & 1. Tuesday night Betsy came home from Northampton with her father. Thursday forenoon I rode into town of arrends—Afternoon Mrs. Lord of Litchfield, Lawyer Porters wife & her sister Mrs. Stores here tarried a little while, then we all went to lecture—Mr. Williams from [blank]—all drank tea at Mr. Hop. Fryday Lawyer Porter & wife & Sally Edwards visit here. Satt. I spent the day with Mrs. Gaylord, she unwell with Reumatic disorder.

June 1 Sun. Mr. Hop: from John 7 & 37 & Titus 2 & 11. Communion day but full of darkness and fears, can it be that I am a child of God and heir of heaven, how insenseable of the dreadfulness of being found a reprobate, stupid & dead. What shall I do. I can't ask for help—will the power of God be put forth for such a wretch, & one who hardly desires it, so lost to all good. If Almighty Grace should be manifested in the salvation of so unworthy & vile a creature, a whole eternity of praise cannot be enough for such grace, Amen. Monday Mr. Phelps to Greenfield to lay roads. Old Mr Hop. Mrs. Hop & Margaret Spring visit here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps home. Betsy visit to Beky Colt. Wednesday I went to Northampton with Mr. Phelps, din'd at Dr. Shepherds—a short visit Quartis Pomroys—drank tea Josiah Dickinsons. when we came home found Charles and his wife here. Fryday drank tea Lawyer Porters—they called here forenoon.

1800 June 8 Sun: Mr Hop: 2nd Chronicles 18 & 29 & Galations 6 & 4. Tuesday visit Mr. Tappon. Wednesday Nabby came here to live. Thursday Mr Hop. visit here. Put on the frame a small bed quilt. Fryday Quilted it. Sally & Betsy visit Moses Porter. This morning Judith left us. Satt. Sally & I went shopping.

June 15 Sun Mr. Hop: Revelations 4 & 8 & Hebrews 12 & 28. This afternoon our son & both daughters went to Hatfield. Mr. Phelps went in the forenoon. Monday Sister Warner & her daughters Sally & Dolly visit here. Jonathan Warner & William Dickinson here to tea & Moses Porter, Mr. Huntington came. Tuesday he and our children rode to Northampton. Wednesday he went to Amherst, Thursday our son left us for Boston, Sally his wife tarried. Mr. Huntington & my two daughters went on the mountain, home to dine. Afternoon visit Betsy Colt. Fryday Mr. Huntington set out for home.

June 22 Sun. Mr Hop: Genesis 44 & 16 & 1st Peter 1 & 25. Monday Mr. Phelps, Sally & I spent at Northampton on business. I stoped at Dr. Porter—drank tea. Tuesday the young ladies here, Betsy Colt & others. Wednesday I visit at Lawyer Porters to see Mrs Dwight, they are gone to New York, the Widow Porter there. Thursday jst at night our daughters rode into town.

June 29 Sun Mr. Hop: Psalm 119 & 115. Monday Mr. Phelps and I at Pelham to purchase beds & other things. Tuesday our daughters set out for Brimfield. Thursday jst at night they returned. This day Mrs. Hop & Margaret Spring called here upon a very peculiar arrend. I pray God it may be for my benefit. Last

Tuesday Concert of Prayer. None went from here—Just at sunset rode of arrands.

1800 July 6 Sun. Mr Hop. Psalm 41 & 4 & 147 & 20. Monday Mr. McGeorge & wife visit here. Mr. Hop here. Tuesday rode out of arrands forenoon. Wednesday forenoon rode into town, visit at brothers. Thursday Mrs. Dwight and all the Porters & wives except Major & Pierpont. Fryday I with my two daughters visit Mr Hop: Dr. Porters wife, Mrs. Strong & her daughter Lucy there. Satt. visit at the widow Cooks. Jest heard of the death of her son Eleazar, he married my cousin Rebecca Marsh—they moved from Western up to St. Albens near Canada last February.

July 13 Sun Mr. Gridly from Ephesians 2 & 8 & Genesis 3 & 9. Monday Susan Cutler here. Tuesday morn home. Wednesday I at Hatfield upon business—soon sent for home—Mr. Gaylord & Cap't. Dickinsons wife visit here. Thursday Becky at Northampton with her father upon business, home about one. Sally & she rode into town jest at night. Fryday morn they set out for Greenfield. Capt Hitchcock lodged here last night—left us this morn. Satt: our daughters returned, I rode in to town jest at night.

July 20 Sun: Mr Hop: Luke 12 & 45. 46 & Matt 6 & 20. Tuesday great harvest day—near thirty men—a plentiful harvest. God be praised. Thursday Mr. Lyman & wife visit here. Lawyer Porters wife & her cousin Edwards of New Haven called for a few moments Fryday I & my daughters visit Dr. Porters. Satt. Capt Colt from Newark & wife & two Miss Chandlers drank tea here.

July 29 Sun Mr Hop: John 6 & 68 & James 4 & 8. Monday the girls visit Capt Smiths, Mrs. Ward up. Wednesday Capt Smiths wife & Mrs. Ward visit here. Tuesday Mrs. Walker visit here—Coll'l Porter & wife called here, drank tea. Thursday Lecture. Mr. Williams from [blank] I visit Deacon Seths Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Shipman, Lawyer Porters wife—Mrs. Ward came up brought Charles—I fetch him home at night. Fryday I visit Mrs. Gaylords & others. Sally & I rode into town of arrands, this morning. Satt. Sally & Betsy visit at Amherst—Dr. Cutler took little Charles.

1800 August 3 Sun: Mr Hop: Romans 3 & 10 & Ephesians 5 & 2. This dead creature once more at the Lords table & where but there can I hope to find life & quickening. O Lord forsake me not, by the good spirit lead & guide me for Jesus sake. Monday my daughters visit Mrs Lymans. Tuesday our son came. Dr. Hitchcock of Providence & Capt. Hitchcock of Brookfield here, lodged. Wednesday morning left us. Mr. Phelps set out for Shelburn last Monday Morn—to lay roads—came back when we were at breakfast this day. Our daughters visit at Deacon Oliver Smiths. Thursday Mr Hop. & Capts wife & Margaret Spring visit here & Betsy Colt. Fryday our son & his wife rode to Northampton—took tea at Mr. Lymans, Hatfield.

Aug. 10 Sun: Mr Hop: 1st Peter 1 & 4—spoke very well upon the duty of speaking well—ordering all our conversation agreeable to the Gospel. My son & his wife went to Amherst this afternoon to hear Mr Parsons, drank tea at his house. Monday I visit at Capt Lanes. Tuesday Mrs. Butler, Miss Chandler, Hannah visit here. Wednesday daughters visit Betsy Colt. Thursday at William Dickinsons, my son with 'em. Fryday morn Mr Ripley & wife came here, of Greenfield (Mr. Hop: called) they left us about 5. then our daughters went to Northampton visit Capt. Lanes. Mr. Phelps came home with 'em. One Mr. Severance here & lodged.

Aug. 17 Sun: Mr. Lyman from Isaiah 61 & 1 & 2 verses. I tarried at home in the forenoon. Charles unwell—my son at home a slight cholic. Monday my son & daughter & I visit Coll'l Porters, Dr. & wife & Sally Williams. Betsy Hubbard there. Tuesday a large company went to the Island drank tea there—our three children with 'em (Monday morn Mr. Phelps set out to lay roads at the eastward). Wednesday my son & 2 daughters visit Mrs. Gaylords.

1800 Aug 24 Sun: Mr Hop: 1st Timothy 2 & 8. Wednesday morning our son & his wife left us to go to live in Boston. Lord they are in thy hands—O that they might be subjects of thy grace. Just will it be should they be left as monuments of thy wrath, but I may beg mercy—may thy divine presence & blessing attend 'em through their journey of life & thy glory be advanced in their everlasting salvation for Jesus sake Amen. Mr. Barret of Northfield called here in the afternoon & left his little daughter Mary. Thursday Betsy & she rode to Mr. Gaylords. Fry-

day forenoon Miss Margaret Spring came here to tarry,—in the afternoon Betsy & she visit Mr Hop. Satt. afternoon Mr Barret came from court—took Mary, went home. Last Wednesday I up at Mr. Osburns his knee is badly cut.

Aug. 31 Sun: Mr Hop: the above upon publick worship & Proverbs [blank] Margaret went home this morning. Monday morn Fanny Dickinson here to taylor. Tuesday sister Warner & I at brother Dickinsons—when I came home found Nabby come back—she left us last Thursday. Wednesday Dr. Porter & wife & her sister Sally visit here. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Strongs, Amherst. Fryday Betsy at Dr. Cutlers,—this morn into town of Arrands & the two preceding. Satt. jest at night Betsy carried Fanny home.

1800 Sep. 7 Sun Mr Hop: Romans 12 & 19. Spoke largely upon retaliation. Monday Betsy visit Mrs Dr Porters—her sister Sally came home with Betsy. Tuesday Betsy & Sally visit Mr. Lymans, Hatfield. Wednesday I into town of arrands. Thursday Sally home. Mr. Azariah Dickinsons wife—Mr. John Hodges wife visit here. The men here to tea. Fryday morn Dr. Porter & Major Porters wives Mr. Strongs wife & I set off for Dalton—Mr. Phelps went with us. Satt. he came home— we women rode around the country into Pittsfield

Sep. 14 Mr Nash from [blank] & 1st John, 12, 13 (?) etc (but to us many as received him etc. ?) [where] John 1 & [blank] Monday a very large collection at Mr. Williams. Tuesday Mrs. Strong & I set out for home. Mrs. Ashley Williams came with us 10 miles, when we got home found Mr. Huntington here & little Charles gone home. Wednesday Mr. Phelps carried Mrs. Strong home to Amherst. Thursday Mr. Hunt: to Hatfield, Betsy to Amherst. Fryday Mr. Hunt: & Betsy visit Mr. Hop.—they visit Lawyer Porter. Thursday. Satt Mr. Hunt: set out for home.

Sep. 21 Mr. Hop: pr [blank] Last night had a violent earache, took opium, sick all day, Monday Morn Betsy set out in the stage for Boston to visit her brother. Fryday Mrs. Gaylord, Sister Warner here before dinner. Brother Dickinson & wife & Mr Gaylord, brother Warner here to tea.

Sep. 28 No preaching—very rainy, all home but Reuben. Wednesday his father & mother & sister here. Mr. Parsons & wife & her sister Church visit here. Mr. Phelps came home, went to Guilford Monday Morn. Thursday Mr. Winchester etc left us. Friday Deacon Arms of Deerfield & wife came. Mrs. Williams & Mrs. Hitchcock came when we were at tea. Mr. Arms went to Hatfield after tea. Mr. Phelps carried Mrs. Williams to Mr. Gaylords—Satt. Mrs Arms & I went to see Mary. Mr. Arms came back—they dined here & left us for home—then Mr. Phelps & Mrs. Hitchcock visit at Amherst.

1800 October 5 Sun Mr Hop: Hosea 3 & 5 & Hebrews 13 & 14. Monday Mrs. Hitchcock & I visit at Capt Smiths,—Mrs. Williams and others. Tuesday Mrs. Williams & Mrs Hitchcock set out for home. In the afternoon attended the concert of pray Mr McGeorge pr [blank]. In the evening he called here—been to marry Anna Smith. Wednesday Mr. Phelps went to the westward. Thursday night came home. Fryday Dr. Porters wife visit here. Mr. Hop & a little Miss White with her, the horse run away with her chaise after they had got out, went over—our Morison hurt his arm—thanks to the God of all our mercies it was no worse. Dr. came to tea. This week had a tryal similar to those I had July 1794 tho not so great degree yet—I think I may truly say that the Lord has tried me in the tenderest spot and blessed be his name. I hope tis not in vain. Surely it has been a means of weaning me from all earthly enjoyments & shewing me a good in God. But when I feel only the channel thro which the chastisement comes then sorrow like a flood is ready to overwhelm me. When I view the tender connection from which my grief comes a sharp sword seems to pierce thro my very heart. But God is gracious, he shews me 'tis his hand that holds the rod & he knows what is best for all. Thou seest best all wise & holy God to bring me into darkness & sorrow. Pray father support me in my duty—wilt thou be a constant guide to all my thots as well as words & ways. I have hoped that this cause of sorrow might cease but now dear Lord if it is best to continue it I hope I submit, Grant me grace to glorify this at all times for the redeemers sake Amen.

Oct 12 Sun: Mr. Hop: pr [blank] Communion day—rather dull & stupid. dear Jesus forsake me not, grant they spirit to this poor unworthy woman—in the

afternoon a little more attentive to the idols we set up in our hearts. Monday Mr. Phelps set out for Boston a little after 4. Afternoon 10 men here to Court—no judge no Lawyer. Mrs. Shipman here. Wednesday night she went home. Thursday Capt. Smiths wife & Mrs Ward here. Mr. Ward & Erastus came at night. Mr. Ward & wife (Minister at Brookfield) tarried. Fryday they left us in the morning. Soon sister Warner & Mrs. Gaylord came—they left me at night.

1800 Oct 19 Sun: forenoon rainy—I tarried at home. Mr Oliver from Revelation 5 & 12. afternoon I at meeting Mr. Spring from Hosea 6 & 3. Monday Rev'd Mr Hopkins visit here. About 4 Mr. Phelps & Betsy came home, at Brimfield over Sunday. Thanks be to God all well. Tuesday visit Moses Porters. Wednesday Sister Dickinson here. Fryday morning went home. I at brother Warners, dined. Sister & I visit William Dickinsons. Last Wednesday forenoon Mr. Woolcott of Litchfield & wife & Ursula Chandler called here.

Oct 26 Sun Mr. Lyman from Luke 12 & 5 & 1st Kings 19 & 7. Monday visit Widow Brecks, Northampton. Capt Lanes wife and Asahel Pomeroy's wife & Mrs Olverd there. Tuesday Betsy & William Dickinsons wife visit brother Dickinson—Polly C. came to tarry. Sol'l Stoddard & wife & Clary Strong & old Mr Hop here before she (Betsy) got home. Fryday about 2 Mr. Phelps & Betsy came home. Set out last Tuesday upon a committee to view the New turnpike road to Boston thro Pelham. He & I visit Mr. Lyman, Hatfield, Gov. Strong & Parson Williams & wives there. Mr McGeorge dined here last Monday.

Nov. 2 Mr. Hop: Romans 10 & 12 & Proverbs 14 & 2. Monday I carried Betsy to Mr. Strongs to stay—I visit Dr. Cutlers, Mr Phelps came at night. Tuesday set off again upon the Pelham road. Thursday Morn Susan Cutler brought Betsy home. Brother Williams came and carried me to brother Warners. he and sister got there from Norwich last night—their brother Joseph died while they were there. At night Sister came home with me. Fryday morn brother came, at night Mr. Phelps got home. Satt: Morn they set out home. Jest in night I into town of arrends. Polly Warner home, came Thursday; last week Wednesday Judith came back. this week Nabby left us.

1800 Nov. 9 Sun. Mr. Hop Isaiah 55 & 2, & Luke 15 & 29. Monday morn: between 5 & 6 Coll'l Porter & I set out for Boston on the New turnpike—lodged at Slowcomes in Shrewsbury. Tuesday got to my son's a little after 3.

Nov. 16 Sally at Mr. Kirklands Meeting—Mr. Osgood of Medford from Exodus 23 & 2 & Matthew ("Let your light so shine before men" etc) This day Sally & I called upon all the Parsons, my son unwell. Monday Coll'l Porter & I set out for home about 10, lodged at Monroes Northborough. Tuesday very rainy horse lame—came to General Wermers, Hardwick. Wednesday got home all well. Thanks be to God. Thursday Betsy at Dr. Cutlers to take the kine pox. Satt. Polly went home, Betsy and Mitte rode out in sleigh.

Nov. 23 Sun. Mr. Hop: James 1 & 5, & Ezekiel 24 & 14. Wednesday fifty three years have I seen thro the sparing mercy of God. Tis pleasant to take a retrospective view of my past life, how many mercies, truly 'tis all mercy—the whole has been goodness & faithfulness but still O God my eyes are unto Thee. I can't live to any good purpose unless thou grant me thy presence & grace to guid & teach me, which I hope & beg for—for the redeemers sake Amen. Thursday Thanksgiving Day. Mr. Hop: 1st Chronicles 29 & 20. We all spent the Eve at Mr Hop: with others. Fryday I visit Mr. Gaylord, Mr. Phelps & Mr. Hop family there to tea. Last Sunday was a tedious snowy day & the Fryday before.

1800 Nov. 30 Sun Mr Parsons from Matt 5 & 46, 47. Those words "What do you more than others" chiefly insisted on. Monday Mr. Phelps & I visit Lawyer Porters. Tuesday at Coll'l Porters with many others. Betsy at Mr. Lymans. Thursday Betsy home, we visit brothers. Fryday Fanny Dickinson home in the Morn. She came home with us Monday night to taylor. This day killed hogs 7. Betsy & I visit widow Hubbards. Coll'l Porter & wife there. Satt: Polly Cooley here again.

December 7 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 51 & 10 & Zachariah 1 & 4. Monday Mr. Hop. & son & wife, Mr. Gaylord, brother Warner, coll'l Porter & wives Tuesday Mr. Phelps to Greenfield. Wednesday home—he & I visit Capt. Dickinsons. Thursday Lecture at Mr. Parsons—I visit Mr. Walkers. Fryday made sausages. Satt: Mr.

Phelps & I inoculated with the kine pox. Granger & Reuben, Polly & Mitte last Wednesday.

Dec. 14 Sun. Mr Hop. Luke 1 & 68 & 1st Peter 2 & 24. I not at meeting—a very sick night & this day. O Lord thy will be done. denied the mercy of sining with thy saints at thy table this day but I till hope for a blessing for Jesus sake. Monday Susan Cutler here in morning to tarry (she was here last week Tuesday a few hours) & help us Quilt Betsy Copper plate bed quilt—Mary Matoon & Lucy Barron visit here. Thursday got the quilt off. Susan & Betsy visit to Betsy Colt & Moses Porter, he & wife & Lucretia gone to Vermont. Fryday Lawyer Porter & wife visit here. Satt. Mr. Phelps carried Susan home. Dr. Cutler has been twice this week supposes we have all had kine pox. My arm was very much inflamed on Monday—think I had the last symptons Sunday.

1800 December 21 Sun. Mr. Hop. John 6 & 33 & Psalm 51 & 3. Tuesday Betsy Gaylord here. Mr. Hop. drank tea here been at Andries & Cadwells—Wednesday Mr. Phelps & Betsy at Northampton. Betsy Gaylord home Thursday Mr. Phelps & I into town of arrands. Fryday I visit Mr. Shipmans, Mr. Phelps to Greenfield. Satt. home.

Dec. 28 Sun. Mr. Hop. 2nd Chron. 33 & 12, & 1st Epis. John 4 & 10. Monday Fanny Dickinson here to make my great coat. Mr. McGeorge dined here. Fryday night Charles & Sally got here from Boston. Wednesday the Waggon came from Litchfield for Betsy's things. Went before night. Soon Mr. Huntington, Mr. Gould, Mr. Smith came. Thursday Jan 1 1801 jest at night our friends came in & about 7 Mr. Huntington & Betsy were married. Lord bless them. Fryday morning the Litchfield people left us & took with them our dearly beloved daughter, hush every anxious thot. She is in the hands of God. Never may I revoke the often repeated dedication I have made of her. No dear Lord I rejoice she is thy creature & at thy dispose. Will the supreme being Glorify himself in all my children. But surely I may ask mercy for 'em throu a glorious redeemer. Just at night Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock & both children came, & Mrs. Ward to her fathers.

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VITAL RECORDS OF YORK, MAINE

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Mr Robert Nealey of Lawrence, Mass. and Miss Hannah E. Grant of York, (Me) intend Marriage Entered Feb. 5th 1868 — Certificate issued Feb. 10th 1868

Attest: Sam^l P. Young Town Clerk —

[The same later hand previously referred to has added: "Joined in Marriage Feb 12 1868 by Rev John Parsons — see record of Margés Page 27"]

Mr Oliver Bowden J^r and Miss M. Abbie Corry Both of York, (Me) intend Marriage Entered April 4th 1868 — Certificate issued April 9th 1868

Mr Charles E. Gerrish and Miss Susan Y. Perkins Both of York, (Me) intend Marriage Entered May 14th 1868 — Certificate issued May 19th 1868

[The same later hand has added: "Joined in Marriage May 26 1868 by Rev John Parsons see record of Marriages Page 27"]

Mr A. Frederick Peterson of Boston, Mass. and Miss Nancy S. Norton of York, (Me) intend Marriage Entered May 22^d 1868 — Certificate issued May 27th 1868 —

Mr John Langley of York, (Me) and Miss Elizabeth Pettigrew of Kittery intend Marriage Entered May 27th 1868 — Certificate issued May 31st 1868 —

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Mr David F. Starkey and Miss Olive A. Hutchins Both of York, (Me) intend Marriage Entered June 19th 1868 — Certificate issued June 23^d 1868

Mr Sam^l E. Lewis and Miss Irena Norman Both of York, (Me) intend Marriage Entered June 24th 1868 — Certificate issued June 29th 1868

He married in Woodstock, Vt., 27 Nov. 1788, SARAH FELLOWS (Woodstock Town Records, Book B, p. 48).

He is listed next to John Ellis as head of a family in the 1790 Census consisting of one male over 16, one under 16 and two females. A pension certificate was issued to him 24 May 1820 for \$8 a month from the date, 3 June 1818, of application. He applied from Roxbury Township, Ohio, "aged 53," stating that he enlisted from Middleborough, Mass., 5 April 1781, and served two years eight months, partly in Capt. Emerson's Co., Tenth Massachusetts Line, and partly in Capt. Killam's Co., Col. Newell's Reg., Massachusetts Line. Gideon Newton of Barnard, Vt., deposed, 4 Oct. 1817, that he served the last three years of the war with Ephraim Ellis. A similar affidavit was submitted by his brother John Ellis (*Abstracts of Rev. War Pension Applications, The National Genealogical Society Quarterly* (1947), vol. 35, p. 55).

Children (births recorded in Woodstock Town Records, Book B, p. 59):

- i. LEVI,^s b. 16 Sept. 1789.
- ii. SUSANNAH, b. 19 March 1791.
- iii. EPHRAIM COOMER, b. 23 Jan. 1793.
- iv. ALFRED, b. 16 Feb. 1796.
- v. ISAAC, b. 26 Jan. 1798.

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THE DIARY OF ELIZABETH (PORTER) PHELPS

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1801 Jan 3 Sun. Mr. Hop. from Psalm 103 & 4 & Psalm 73 & 23. Monday Charles & wife left us, and Mr. & Mrs. H. and children. Tuesday killed hogs. Concert of Prayer, I attended. Visit Major Porter. Wednesday Grainger set off for Boston with the pork. Fryday Mr. Ward & wife visit here.

Jan 11 Sun: Mr Hop: John 12 & 49, 50 & Psalm 119 & 26 Tuesday Polly Cooley left us. Wednesday Mr Hop. visit here. Fryday Lawyer Porter & wife visit here.

Jan 18 Sun. Mr Hop: Leviticus 26 & 14. Tuesday visit Mr Hop; with many others.

Jan. 25 Sun: Mr. Hop: Matt. 5 & 48. Wednesday morn sent Mitte to Brother Dickinsons—Mr. Phelps & I set out for Litchfield, lodged at Granby-Petcbones. Thursday got there just at dusk to our mutual joy Friday & Satt many friends called on us.

Feb 1 Sun. Mr. Huntington from 1st Peter 1 & 16. & 1st Corr. 6 & 9. Monday we all visited at Mr. Woodcots. Tuesday all dined at Mr. Smiths, drank tea with Mr. Gould & made an eve visit at Dr. Smiths—Wednesday dined with Coll^d Talmadge—drank tea & spent the eve at Mr. Lords. Thursday we rode out drank tea at Judge Reeves. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I left our beloved children & set out for home. Lodged at Uncle Phelps Westfield. Satt. got home about 12 found all things very clever (but no Betsy) for which I hope we were truly thankful,—sent for Mitte home (left Judith with the care of the family & she did very well.)

Feb. 8 Mr. Hop: from 2nd Samuel 21 & 3 showed the nature of atonement. Sat once more at the table of the Lord, May no sin have dominion over me but may I perfect holiness in the fear of the Lord. Monday Mr. Hop: Coll' Porters wife & Mrs. Hop visit here. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord & Sister Warner here all day. Wed: killed Hoggs 3. Thursday the men tryed 'em into sewet. I rode out to brother Dickinsons—got home about 3 Fryday Mr. Lyman & wife visit here.

1801 Feb. 15 Sun: Mr. Hop: Hebrews 3 & 14 & Rev. [blank]. Tuesday Mitte's father & mother came here. Thursday they went home forenoon. Major Porter wife to spend the day. Mr. Tappan & wife drank tea & spent the Eve. Fryday Reuben carried me to Amherst, Mrs. Strong & I visit Dr. Colmans.

Feb 22 Sun: I had a very sick headache day. Mr. Phelps at Hatfield—Monday we a visit Dr. Porter. Tuesday Dr. Porter & Mrs. Porters brother Ashley Williams drank tea & spent the eve here. Wednesday Eve. Reuben carried me into town of arrends—called on Mrs. Hop: & Mrs. Gaylord—Thursday Moses Porter & wife here Fryday Mr. McGeorge mother & wife visit here.

March 1 Sun. Mr. Hop. Nehemiah 13 & 22. Wednesday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Dr. Porter, Dolly & Ashley Williams visit & Mr. Shipman to tea; all spent evening here.

March 8 Sun: Mr. Hop: Psalm 119 & 25 & Isaiah 66 & part of 3 & part of the 4th ver. Wednesday Deacon Williams of Dalton, a forenoon visit. Dr. Porter here a little while.

March 15 Sun: Mr. Hop from Romans 12 & 3 & Matt 20 & 24. Tuesday visit Moses Porter—this night & all day Wednesday very rainy. Wednesday night & Thursday rained tremendously. Fryday morning the river was higher by one foot than it was ever known. Mr. Lyman of Hatfield came here from Brimfield going home from a counsel there—Mr. Brown is dismissed.

Mar 22 Sun: Mr. John Smith from Hebrews 3 & 13—afternoon Mr. Hop: Psalm 29 & 10 (in consequence of the late high water). Thursday Mr. Porters wife spent the day here. Dr. took tea & spent the Eve.

1801 Mar 29 Sun: Mr. Parsons Jeremiah 5 & 31—a fine sermon upon Gods right of election & mans free agency—how good the doctrine of the Supreme Agency in every occurance—& from Acts 25 & 25. Showed the inclination sinners have to put off seriousness. Monday we visit Mr. Hop: Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Strong's, Amherst—Mr. & Mrs. Parsons & Salome there. Thursday visit Mr. Gaylords. Fryday visit Capt. Smiths, a number of ladies. Last Wednesday Mrs. Hibbard came here in the morning, tarried till near night.

April 5 Sun. Mr. Lyman from 2nd Eps. Timothy 3d. 1st ver to 9. Tuesday Mr. Phelps, Granger, Elisha Smith, Reuben Debell, inoculated with the small pox. I went to concert of prayer,—after the Lecture the funeral of Elihu Cook was attended at the meeting house—he died very suddenly Sunday night. I visit at Lawyer Porters, Mr. Phelps there to tea. Thursday fast—Mr. Hop: pr: Easther 4 & 16. Fryday visit Brother Warners. Mrs. Gaylord, Dolly & Sally there we sent & fetched Polly Cooley here last Tuesday. Mr. Hop. pr. last Tuesday from 1st Ep. Peter 5 & 10. Mr. Phelps not at meeting fast-day—in the eve Coll' Porter here.

Apr. 12 Sun. Mr. Hop.: Ezekiel 11 & 5 & Revelations 2 & 5 Communion day. Mr. Phelps home on account of his innoculation. Dear Lord I desire to cleave to thee and may it be in the way of well doing, be pleased to make the path of duty plain & May I follow with cheerfulness & delight for the redeemer sake Amen. In the evening Mr. Shipman & wife here Mr. Gaylord & wife here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & Granger inoculated again (Elisha & Reuben went to the tan house to have the small pox Monday.) Wednesday Morn Polly Cooley went home. She came to be innoculated with the small pox but the selectmen would not permit any more of us to take it. Wednesday about 10 o'clock Mr. Phelps took a large dose of salt peter for salts—had a dreadful day—vomited once about 2, then the Dr. Left him but his distress increased to such a degree we sent again for him. about 8 in the evening he vomited largely which relieved him. Thursday I rode into town of arrends—brought the widow Porter up with me & came home. Had not the smallpox. Elisha has it & none of the others. Satt finished making soap.

1801 Apr 19 Sun Mr. Hop. Jeremiah 9 & 13 & 2nd Cor 7 & 4. Wednesday rode into town of arrends jest at night. Thursday a Miss Ellis from Hatfield here to

taylor. Mrs. Newton a visit here—in the afternoon Dr. Cutler & wife visit here—at night they all left us.

April 26 Sun. Mr Hop: from Psalm 5 & 7 & 1st Peter 5 & 3. Monday Elisha Smith washed & cleansed & came home to live—thanks be to God all is so favorable. Tuesday I visit at the widow Rhoda Montagues—her sister Woods with her quite blind—O Lord bless her in her gloomy state. Wednesday jest at dark our children from Litchfield came here—I hope we are all truly thankful. Thursday Mr. Huntington & Mr. Phelps rode into town. Fryday Mr. H. left us for home—Betsy tarries here. This day she inoculated with the small pox & many others. Mrs. Lawyer & Mrs. Hop: called here this day. Satt: Mrs. Hop: Betsy & I visit at Lawyer Porters. last Sunday Mr. Phelps at meeting for the first time since the Sunday before last—he, Granger & Reuben have been twice inoculated with the small pox but have not had it, in consequence of the cow pox last winter we suppose.

May 3 Sun: Mr. Hop: Psalm 47 & 7 & Job 21 & 15. Monday Betsy & I visit Mr. Hop. Lawyer Porters wife there. Tuesday Betsy & I visit brother Warner, the daughters there. Thursday forenoon I rode into town of arrands—found Fanny Lyman at the upper end of the street coming here,—brought her home, found Esther Cutler here—they both left us at night. Fryday brother & sister Warner with their two daughters visit here. Betsy had the symptoms of the small pox. Satt. very poorly, at night removed to our tan house. Elisha had it there. There are about 50 now in a new house built for that purpose near the south mountain

1801 May 10 Sun: Mr. Hop. Jonah 4 & 9 & Luke 9 & 24. Monday Betsy's arm very much enflamed & red spots in various parts—sent for Dr. Colman. Tuesday morn he came jest after sunrise—gave her some medicines. Tarried till near noon, got the pustules coming out cleverly. Mrs. Gaylord, Lawyer Porters wife, deacon Smiths wife visit here. Wednesday night Betsy had a very ill night—in the morning of Thursday her symptoms were alarming—sent for Dr. Colman got here about 1, staid till near night—got the pustules out again they were almost gone. Fryday Mr. Huntington came found his wife charmingly—Lord I hope thou wilt grant us truly grateful hearts.

May 17 Sun: Mr. Hop. Titus 1 & 2 & 2nd Cor 6 & 1. we went to Hatfield, Mr. Huntington pr. a lecture from Ezekiel 37 & 3—he preacht for Mr. Lyman all day. Tuesday I visit at Perez Smiths to see a Miss Cook from Menotomy & her cousin Miss Bradshaw—a large collection there. Wednesday Betsy walked. Thursday walked again—put on clean cloaths came home—Lord how manifold are thy mercies, O fit us for events. Fryday Mr. Huntington & wife set out for Boston—went as far as Dr. Cutlers found she was not able, came home. President Dwight & widow Porter, Lawyer Porter & wife visit here. Satt: Mr. Hop & his son's wife coming here were overset, the chaise much broke but none very much hurt, blessed be the God of Providence, he returned, she came here.

May 24 Sun. Mr. Hop: Deuteronomy 10 & 12. 13 & John 15 & 10. Mr. Huntington pr. in Amherst. Tuesday Mr. Huntington & Betsy rode. In the afternoon Miss Cook, Miss Bradshaw, Rebecca Smith called here. Wednesday our children left us for Boston. Thursday at Lecture Mr. Lyman from Luke 24 & 32. Drank tea with Mrs. Gaylord. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I, Brother Warner & sister visit Mr McGeorges. Satt: Polly Cockey came here to stay.

1801 May 31 Sun. Mr. Kellogg from Mark 15 & 37 & Luke 15 from the 11 to 24. How illy have I enjoyed this ordinance, dreadfully dull & stupid, O for one look from the dear redeemer. But I don't deserve any mercy & what can I do—hope in almighty power. Gods glory will be promoted & may I sincerely rejoice. Monday visit Coll'I Porter with others. Thursday Mr. Hunt: & Betsy came back—all cleverly—thanks be to God. Fryday Mr. Hop: visit here. Satt: our children to Hatfield & round to Northampton—home about 3. Polly & I into town of arrands—soon home Brother Dickinson & sister visit here. The Miss Cutlers, their brother Gurnsey & Mr. Packard visit here. Mr. Ward & wife called here last Tuesday (from Brimfield) forenoon.

June 7 Sun: Mr Huntington pr. Psalm 2 & 6. Monday we all visited at Dr. Porters. Tuesday about 2 Mr. H. & Eliza left us. Mr. Phelps & I went with them to the ferry at the lower end of Hadley, O Lord my children are thine. I went with sister and made a visit on William Dickinson—Dr. Colmans wife & others there. Wednes-

day visit Mr. Seymour's, sister & Orange Warners wife there. Thursday just at night Polly left us. Mr. Phelps & I rode to Mr. Hop. in the eve. of an arrend.

June 14 Sun: Mr. Hop pr. [blank]. This day 31 years since we were married Lord we are thine,—& from Matt 4 & 10. Wednesday I rode into town of arrends—at Lawyer Porters to see Mrs. Williams of Dalton a few moments. Thursday had a letter from Porter informing us of the awful death of his partner Edward Rand—killed in a duel last Sunday morning, June 14 1801. Thursday Morn. Mr. Phelps set out for Boston. Deacon Williams & wife Dr. Porters wife here. Satt: had a sick headache—afternoon better.

1801 June 21 Sun: Mr Hop: Job. 15 & 14 & Amos 5 & 4. Mrs. Shipman sent her chaise & I rode to meeting with her (& Mitte). Mr. Phelps took our horse & chaise. Monday Capt. Hop, Deacon Thompson, his wives father & brother called here a few moments in the forenoon. Wednesday Old Mr. Hop: Capt's. wife, her father & mother, Mrs. Gaylord, Deacon Seths wife visit here. Jest as they left Mr. Phelps came home—all well. Thursday I visit brothers.

June 28 Sun: Mr. Parsons from Ezekiel 18 & 31. 32. After sunset Mr. Phelps set out went to Greenfield got home about 3. Monday morning a great number of men came from Shutesbury to work—had a very busy week. Satt. I took the horse and chaise, carried Mitte to her mothers to go to school, (there is one kept in the house where they live over the river from Sunderland) then went on to Deerfield on business. Came back to Hatfield, went to brother Dickinsons drank tea, got home before dark. The Lord made my way safe & I hope I may say I rejoice in him,—our workmen leit us all except those that live here.

July 5 Sun. Mr. Hop. Mark 16 & 15. His discourse was designed to move people to contribute to the support of missionaries among the Indians & our own frontiers. A glorious work, worthy of a God to move the hearts of his ministers to come forward with such a proposal—yes Lord the work is thine—how I rejoice that it is in good hands & tis matter of great joy to me that the hearts of all are in Gods hands—the gates of hell can never prevail against the cause of Christ, what a glorious day, when Jews & Gentiles shall all be gathered into one fold and there shall be one shepherd. O that I could contribute some way to the cause of the redeemer. Monday visit Mr. Lymans there was a court there—Mr. Phelps did not come till tea time. Tuesday widow Smith of Granby & widow Lyman of Hadley visit here. Fryday Dr. Porters wife brought Mrs. Pomroy of Kenterhook here (She was Anna Ellis of Hatfield). Satt: morn she went over to Hatfield.

1801 July 13 Sun: Mr. Oliver of Pelham from Acts 16 & 31, 32 & Hebrews 2 & 10. Polly came here after meeting to tarry. Monday visit Lawyer Porter, Mrs. Woolsey there. Tuesday Sister Warner & I visit Major Porter. Thursday & Fryday harvest days—a clever harvest may we be truly thankful.

July 20 Sun: Mr. Hop: Mark 9 & 50 & Isaiah 47 & 7. Monday visit Mr. Shipman. Tuesday Capt Smith & wife, Mrs. Gaylord & I set out after 9 for Brimfield, got there after 5. Wednesday all visit Mr. Wards & Mrs. Williams. Thursday Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Gaylord, Capt. Smiths wife, Mrs. Ward, Mrs Hitchcock & I all went to Brookfield. We all drank tea at Capt. Hitchcock & Parson Wards wife,—got back before 9. Fryday set out for home before 7, got here about 9—Lawyer Porter & wife, Mr. Woolsey & wife, Mr. Lyman & wife of Hatfield all here. I brought home Charles.

July 27 Sun. Mr. Hop. Matt 17 & 3 & Luke 9 & 53. Monday we visit Mr. Parsons Amherst, Tuesday carry some things up to Mitte & then up to Deerfield town—got home near dark, found the two Miss Cutlers here. Wednesday morning early they left us. Sister Dickinson & Hannah visit here. Nancy Dickinson went home with her before night. I brought her home with me last night to taylor. Mr. Norton & wife, Major Porter & wife, Moses Porter & wife visit here. Thursday Lecture—Mr. Williams from John 3. 35. I visit Mr Hop: Satt: Mr. Phelps went to Brimfield, Martha, Mrs Hitchcocks daughter very sick.

August 2 Sun. Communion day, but a very sick one for me—awakened with the sick headache. got up between 2 & 3 been able to read some for which I desire to be thankful for. When I reflect how illy I have improved opportunities & spiritual advantages I am justly ashamed & confounded & cry "God be merciful to me a sinner." But still must I ask & hope for a blessing for Jesus sake. Monday

Mr. Phelps & I drank tea at Deacon Seth Smiths—Capt. Norton & wife & others. Mr. Phelps got home from Brimfield before 3. Martha died Satt. buried yesterday—O that the Lord would grant a sanctified improvement to all that are concerned. Wednesday we visit Dr. Porters. Thursday Mr. Phelps set out for Litchfield. Yesterday we had the news of our daughter Phelps's father's death, he died at their home in Boston last Satt.

1801 Au: 9: Sun: I at Hatfield in the afternoon (tarried at home in the forenoon) Mr Hop: there & pr. John 9 & 41. Tuesday Polly had her sister Sally & some other girls from Whately. Mr. Ames & wife came here from Greenfield. she was Uncle Allens daughter. Wednesday morn. they went on for Hartford. Mr. Hop visit here. jest at night Mr. Huntington of Lebanon, our son's father, came here after dark. Mr. Phelps, Mr. Hitchcock & wife arrived from Litchfield—they met Mr. Phelps at Granby last Thursday night. Thursday Mr. Huntington left us after dinner Mr. Hop: & two sisters & Eliza Symkins visit here. Fryday I rode into town of arrands—took Charles to Dr. Porter's, he hurt some bones in his ankle falling down the barn stairs—soon home. Satt: they set out for home, took Charles. Lawyer Porters wife & her Mother Dwight visit here.

Aug. 16 Sun. Mr. Hop. Psalm 119 & 99 & Jeremiah [blank]. Monday Mrs. Hills of Hartford & her daughter McCarter, Dr. Porter & wife, Coll'l Porter & wife visit here. Tuesday I visit Pierpont Porters—Mrs. Dwight & all the Porters & Mr. Phelps there to tea. Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord & Sister Warner here jest at night. Thursday morn jest after 5 carried me into town to take the stage for Boston but we soon returned as it was very full; old Mr. Hopkins was disappointed likewise. Fryday just at night Polly went home. Satt: morn back she went home & spent the day the week before last on Thursday, the day Mr. Phelps set out for Litchfield.

1801 Aug 23 Sun Mr. Hop. Matt. 11 & 23 & Joel 2 & 12. Monday Morning I set off for Boston & Mr. Hop on the stage. Lodged at Mr. Austins, Worcester. Tuesday got to Boston about 1 o'clock, my son met me there at the stage house in the morning. He and I went in a hack to his house, found Sally very well. I dined at Cap't Hitchcocks last Monday. Fryday I rode to Medford with Mr. Eben Parson's wife to see about Sallys nurse. Satt: we all dined at Mr. Ebens.

August 30 Sun: Mr. Popkin [?] 1st Samuel 3 & 18. Afternoon Mr. Kirkland Psalm 16 & 8. Monday we drank tea at Mr. William Parsons. Thursday dined at Eben's. Fryday he dined with us. Satt: I rode to Roxbury with his wife.

September 6 Sun: Mr. Kirkland John 15 & 14 & Psalm 119 & 33. Partook of the seal of the covenant but rather stupid, yet I hope I was enabled to bring all my wants & cares to Jesus. Monday we drank tea at Mr. Theophilus P. they have been moving. Tuesday we all dined at W. P. spent the day. Thursday Fanny Allen made my lustring gown plumb. Friday not weil.

Sep. 13 Sun. Wak'd with a sick headache kept my bed till near night. Fryday about noon Sally took ill, unwell all the afternoon about sunset her three aunts came in & Dr. Rand—had a son born about half past 7. All comfortable I ord may we all live to thy glory, the Nuise came the same night—Mrs. Stone. Satt: all cleverly.

Sep. 20 Sun Mr. Kirkland Acts 13 & 30, 31, 32 & Coll. 3 & 12. Mother & child very comfortable through the week.

Sept. 27 Mr. Porter of Roxbury. Proverbs 8 & 34 & Hebrews 13 & 5. Wednesday about 1 o'clock my husband came. In the eve we went to W.P. Thursday did our shopping, went to Theoph. P. Fryday morn we set out for home—got to Abbots in Holden, lodged. Satt: got home in safety, found all cleverly—Praised be the Lord.

1801 Oct. 3 Sun Mr. John Smith John 5 & 40 & John 9 & 4. Monday Sister Warner & Sister Dickinson visit here. Polly went home with her mother. She came July 13. Tuesday Dr. Porter & wife & Dolly Williams here. Fryday Mrs. Walker visit here. Satt. Mrs. Newton drank tea here.

Oct. 10 Sun Mr. Williams of Leveret from Psalm 73 & 25 & Psalm 144 & 15—two very good sermons & most pathetic prayers. Tuesday Mr. Phelps went to Southampton after cattle. Wednesday came home. Thursday old Mr. Hopkins, the Miss Thompsons, walked here made a visit, Capt Hop: & wife gone to Boston. Fryday visit at Cap't Billings. Satt: Mrs. Hibbard visit here.

Oct. 17 Sun: Mr. Hop: Psalm 119 & 113. In the eve Mr. Phelps & I at Cap't Moses

Porters, Mrs. Walker there. Monday Morn: Capt Smiths wife & I set out for Brimfield in Company with Mr. Gaylord & wife—got there about 3. Tuesday Mrs. Smith & Mrs. Ward drank tea with us at Mr. Hitchcocks. Wednesday Mrs. Smith & I came home alone (Mr. & Mrs. Gaylord gone on to Franklin) in safety thanks to be God. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Lymans.

Oct. 24 Sun Mr. Nathaniel Dwight from John 3 & 10 & Matt 5 & 11. 12. preached very well. Monday a large court here. Uncle Phelps daughter Jerusha & Miss Betsy Ashley both from Westfield visit here. Tuesday towards night they left us for Northampton. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I visit Dr. Cutlers. Thursday Mr. Phelps set off after Cattle to Guilford. Fryday old Mrs McGeorge came here, Satt: about noon left us. Jest before night Mr. Phelps came home.

Nov. 1 Sun: Mr. Hop: 2nd Corr 7 & 10 & Psalm 145 & 18. Wednesday Mr. Phelps at Northampton Court. Mrs. Shipman & Mrs. Hibbard here of arrends forenoon. Mrs. Shipman came back again spent the afternoon & eve. Thursday I at brothers, Mrs. Gaylord there in the Afternoon. Mr. Phelps over to court, back to tea.

1801 Nov: 8 Sun: Mr. Gridley pr. Ephesians 5 & 16. Tuesday Mr. Phelps set out for Litchfield after Eliza. Satt: came back & brought her about 2. Last Monday Fanny Dickinson here to make Reuben a jacket. I carried her to brothers jest at dark.

Nov. 15 Sun: Mr. Hop: Ezra 9 & 6 & 1st John 3 & 8 & 9. Tuesday we visit Mr Hop: Mr. Spring & his son there (has something of a delirium) Mr. Phelps set off this morning for Bernardston on a reference. Thursday we visit Mr. Gaylords, the ladies from Mr Hop: there. Mr. Phelps came home after 9. Fryday we visit Mr. William Dickinsons, sister there, Mr. Phelps to tea. Satt: the Miss Cutlers here.

Nov. 22 Sun: Mr. Hop. James 2 & 10 & Matt 13 & 13. Monday Mr. Hop: his daughter Spring, Capt. Hop's wife & her two sisters, Dr Porter & wife & Dolly Williams visit here. Thursday Thanksgiving Day Mr. Hop. Acts 17 & 26 This day fifty four years old & how have I lived far short of my duty. O Lord forgive—may thy spirit lead me to all duty & universal love to all, but supreme love to the Lord & be fitted for events for Jesus sake Amen. Fryday Lawyer Porter & wife short visit here. I desire to return thanks to God for granting us the Company of our daughter Huntington through this Thanksgiving. We are unworthy but God is very kind. I feel grateful, very grateful to Mr. Huntington for sparing his wife but supremely grateful to the Lord & now what can I do but be begging more mercies & the greatest, choicest thou hast to bestow—make us thine in the Covenant of Redemption—do all for us, we are poor weak creatures, but let thy strength be made perfect in our weakness. We hoped to have more of our children with us but Providence has ordered otherwise & it is well—if they may belong to Christs redeemed flock glory and praise shall forever resound to father, son & spirit: Amen.

1801 Nov. 29 Sun: Mr. Parsons from Isaiah 24 & 16. Monday Court here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps at Hatfield to a Lecture pr. by Dr. Parsons a convention of ministers met there to form a Constitution for a fund to propegate the gospel in the Northern world. Mr. Huntington came when he was gone. Jest at night we all made a visit to Deacon Oliver Smith. Mr. Hop & his family there. Wednesday Mr. Phelps set out for Worcester. Our children visit Amherst. Thursday they carried Polly home (she came last Monday) made a visit. Isaac Williams came last night—went away when they went to Hatfield. Fryday we dined at Mr. Lymans. Just at night Mr. Phelps came over, got home from Worcester—when we came home found the Miss Cutlers & Lucy Barron. Satt. morn they left us—Mr. Huntington went to Northampton to pr.

Dec. 6 Sun: Mr Hop Psalm 118. 23 & Ephesians 5 & 2. Once more with the saints of this Church at Communion but dreadful dull & stupid. O Lord help for Jesus sake. Monday we all a visit Dr Parsons. Tuesday Betsy & I rode into town of errands. Mr. Hop: in here a few moments. Just at night Dr. Parsons drank tea here. Mr. Phelps & Mr. Huntington went in the Eve to Lawyer Porters. A number of people met for prayers on Dr Porter's wives account who seems to be in a despairing way. Wed: we all dined at Mr. Hop.—drank tea Moses Porters, at 6 went to Lecture. Mr. Huntington pr. a lecture Matt 5 & 3 then made a visit at Lawyer Porters. Thursday a very rainy day, our children could not set out. Fryday Mr. Phelps went with 'em to Northampton—got home about 2. At night he

& I met a number of friends at Moses Porters. Mr. Phelps made the first prayer Deacon Smith & Mr. Williams—Mr. Hop:—Dr. Porters wife the particular subject of these prayers was there.

1801 December 13 Sun: Mr. Hop: 1st Timothy 4 & 8 & Matt 25 & 11. Monday visit Mrs Shipmans. Tuesday Mr. Gaylord & wife, brother Warner & wife visit here. Fryday killed 11oggs 4. Satt: Made candles.

Dec. 21 Sun. Mr. Hop 1st Kings 21 & 25. Monday tryed the suet. Tuesday made sausages. On Monday eve I rode to Mr. Congdens & Mitte with me, to see him who appears to be near death by a consumption—will the Lord be the portion of his soul. When we came home after 9 the Hatfield Bell tolled for the interment of Cotton White's wife—she died of the small pox last night. Thursday Mr. Phelps set off for Hawley. Fryday the Widow Rhoda Montague & the widow Jerusha Smith a visit here. Mr. Phelps came home before 7.

Dec. 27 Sun: very rainy, all at home, read much in John Newtons works. I pray God it may profit me. Tuesday visit Dr. Porters Wednesday at Mr. Walkers. Thursday Eve at Mr. Hop. Fryday had a good visit at Mr. Gaylord New Year day—Lord bless us.

1802 January 3 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 49 & 9 & Psalm [blank] Thursday a little before 12, I got on Pillion behind Reuben, a little before 8 got to Mr. Hitchcocks in safety. Fryday Mrs. H. & I made a short visit to Mrs. Ward. Satt: Reuben came home—Polly Hithcock came to stay.

Jan 10 Sun: Mr. Baldwin from 1st Peter 2 & 7 & Luke 14 & 15. The Lords supper was administered by Mr. Baldwin. O that we might all feed upon Christ by faith. Tuesday I at Mr. Wards a little while.

1802 Jan. 17 Mr. Lord a young candidate pr. from John 1 & 1 & 1st Peter 4 & 10. Monday Mrs. H. poorly—about 1 the Dr. came, about 3 had a daughter born. Wednesday Mrs Hitchcock, Captains wife came. Thursday she & Polly went home. Satt. I took the pillion again behind Lewis Williams—got safe home before 6—thanks be to God found all cleverly.

Jan. 24 Sun: Mr Hop: Jeremiah 2 & 27 & Job 17 & 13. Mr. Wareham Smiths wifes funeral was attended this day at the meeting house. Last Sunday Mr. Congdon was buried. Wednesday Mrs. Hop: and her two sisters & Capt. Hop: visit here. Major Porters wife & the widow Porter,—she tarried, the rest went home.

Jan. 31 Sun: Mr. Hop: Matt 22 & 5 & Psalm 31 & 23. Mr. Phelps carried home the Widow Porter this morning before we went to meeting. Thursday Lecture. Mr. Hop: James 4 & 10.

Feb 7 Sun: Mr Hop: 2nd Cor 4 & 18 & Matt 8 & 2. Have I been carried to Jesus at his table this day to be made clean. Lord if thou art pleased to help, I shall be saved, may I always feel my dependance, show me myself for Jesus sake. Monday visit Major Porters,—Lawyers wife, Mrs. Stores, Julia Williams there. Tuesday Widow Cook & her son Elizars widow (she was Aunt Marthas daughter Rebecca) came here (Mrs. Grover rode up for the ride, soon back) & tarried. Wednesday jst at night they left us. Mr. Phelps & I drank tea, spent the Eve at Lawyer Porters. Fryday Granger set off for Boston. Jst at night Mr. Phelps set off for Boston.

1802 Feb. 14 Sun Mr. Parsons from Ephesians 4 & 30, tarried at home in the forenoon—had no way to go. Mr. Gaylords boy came for me at noon. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman here.—Soon Mrs. Gaylord. She tarried till Wednesday night. Mrs. Sh. went home Tuesday night. Thursday Morn Sister Warner came. Fryday night home. Granger came home. Satt: made sausage again.

Feb. 21 Sun: Mr. Hop: Num. 23 & 19. Trys to awaken stupid sinners, Lord grant thy blessing. Monday a terrible storm of snow,—Tuesday as bad by blowing. Wednesday Mr. Phelps came home safe. Satt. I at Mr. Hop: to see Mrs. Worcester & Sally Williams, she going up to Peacham with 'em.

Feb. 28 Sun: Mr. Worcester from 2 Kings 6 & 16 & Job 22 & 21. Thursday visit at Coill Porters, Mrs Gaylord & a number of others there. Satt: went to the funeral of Nathaniel Whites wife—the procession were set out to the grave when we got to the meeting house.

Mar. 7 Sun: Mr Hop: Jeremiah 4 & 3 & Hosea 13 & 6. Spoke of the danger of prosperity & need of trouble. Lord thou knowest what is best, do all thy counsel. Monday half past 4 P. M. Mr. Phelps & I & Mitte set out for Litchfield. Reuben with another loaded sleigh. Lodged at Southwick, Roots. I had a violent sick

headache all Tuesday morning but we went on about 7. Got to Woodbridges about 10. I slept on the bed for about an hour, felt better, went on, got to our children about 7. All comfortable & found them so. Gods ways are all mercy & loving kindness, and tender mercies have protected all our ways—may we love the Lord & serve him. Wednesday we all took a ride—Thursday I went over to Mr. Frederick Woolcots a few moments—afternoon we all rode again. Fryday morning before sunrise set out for home. Our children came with us to the turnpike gate, 2 miles. We got home before 8 in the evening in safety—How great are the favors we enjoy of a temperal nature—but Lord we do still ask for greater, even the blessings of thy grace by a redeemer. Judith had a turn of vomiting blood & discharging it the other way—is poorly now—taken when we were gone last Wednesday.

1802 March 14 Sun: Mr. Hop: pr. Exodus 3 & 9. 10 Tuesday visit Mr. Shipmans, met deacon Seth & wife there. Wednesday Dr. Porter & Sally Williams his wife's sister, visit here & the two oldest little daughters. Mrs. Porter his wife is in a very distressed deranged situation.

Mar. 21 Sun: Mr Hop: Job 21 ch. 23, 24. 25. 26 verses. & Psalm 19 & 12 Monday Mr. Hop: & Mrs. Lyman visit here. Fryday killed hogs 2. Satt. had a letter from Betsy.

Mar 28 Sun: Mr Hop: Genesis 1 & 31 and Acts 26 & 17. 18 Thursday Lecture—Mr. Nathaniel Dwight from Isaiah 53 & 11. Mrs. Gaylord, Deacon Seths wife, widow Porter & I visit Dr. Porters. Satt: at night Judith left us. Last Thursday Granger left us. Rufus Clarke of Pelham came here to live last Monday.

1802 Ap: 4 Sun: Mr Hop: Matt: 26 & 28 & 1st Peter 3 & 8 How little have I found of sweetness at the table of the Lord—I sought but found not—forsake not the work of thy hands, tho the most unworthy yet must I beg & hope for the redeemers sake. Tuesday concert of prayer—Mr. Hop: [blank]. Mrs Gaylord & I visit brother Warners, Sally there. Thursday fast day Mr. Hop Isaiah 31 & 6. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I at brother Dickinsons to get Polly to come here to tarry while I go to Litchfield.

Apr. 11 Sun Mr. Lyman 2nd Peter 3 & 17 & Luke 16 & 26. Monday Major Porters wife and her Mother Eastman visit here. Tuesday Mr. Lyman & wife, brother Dickinson & wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit Parsons Wells at Whately—after we got home went to see Sister Warner in the eve. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Thursday Coll'I Porters wife & Moses wife visit here, Mr. Phelps came home from Chesterfield—went early yesterday morn, the gentlemen here to tea. Fryday Mr. Lyman & wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit at Governour Strong's, Northampton. Satt: William Dickinsons wife here a little while forenoon.

Apr. 18: Sun Mr Hop: Luke 4 & 8 & Luke 17 & 10. Monday Mr Hop: the two Miss Thompsons, Sally Williams of Dalton, visit here. Polly Cooley came here yesterday to stay. Tuesday near 8 Mr. Phelps & I set off. We stopt a few moments at Brother Warners—sister holds unwell, she was took with a dreadful pain in her head & one hand numb Monday morning last week, the pulse was not perceivable for several days. We came to Westfield, dined at Uncle Phelps, then to Woodbridges, Symsbury, lodged. Then over to Horsford Wednesday Morning—breakfasted. Mr. Phelps left me, expecting to get home that day. Before 12 Mr. Huntington came with saddle & pillion. He found a man with a horse & dray to carry my trunk & other matters to the turnpike about 6 or 7 miles where we took the chaise Mr. Huntington left & came to Litchfield, got in before sunset. Found my daughter comfortable. May we be enabled to give all the praise and glory to our Dear Lord. Thursday Mr. Frederick Woolcots wife called in here. Satt: Mrs. Reeve.

1802 Apr: 25, Sun: Mr. Huntington from Matt 6 & 20 & Haggai 1 & 4. It had particular respect to the account which is sent out by the General Assembly to every town in Connecticut in a pamphlet to be read in which was this day read here stating the promising state of the missionary business & requesting the charity of the people to assist by their bounty in the work of the Lord—on the next Lordsday. Many friends & neighbors in here this evening. Monday Mr. Huntington & wife rode to Bethlehem—soon home. Miss Betsy Champion & a niece of hers drank tea here. Tuesday Mary Lord & two Miss Chapins here to tea—in the eve we all step'd in to Mr. Woolcuts. Thursday my children to Gorham to preach a lecture. When they returned we all took tea at Mr. Reeves. Fryday my daughter

& I called in at Mrs. F Woolcuts to see her father & mother, Coll'l Huntington & his wife from Norwich. Then in at Mrs. Reeves to see her mother Mrs. Thompson of South farms.

May 2 Sun: Mr. Hunt: from Romans 10 & 14. In the eve Mr. Reeve & wife & her sister Thompson here & Judge Woolcut. Monday we all took tea at Mr. Frederic Woolcuts. Tuesday they all drank tea here. Wednesday General Skinners wife and her son Buel & his wife here a visit. Thursday a Mr. Johnson & a Miss Hubbard from the south farms came here,—Mr. Huntington married them. Fryday lecture Mr. Huntington from John 13 & 13. 14. 15 verses. Mrs. Tracy, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Lord visit here. Satt: Mrs. Huntington Coll'l wife & Mrs. Williams over here a few moments.

1802 May 9. Sun: Mr. Huntington Solomons Song 8 & 5 & 2nd Timothy 2 & 19. This day have I met with their Church at the table of the Lord, hope I had some sense of the priviledge of leaning on a Saviour, trusting & depending, for soul & body for time & eternity. Heavenly Father I look to thee for myself and all my friends & connections, & the whole world of mankind, that we may be prepared for thy whole will, for the redeemers sake amen. Monday we a visit at Mr. Lords,—Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Tracy & her daughter Gold there. Wednesday I was very ill with the sick headache—very rainy. Thursday Coll'l Huntington & his wife & Mr. Frederick Woolcuts family set out for Norwich. Mr. F. Woolcut is member of the assembly, his wife visits at Norwich while he attends the Court. This day Mrs. Landdon & her sister Betsy Champion visit here. Fryday we visit at Mr. Aaron Smiths. Satt I went over to Mr. Reeves, came back to tea.

May 16 Sun: Mr. Hunt: pr Solomon Song 2 & begun with 10 ver to end of the 13. Compared the natural spring to the life of grace in the soul & to the Graces of the Church of Christ. Thursday Mr. & Mrs. Reeves, her sister Sally Thompson drank tea here. Fryday we all drank tea at Mr. Oliver Woolcuts.

May 23 Sun: Mr. Hunt: from Psalm 139. 23 & 24. My daughter & I tarried at home—very heavy rain. In the afternoon we went. Mr. Huntington Mark 8 & 34. Monday morning a little after 4 I was called up—about 5 Mr. Huntington went for Mrs. Harrison—about 10 Mrs. Curby came in,—about 2 my daughter was delivered of a son weighed almost 10 lbs. This week many people called to see her and the child.

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VITAL RECORDS OF YORK, MAINE

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Mr. Joseph A. Webber and Miss Mary E. Welch both of York Maine intend marriage Entered July 7th 1873. Certificate issued July 12th 1873.

Attest Charles O. Clark, Town Clerk.

Mr. Thomas H. Shaw and Miss Emily M. Chase both of York Maine intend marriage Entered July 12th 1873. Certificate issued July 17th 1873

Attest, Charles O. Clark Town Clerk

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Mr Joseph W. Shaw of York Me. and Miss Katie Maria Kelley of Boston Mass. intend marriage Entered August 11th 1873 Certificate issued August 16th 1873.

Attest, Charles O. Clark. Town Clerk.

Mr. Herman R. W. Eastman of Berkshire Vt. and Miss Clara A. Fitzgerald of York Me. intend marriage. Entered August 27th 1873. Certificate issued Sept' 3^d 1873.

Attest, Charles O. Clark Town Clerk

Mr. Orleans W. Goodwin and Miss Lurinda Blaisdell both of York, Me. intend marriage Entered Sept'r. 3^d 1873. Certificate issued Sept'r. 8th 1873.

Attest, Charles O. Clark, Town Clerk.

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1802 May 30 Sun: Mr. Hunt: from 2nd Thesselonians 3 & 5. In the forenoon tarried at home with my daughter. In the afternoon at meeting. Mr. Huntington afternoon Matt 5 & 23 & 24. Tuesday attended the funeral of Mr. Holmes (about [?] years old) at the meeting house—the mother lies at point of death in a consumption. This week many people called. Dr. Smith's wife & Miss Ruth Sheldon drank tea here after the funeral.

June 6 Sun: Mr. Gridley of Watertown pr. Jude 11 vers. Afternoon Psalm 78. 6 & 7 verses. Mr. Huntington gone to preach at Watertown. Spoke to the heads of families & to the young people. O that a blessing from the Lord might accompany the means of grace here & through the world for the redeemers sake. Mr. Gridley left us, Mr. Huntington returned by night. Fryday Mr. Woolcut & wife returned (Frederick) Satt: she called here forenoon. About 1 Mr. Phelps & Easther Cutler came here. Before night I went to see Mrs. Woolcut few moments.

June 13. Sun: Mr. Hooker of Goshen (came last night) preached Matt. 12 & 35. Mr. Huntington went to Goshen this morning, returned before night. Mr. Hooker tarried. Monday Mr. Phelps & I set out for home—near 8. got to Uncle Phelps at Westfield about sunset. Tuesday got home in safety about 2—found daughter Phelps & her son came 20 May & daughter Hitchcock & child came 6 June. Thanks be to God we are comfortable. Wed: Mr. Lyman & wife, Mrs. Patridge & Fanny visit here. Thursday Mr. Hop: Mrs. Gaylord, Brother Warner & Sister visit here & Capt Smiths wife. Mr. Hitchcock came. Fryday he, she & the babe went home Lord bless 'em. Sally & I rode to Dr. Cutlers of an arrand. Satt: we into town of arrands. Last Wednesday Polly Cooley went home.

1802 June 20 Sun: Mr. Kellog of Portland from Hebrews 11 & 17,—this in the afternoon—in the forenoon John 13 & 15. at half past 5 he gave us another sermon Luke 1 & 6—represented the happiness of the connubial state when both are truly pairs. Wednesday Sally & I rode in the forenoon, stop't a little while at Mr. Parsons. Thursday we went brought Mrs. Hopkins here before dinner. Capt. Hopkins came for her took tea. Satt: jest at night rode into town—we ride on account of Charles.

June 27 Sun: Mr Hop: Acts. 15 & 18. Monday Mrs. Walker came—Dr. Porter & wife, Capt Moses Porter & wife, Sally Williams of Dalton, Lucretia Colt all visit here. Tuesday Sally & I visit Dr. Cutlers. Easther came home from Litchfield jest as we came away all well. Wednesday attended the funeral of Mr. Steven Goodman at the Meeting house. Sally & I visit Mr. Gaylord, Deacon Seths wife, & Mrs. Hop. Thursday Coll'l Porter & wife visit here. Satt morn: Sally & I at brothers—came to the ferry at the upper end of Hadley, crossed—went on to brother Dickinsons, came home by the upper ferry at Hatfield about 3

July 4. Sun: Mr. Hop 1st Tim. 6 & 5—afternoon I stayed with the babe— Mr Hop: 2nd Chronicles 15 & 4. Tuesday Mittv & I at Concert of prayer— Mr. John Smith from Matt. 6 & 6. Wednesday Mrs. Hop & Mrs. Austin of Worcester here. Mr. Huntington & wife & son arrived in safety by the kindness of heaven. Thursday all at brother Warners. Jest at night my son from Boston & his father came and drank tea with us—my son is come to carry home his wife & son—he got here after we went to brothers—came by Brimfield & brought Mrs. Hitchcock thus we are favoured with all our children & grand children meeting here except Mr. Hitchcock & his son Charles. Lord bless us in the redeemer. Fryday Mr. Parsons & wife visit here. Satt: Sister Dickinson & Polly visit here, Susan Cutler, Lucy Barron. Sister Warner & her daughter Dickinson. the two sons at Northampton by Hatfield forenoon.

1802 July 11 Mr. Huntington from [blank] & Revelations 3 & 20 at half past 5 he preached again Hebrews 2 & 3. Betsy went to meeting forenoon, Mrs. Hitchcock afternoon Charles & Sally both parts. I took Boston Charles in the forenoon, set in the porch. Monday we all visit at Mr. Hop: except my husband. My son carried Mrs. Hitchcock to Belchertown, met her husband there about 12. Tuesday Mr.

Phelps & the two sons up to see the mountain farm in the forenoon. Wednesday Mr. Huntington & wife rode into town, called on many friends—soon home. Jest before night Mrs. Shipman & her daughter Warner with little Emily who is very low in a decline, drank tea here. Thursday morning Charles & wife & child set off for Boston about 6. Mr. Huntington wife & child left us about 7—thus are we once more left alone. I hope the everlasting father is our reward thro the great redeemer. Lord be the portion of their souls & fit us for all thy will. Satt: Mitti & I rode into town of arrands.

July 18 Sun: Mr. Parsons Psalm 32 & 2nd vers. & from Psalm 4 & 8. Tuesday visit at Eliakim Smiths,—Capt. Smiths wife, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Gaylord, sister Warner & Dolly all there. Wednesday jest at night Mr. Gaylord & wife here drank tea.

July 25 Sun: Mr Hop: 2nd Cor 5 & 9, this in the afternoon—in the forenoon Psalm 15 & 4 Monday Mr. Phelps & I at Northampton took tea at Mr. Quartus Pomroys—Dr. Shepherd & wife there. Tuesday made harvest cake. Thursday Mitte & I at Lecture, Mr. Hop: [blank]. Satt: into town of arrands, called at Capt. Hopkins their daughter (born the 18 of last May, very sick) in the evening I went & watch'd. Sally Williams (Dr. Porters wifes sister) watched with me.

1802 August 1 Sun. early home—Mr. Phelps came for me. Mr. Hop: Matt: 26 & 26. 27. 28 & Jeremiah 12 & 4. Once more at the Lords table—stupid but to none can I look for help only to the Lamb of God who taketh away the sins of the world. Afternoon I tarried at Mr. Hop. (the babe died jest as people went to meeting in the forenoon)—Lawyer Porters wife tarried with me—after meeting the funeral of a son of Thomas Smiths was attended at Coll'l Samuel Porters—he lived there. I went to the grave & made a serious visit at the grave of my mother. Monday Mr. Phelps went to Northampton—I went as far as Mr. Hop: attended the funeral of the babe. We came back to tea. Tuesday the committee of the Missionary business met here, dined. Jest at night Mr. Phelps & I visit Major Porters. Thursday finished harvest—thanks to the supreme giver it comes in pretty well.

August 8 Sun: Mr. Gold of Southampton from Luke 21 & 27 & Hebrews 6 & 18. Monday visit Mr. Shipmans—Mrs. Newton there. Tuesday Mitte & I at brother Dickinsons. Sister & I up to Muddybrook after cloath. Mitte & I got home by dark. Wednesday Zerviah Ford went home to New Salem for a visit—she came here to live about the first of May when I was at Litchfield. Friday night came back.

August 15 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Ephesians 2 & 5 & Ecclesiastes 9 & 3. Tuesday Mr. Phelps set out for Conway to lay roads. Yesterday at Amherst upon the same business. Tuesday Mr. Lyman & Mr. Hop:, drank tea here. Wednesday night Mr. Phelps came home. Thursday we visit at Mr. Gaylord's Fryday court here. Jest at night we rode made a short visit at brothers.

1802 August 22 Sun: Mr. Williams of Northampton from Matt: 11 & 28 & afternoon 29 vers. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Mr. Phelps at Northampton, court week. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I drank tea at Dr. Porters, her brother Williams there with his new wife he is going to live at Lancingburgh. Satt: I rode into town of arrands.

August 29 Sun: Mr Hop: Matt. 6 & 1. Monday visit Mr. Azariah Dickinsons, Mrs Gaylord, Maj. Porters wife there. Satt: I a short visit at Mrs. Newtons last Thursday attended the funeral of Benjamin Smiths wife. Mr. Hop: pr. from 2nd Chronicles 15 & 4.

Sep: 5 Sun: Mr Hop: from [blank], afternoon Luke 5 & 12. Monday about 9 Penelope Gaylord & L set out for Brimfield—got there before sunset. I drank tea at Mr. Wards. Mrs. Hitchcock gone to Deacon Browns—soon home. Tuesday Deacon & wife, Mrs. Williams, Mr. Ward & wife & his brother drank tea there—Mr. Hitchcocks. Wednesday we set out about 10—got to Mr. Gaylord's before sunset—I tarried and took tea there. Thursday Mrs. Seymore & William Hodges wife visit here. Jest at night Capt Hitchcock came. Fryday morning he left us. Afternoon court here. Mrs. Gaylord Deacon Seths wife came, soon sister Warner, Capt. Dickinsons wife—a good visit.

Sep. 13 Sun: Mr. Hays from Psalm 4 & 4 & Ezekiel 36 & 26. Monday Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of Coll'l Porters youngest son. he was born last Feb. drank tea at Capt Moses Porters, Mrs. Norton & others there. Wednesday Mr. Parsons & wife, Dr. Cutler & wife, Judge Strong's wife from Amherst, General Warners wife & daughter (Pelitia Hitchcocks wife) from Hardwick. all a visit here—the two

last tarried left us Thursday. Morning, Mrs. Hop: visit here. Capt. Hop to tea. Fryday jest at night Mr. Phelps & I rode into town, did some arrands.

1802 Sep: 20 Sun: Mr. Hop: gone to Vermont—the deacons read & prayed. Mouday Major Porter & wife, Moses wife & their mother Porter, Mrs. Norton & her daughter Anna tarried. Tuesday Morning left us. Wednesday night Mr. Hitchcock & a Capt. Blackfield from Brimfield here. Thursday after dinner left us. Fryday Mr. Phelps at court, Northampton. This has been a very rainy week.

Sept 27 The deacons carried on the Meeting. Monday eve at brothers to see Timothy Eastmans wife's father & mother. Capt Sheldon of Suiffeld & wife a charming, pius, Godly woman. Fryday rode into town of arrands drank tea with Mrs. Newton, Widow Field from Longmeadow there and others.

October 3 Sun: Mr. Lyman pr. Psalm 72 & 15 & Luke 15 & 7. Thursday Morning about 7 Mr. Phelps & I set out for Boston; lodged at Holden—Abbots. Fryday night about 8 arrived at our sons found 'em well. Satt: Sally & I out shopping.

Oct 10 Sun: We all went to Mr. Hopkins meeting—a young candidate pr. in the eve we step'd in to her Uncle Ebens. Monday eve she in to see us. Tuesday all dined at Mr. Eben Parsons. Wednesday came to Abbots Thursday got home all well—to thy care Lord we owe all—to thee we look for a grateful mind. Fryday we visit at Mr. Hop: Satt: Polly Seymour here to make Zerviahs silk gown. Last Tuesday Lawyer Porters wife & Mrs. & Miss McGeorge drank tea with us at our sons in Boston.

Oct. 17 Sun: Mr. Hop Romans 4 & 2 & 3 & Psalm 103 & 15. This day at the table of the Lords but alas how stupid—yet it does seem to me I feel unhappy. O that I might be roused from this stupidity; no power but divine can move or melt this hard heart. O lord make it more susceptable of heavenly food—I beg for the direction of the holy spirit to guide me into all truth. May the words of my mouth and the thots of my heart be wholly under the devine direction. A poor helpless worm lies at the foot of mercy. O may it be granted for the redeemers sake. Monday Polly Cooley & her little sister Hannah. Tuesday Zerviah left us. Mr. Phelps out to Goshen about roads. Mrs. Newton, Mrs. Shipman visit here. Mr. Phelps came home. Fryday I visit at Lawyer Porters, Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Seth Smith—we were called to quilting. Thursday rode into town of arrands.

1802 Oct: 24: Sun: Mr. Hop [*blank*] Monday Dr. Porters wife brought up old lady Porter to tarry here. She stayed & took tea. Wednesday Mr. Hop: visit here. Satt Mrs. Porter went home. Assmiah an Indian girl came here to live last Tuesday.

Oct. 31 Mr. Sympkins from Psalm 119 & 88 & Matt 27 & 34. Monday morning sick headache—better before noon. Wednesday our son Charles came here about noon from Litchfield. Fryday morn 4 o'clock his father set out to carry him to Palmer to take the stage for Boston—has left his horse and chaise here. At night my husband came back. Satt: made Mince pies. Jest at dinner time Mr. Arms & wife of Brattleborough & sister Phelps came here—been to Norwici, she tarried they went on.

Nov. 7 Sun: Mr. Hop: Proverbs 23 & 13. Monday Morning sister went on. Tuesday John Phelps of Granville & Royal Phelps of Westfield drank tea here (both sons of Uncle John Phelps. Uncle died last May). Royal tarried, Wednesday he went home. My husband up to Conway. Jest at Sunset Mr. Huntington & wife & child arrived here once more in safety by the blessing of Providencé. My husband came home before 8. Thursday all of us at Hatfield, visit Mr. Lymans. Fryday we all attended the funeral of Polly Kellogg daughter of Dr. Kellogg—she died at Lawyer Porters. Mr. Huntington pr. a sermon Mark 10 & 21. After the funeral we all visit at Dr. Porters.

Nov. 14 Sun: Mr. Hunt: from Matt 11 & 28. Afternoon Mr. Hop: Ecclesiastes 7 & 3. Spoke particularly to the Youth on account of Mary Kelloggs death. Tuesday Mr. Huntington & wife at Amherst. Returned by night. Thursday Morn: he set out for home. Wednesday Betsy & Lucretia Colt & Rebecca Smith visit here. Fryday Fanny Lyman & her brother Jonathan visit here, Fanny tarried. Satt. went home. Esther & Susan Cutler came here about noon, went at night.

1802 Nov. 21 Sun: Mr. Parsons from Isaiah 41 & 17. 18. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcock came & her two children. Thursday Thanksgiving day Mr. Hop: from 1st Chronicles 16 & 29. Our two daughters with us, Thankful & Betsy—Lord make us truly

thankful for that & every other favour for Jesus sake. Fryday Mr. Wards Wife & Erastus Smith drank tea here—Betsy Porter, Polly Warner came in the morning. This day fifty five years old. The Lord is my keeper, grant me direction & grace for Jesus sake. Satt: Mrs. Hitchcock left us Mr. Phelps carried her to swingtons, there met Ebbe Williams. Mr. H very poorly. Mrs. Strong & Lucy Barron drank tea here.

Nov. 28 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 138 & 6 & John 1 & 12. Monday Betsy & I visit Mrs. Walkers, many others there, Young & old. Mr. Phelps drank tea & spent the eve there. Tuesday Mr. Hop: visit here. Thursday Lecture— Mr. Lyman from Acts 2 & 46. I did not go. Brother Dickinson, Mr. Wells & wives, Mr. Lyman came here. The men all at meeting & Mr. Phelps all back to tea, Mr. Lyman & old Mr. Hop:, they left us about 8. Fryday we visit William Dickinsons. Sister Warner there and brother. Satt: Dolly Will[iams] & Master Kellogg drank tea here. Last Sunday evening took Reuben to brothers, did many arrands—when I got home found Capt Hop & wife here

December 5 Sun: Mr Hop. 1st Peter 2nd & 24 & Psalm 130.0 Lord at thy table but senseless & helpless. What can I or what wish I to do, but throw myself upon infinite wisdom & power, if it be most for the glory of God to keep me short of the grace of the divine spirit may I have patience to submit & hope in great atonement. Monday about 8 Mr. Phelps set out with Betsy & her boy. Reuben with a waggon, Mitte is gone too. Towards night Mrs. Gaylord came. Tuesday early in the afternoon Sister Warner came. Jest at sunset Mr. Phelps got home. Mr. Gaylord & brother came to supper. Left us before 9. Left rather lonely now. But the Lord has the care of us all. Thursday night Reuben got back. Landed 'em all safe at Litchfield. For that & a thousand other favours will the Lord give us a truly grateful heart. Mr. H: met our folks at Petebones in Granby Monday night. Fryday we visit Dr. Roggers, brother & sister there.

1802 Dec. 12 Sun: Mr Hop: 2nd Kings 17 & 36 & Acts 7 & 31. Monday we visit brothers, Capt Lane & wife, Mrs Gaylord, Mr. Hop, Cap't wife all there, Mr. Phelps to supper.

Dec. 19 Sun: Mr Hop: from Phillipians 2 & 1 & Romans 2 & 12. Monday morning Mr. Phelps set out for Boston on a horse & Reuben with a waggon. Tuesday forenoon Brother Warner brought sister here. Fryday night he came & took tea, then they both left me. Satt: made mince pies—about 9 Mr. Phelps & Reuben came all in safely thro the goodness of God.

Dec 26 Sun: Mr Hop: Matt: 5 & 5 & from Psalm [blank]. Spoke upon the care we ought to have of our words. Monday Mr. Parsons came here. Mr. Phelps & he went to Hatfield to the funeral of Coll'l Patridges widow. Drank tea here when they came back. Thursday made candles.

January 2 1803. Sun: Mr. Hop: from Job. 16 & 22 & Hosea 6 & 1. This day dined at Mr. Hops to see Mrs Colt she lives in Vermont—was Polly Hopkins. Tuesday concert of prayer Mr. Hop: Isiah 62 & 1. I went early. Mr. Phelps met a committee to seat the meeting house. I stayed at Capt Moses Porters till meeting, they had a number of friends to dine with 'em. I returned there, made a visit with a number of others. Wednesday visit Coll'l Porters, had a number there, Mr & Mrs. Hop & Mrs. Colt & others. When I came home found Assanah returned from her mothers—she went last week Thursday morning. Fryday killed hogs, three. Satt: tryed the sewet.

1803 Jan: 9 Sun: Mr Hop: James 5 & 11 & 2nd Corr: 4 & 18. Tuesday visit Mr. Gaylord—had a large collection. Thursday Mrs. Shipman visit here.

Jan 16 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 106 & 8 & Acts 13 & 26. Wednesday made sausages.

Jan. 23 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 5 & 2 & Amos 5 & 4. Monday Mr. Phelps set off for Montague—he is on a committee to contract for the building of a bridge over Millers river. Tuesday Morning Mr. Gaylord brought here Mrs. Colt, tarried till night. Wednesday jest at night Mr. Phelps came home. Mrs. Colt was sent for in the evening. Thursday Fanny Dickinson here to taylor. Fryday night home.

Jan 30 Sun: Mr. Hop: Psalm 143 & 8 & Ephe: 5 & 2. Monday we visit Dr. Lyman, Hatfield. Tuesday the Missionary Society's Committee met here. Dr. Lyman, Mr. Williams, Mr. Hale, Esq. Billings, coll'l Woodbridge. Wednesday the association of ministers meeting, Mr. Draper preached the Lecture—we didn't go twas very

rainy. Thursday we visit Lawyer Porter. Fryday singing lecture. Mr. Stickney has been teaching school here. Mr. Gridley from Revelations 15 & 3. We visit at Deacon Seths.

Feb. 6 Sun: Mr. Hop: Matt: 28. 18. O what a blessed text. Afternoon Mr. Smith Romans 15 & 7. I have once more been to the Lords supper may I walk in the spirit for Jesus sake. Monday Mr. Phelps up to Montague again. Tuesday home before dinner—a court here. Lawyer Porter & wife a visit here & her brother Nathaniel Dwight—he is in a despairing way. Thursday we went to attend the funeral of old Mr. Jonathan Cooks wife—but they were ready to go to the grave when we got to the meeting house—made a visit at Mr. Shipmans Fryday Mrs. Hibbard visit here.

1803 Feb. 13 Sun: Mr. Smith a young candidate pr. from Mark 5 & 4 & Psalm 74 & 22.—two very good sermons. Tuesday Jacob Smith & wife & the widow Smith, his mother, & William Dickinsons wife visit here. Lawyer Porter & wife here a few moments. Wednesday we visit at Judge Strongs—Mr. Parsons there his wife in Connecticut. Thursday I visit at the widow Rhoda Montagues to see her daughter Ely—one of the pious women. Fryday we all at Dr. Porters—Amherst folks there, Judge Strongs wife etc.

Feb. 20 Sun: Mr. Hop. Genesis 17 & 1, & Ecclesiastes 3 & 20. Monday Dr. Hop & Capt' wife & Coll'l Porters wife visit here. Capt. Hop: to tea. Thursday we at brothers, Mr. Gaylord & wife, Lawyer Porter & wife.

Feb: 27 Sun: Mr Hop: Jeremiah 25 & 4. 5 & 26 & 13. Monday Court here—we visit at Major Porters. Tuesday Mr. Phelps went to Missionary Committee at Mr. Hales at Northampton. Thursday went to see Sister Warner—found her at Jacob Smiths & a great many others. Fryday Dr. Porter & Dolly Williams visit here. Last Wednesday the widow Porter visit here.

Mar. 6 Sun: Mr Hop: Matt: 6 & 24 & James 4 & 14. after meeting at the meeting house the funeral of Elisha Cooks widow was attended. Monday Lawyer Porters wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit at her mothers at Northampton. Tuesday Mr. Phelps set out for Guilford. Wednesday Major Porters wife visit here all day,—Thursday Mrs. Shipman visit here.

Mar 13 Sun: Mr Hop: Proverbs 5 & 22. Monday widow Porter came here. Satt. Mr. Phelps carried her home on a horse as she came, very muddy going. Mr. Bella Kellogg, school master, came for her after they were gone.

Mar 20 Sun: Mr Hop: Matt. 5 & 6 & 19 ver. Fryday Dr Porter & Dolly W. visit here. Dr. here to tea.

Mar 27 Sun: Mr Hop: John 15 & 2 & Luke 3 & 9. Thursday Mr. Phelps spent the day at Northampton. The proprietors of the new Bank met. I walked on foot to lecture—Mr. Lyman from John 14 & 3. Satt: forenoon Major Porters wife rode with her mother Porter, they called here, stayed a little while. The old lady has had a sick turn. Majors wife went over to see Mary.

1803 April 3 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 8 & 4 Psalms 121 & 1. This day at the table of our Lord but how stupid & dead, Lord save me, or I must perish. No power but divine can make dry bones live, will Jesus show his great power by forming this heart, to be fit habitation for himself. Monday the two Deacon Smiths & wives visit here. Wednesday Sister Warner & the wife of Dr. Rogers visit here. Thursday—fast day. Mr. Hop Jeremiah 4 & 7. Went at noon to see the widow Porter, found her very low.

Ap: 10 Sun: Mr. Lyman Micah 6 & 6. 7. 8 & Ezekiel 13 & 21-22. Monday Mr. Phelps set out for Boston before 3—Had court here before he went. Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Gaylord, her daughter Eliakim Smiths wife & the Widow Jerusha Smith here. Mrs. Gaylord tarried, the rest returned. Thursday the Widow Rhoda Montague made a visit here. Mrs. Gaylord returned with her at night. Satt: I was quite unwell, great pain in my bones, had a sick night. In the morning it appeared like a sick headache, puked frequently. Before 8 felt much better.

Ap: 17 Sun: Mr Hop: from 2nd Thess: 1 & 2 & Hosea [blank]. Although I was very sick in the morning got better, went to meeting. Before night Mr. Phelps came home (went to meeting at Pelham) & brought a little girl to live with my son—Martha Hatchman. Monday more poorly, felt like a great cold. Dr. Hop. & Capt' wife visit here. Tuesday Penelope & Betsy Gaylord visit here. Wednesday more poorly every day, feels like the influenza. Thursday did not rise till toward noon. Royal Phelps dined here, lives with Mr. Lyman in Hatfield.

April 24, Sun: did not go to meeting forenoon. In the after noon ventured out, felt unwell Mr. Hop: from [blank]. Tuesday I rode into town did som arrands. drank tea at brothers. Thursday Deacon Williams of Dalton & his daughter, Dr. Porters wife, made us a short visit about noon.

1803 May 1 Sun: Mr. Hop: 2nd Corr 8 & 13. This day contribution for the sufferers by the fire the twenty fifth of last December in Portsmouth. In the afternoon, Deuternomy 8 & 11. This day I dined at Capt. Moses Porter, the old lady his mother appears to be almost gone. May every providence be profitable to us all. Wednesday we attended the funeral of Judge Porters widow. Mr. Hop: a sermon from Judges 2 & 10. We came immediately home from the grave as we met our son & wife and child when we were going to Mrs. Porters funeral, they came here to reside with us—blessing to each other. Fryday between eleven and twelve my husband and I set off for Litchfield—lodged at Petebones in Granby. Satt: came on—got to Litchfield before 5, found 'em all cleverly—thanks be to God.

May 8. Sun: Mr Huntington exchanged with a Mr. Camp we did not go to meeting—a very tedious snow storm about 12. My husband went for and brought Mrs. Harrison near 2. About 6 my daughter was delivered of a daughter, weighed 8 lbs & a half. Lord thou has granted help in a time of need, grant us all truly thankful hearts. Monday about noon my husband set off for home. Mr. Huntington got home on Sunday before his child was born. Tuesday friends came in. Satt: Mr. F. Wolcotts wife called in here. She got home from Norwich last night. Many friends called upon us this week.—a Minister Porter & Mr. Stone, a candidate, dined here.

May 15 Sun: Mr. Huntington from Mark 12 & 31. Tuesday Mr. Huntington & I visit at Mr. Chases—Minister at the south farms. to see Mrs. Landman of Norwich, mother of Mrs. Chase who is lately put to bed with a son—Charles. Her mother is there on that account. Fryday night Mr. Williams slept here. Satt: a Mr. Bacon, Mr. Williams & Mr. Williams & Mr. Gold, the two Miss Tracys drank tea here.

May 22. Sun: Mr Huntington from Jeremiah 13 & 23 & Matt: 11 & 23. Thursday sent a letter by the mail. Had one from home yesterday. Friday Mrs. Dr. Smith & Miss Ruth Sheldon visit here. Wednesday Mrs. Bowls visit here. Satt: I called at Mr. Cirbreys & Mr. F. Woolcuts. I called at Mr. O. W (oolcotts) one day last week, she very poorly Mrs. Mather of Winsor & sister Huntington, cousins of Mr. Huntington, came in afternoon stayed all night, Sunday morning left us.

1803 May 29 Sun: Mr. Hunt: from Zechariah 8 & 16 & Proverbs 12 & 22. Tuesday Morn: my daughter took with an ague fit, lasted about one hour pretty smart—got better by night—thanks be to the giver of all our mercies. Thursday we attended a conference meeting. Attended one last week Thursday night. Fryday Mrs. Oliver Woolcott came here, appears better—I called at Mr. Reeves—old Mr. Stone & his wife visit here—dined here. Satt: about 5 Mr. Phelps got here.

June 5. Sun: Mr Huntington from 1st Peter 1 & 12. This day our children gave up their little daughter in baptism—by the name of Elizabeth Porter—O may it be one of Christs family. Monday we all visit at Mr. Champions—called at a number of friends. Tuesday we set off about 8, took our horse at Woodbridges (Mr. Phelps left him there Satt. being very lame & hired another) came to Aunt Phelps, lodged—a Mrs. Mather sister of hers came from Hartford soon after we got in. Wednesday we got safe home about one. Lord may my heart be melted with gratitude so many blessings to so much unworthiness—in the afternoon Betsy Colt & Lucretia visit here & Mr. Kellogg the scholmaster. Fryday Sally & I rode to William Dickinsons, their child scalded.

June 12 Sun: Mr. Lyman from 1st John 5 & 7 & Matt 8 & 16. 17. Monday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Hop: my son set off for Boston this morning. Tuesday Mr. Phelps met the missionary at Esq. Billings in Conway. Sally & I attended the funeral Mr. William Dickinsons child. Drank tea there—O may it be for the real benefit of the friends. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of Mr. John Montague. Dr. Porter & Capt Moses Porter with their wives visit here. Thursday Aunt Phelps of Westfield & her brother Mather of Westfield with her sister Mather from Hartford came here forenoon. Fryday after dinner they left us. Mr. Phelps, Sally & I & Charles went over to Mr. Lymans, saw them there—then went

on to Northampton—a deal of company at Dr. Lymans—Dr. Hop: Mrs Spring &c, &c. Satt: Mr. Stone din'd here.

1803 June 19 Sun: Mr Hop: Thesselonians 5 & 17 & 1st Peter 1 & 6. Monday Sally & I visit Dr. Cutlers. Tuesday one Dr. Butler who lives at Mr. Hitchcocks came here. Wednesday morning I set off with him for Brimfield, in a chaise alone, got there before night. Thursday we all drank tea at Mrs. Wards & Mrs. Williams. Capt. Smiths two daughters came there while we were at tea. Fryday Mrs. Williams & I set out, got to Hadley before night.

June 26 Sun. Mr. Hop: Duetr. 32 & 6. Monday jest at night Sally & I rode into town. Wednesday the Miss Cutlers here & their brother Robert & two ladies, cousins of theirs from Greenwich. Thursday Dr. Hop: Mrs. Spring & many others here, Dr. Lyman & wife.

July 3 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Matt. 19 & 26 & Luke 23 & 43. Tuesday Concert of prayer, Mr. Hop: [blank]. Mrs. Spring & others visit Coll'l Porters. When we were there Mr. Huntington & my daughter with both the children and Mitte passed—I hailed 'em—soon home. Lord how great are thy mercies—give us all true love to God. May our heart be right with thee. Wednesday Polly Wilson came to live here. Thursday Mr. Hop drank tea here. Fryday Becca Dickinson & Capt. Billings wife, Dr. Lyman & Fanny visit here. Last Wednesday daughter Huntington & I rode into town at night—called at several places.

July 10 Mr. Hunt: John 4 & 35 & Matt 18 & 3, this day when we were at Meeting forenoon Mr. Williams Parsons & wife of Boston & a girl cousin of theirs came here. At 6 our two sons went up to the Mills. Mr. Hunt: had a lecture there, pr. from Luke 14 & 18. Monday all hands visit Mr. Hop: Betsy soon home—her son unwell,—jest at dark Mr. Hitchcock & his wife came & both the children. Tuesday the missionary committee met here—this morning Mr. Parsons of Amherst & wife—the Miss Cutlers & others here to tea. Wednesday Sister Warner and her daughters visit here. At night we went to Dr. Porters—attended a conference. This morning Mr. Parsons & his retinue left us. Thursday Mr. Hitchcock left us in the morning—after dinner Mr. Huntington & wife & their children—we went to Northampton with 'em. All the children & Grand children have been together, blessed be the Lord. We stop'd & drank tea at Joseph Lymans. Satt: Night Sally—had an ill turn, soon better, thanks be to God.

1803 July 17 Mr. Hop: Psalm 119 & 73. Wednesday My daughter & I visit at brothers. Thursday we visit at Mrs. Walkers.

July 24 Sun. Mr Hop: 1st Peter 1 & 25 & Matt 21 & 34. Tuesday Sally & I attended the funeral of President Dwights son John, he died at Lawyers Porters Monday night, ill about 24 hours—he has been there about 2 weeks, something unwell this years past. We drank tea at Mr. Gaylords. Dr. Colmans wife etc. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I at Lawyer Porters. Saw Dr. Dwight & his oldest son—he appears very steady. We made a visit Deacon Smith's, Fryday Mr. Woolsey of New York & wife, Lawyer Porter & wife came here tarried a while, drank tea at Mr. Hop: my son, & daughter, a ride to Northampton this forenoon.

July 31 Sun: Mr Hop. Jeremialh 12 & 1 & Psalm 90 & 5. Tuesday daughter & I visit Capt Dickinsons. Sister Warner & her daughter Dickinson, Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord & Mrs. Spring here—din'd, stayed till night—Capt. Hop: came to tea—one Fairbanks was drown'd this morn—Buried jest at Night. Thursday Lecture. Mr. Williams from Isaiah 53 & 3.

Aug. 7 Sun. Mr. Hop: Leviticus 9 & 6, and Mark 13 & 36.—at the table of the Lord but very far from the frame I could wish for—I desire to be at the foot of Mercy. Monday did arrends drank tea at Dr. Porters Satt:—toward night our son set off for Boston upon business.

Aug. 14 Mr. Hop: from Isaiah 52.13.14. In the eve Mr. Kellogg pr. Romans 14 & 12. Monday into town did arrends, took tea at brothers. Wednesday bout 3 Sally took unwell. My husband brought Mrs. Gaylord, Sister Warner. He got here with Mrs. Breck of Northampton about 9—had a son born in half an hour—thanks be to God. Mrs. Gaylord stayed all night. Then Sister Warner came back & tarried till Fryday morning, then Cotton Dickinsons wife came.

1803 Aug. 21 Sun: Mr. Kellogg from Hebrews 11 & 4 & Acts 8 & 23. Tuesday night my son came home.

Aug 28 Sun: Mr Hop. Psalm [blank] — Luke 9 & 62. Monday Mr. Phelps & I short visit at Mr. Hop: Mrs. Emons came. Satt: when we came home brought Mrs. Dickinson, she went home yesterday. Tuesday Mrs. Emons, Mrs. Spring Mrs. Gaylord Moses Porters wife visit here. Wednesday I visit Mr. Gaylord. —evening went to meeting—Mr. Welch of Mansfield pr. Acts 4 & 33. Satt I carried Mrs. Dickinson home.

Sep 4 Sun: Mr. Hop: John 1st Epistle 2 ch 4 ver & Acts 4 & 2. In the afternoon I tarried at home. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I visit at Mr. Gaylords—attended a conference in the eve.

Sep: 11 Sun: Mr Lyman from Isaiah 8 & 9. 10. Afternoon Mr. Jonathan Smith from Hebrews 12 & 14—half an hour after the meeting Mr. Lyman preached from 2nd Thess: 2'd & 13. This day our son & daughter gave up their son to God in Baptism—Lord accept & bless them & us all for the redeemers sake Amen. Thursday Sally had a sick day. Charles poorly with a dysentery a week past—Satt. both better.

Sep 18 Sun Mr Stores of Longmeadow from Proverbs 4 & 7 & Romans 8 & 7. In the eve Roman 13 & 11. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of Nathaniel Kelloggs child—heard Mr. Haskell (Harskel) from Hebrews 9 & 27. When we came home found Coll'l Porters wife here. Coll'l here to tea. Wednesday we a visit Lawyer Porters in the eve heard the above Mr. Smith [Jonathan] Luke 14 & 17. Thursday Mr. Gaylord & wife, Capt Hopkins & wife, Dr. Hop: Mrs. Emons, Eleanor Thompson visit here. Fryday Cotton Dickinson wife & daughter here. Jest before tea Mr. Eben Parsons wife, Eliza P., a young Mr. Saunders together with the coachman & waiting woman all came here from Boston. Satt: wak'd early very sick—by night better.

1803 Sept 25 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm [blank] & Jeremiah 15 & 7. Monday the Boston folk rode to Northampton. Tuesday Betsy Colt & her sister Selden called here. Wednesday they left us, all but Eliza Parsons. She and my daughter & I a visit at Mrs. Walkers with others. Thursday brother Warner & wife, Mr. Phelps & I visit brother Dickinsons Fryday gave up—took to my bed—been unwell all the week. Satt. Mr. Phelps & I set out for Brimfield got there after dark. Last Sunday night went to see Mrs. Emons at Mr. Gaylords, she is going home soon.

October 2 Sunday Mr Phelps & Mr. Hitchcock at meeting heard a Mr. Wright I lay upon the bed nearly the whole day. Monday we came home about three. Wednesday Miss Matilda Phelps of Westfield came here. Sister Warner & Polly came here in trouble, broke their chaise at Sunderland & left it there—my husband carried them home. Thursday we all visit at Capt Moses Porters, Mrs. Norton there & many others Fryday Matilda Phelps left us early afternoon, we had a large party here—Satt: Polly went to Leveret—soon home.

October 9 Sun: Mr Hop: John 19 & 35 & Luke 5 & 31.32. Of the Lords Mercy once more have I been at the communion. Sluggish & stupid—Lord help me or I perish. Monday the young folks all at Mr Hop: a visit—Tuesday my son set out for Boston. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I visit Dr Porters. Fryday I visit Mr. Shipmans. Fast Wednesday Polly Wilson left us and Pierces Marsh came.

Oct. 16 Sun: Mr Hop: Psalm 65 & 2 & Tiuis 2 & 6. Tuesday I at lecture—President Dwight from Jeremiah 28 & 16. Mr Phelps brought Eliza Parsons from Northampton—came directly to meeting—he carried Eliza to Gov Strongs last Satt: After Lecture the President drank tea at Mr. Gaylords and many others. Mr Phelps came in the Eve: Wednesday jest before night our son came home & with him Mr. Theophylus Parsons & wife & son Charles & daughter Judith in a coach & four. Fryday Charles & Eliza went in it to Hartford Satt. returned.

1803 Oct 23 Sun: Mr Hop: from John 3 & 20 & Job 9 & 2. Monday morning they all left us, set off for Boston Dr Hopkins drank tea here. Tuesday Sally & I rode into town of arrands. Wednesday Mr Phelps & I set out for Litchfield about 10. I stayed at Dr Shepherds at Northampton till 4 at night—then Mr. Phelps had done his business—we went to Westfield in a little more than two hours, had two horses—lodged at Aunt Phelps—she was gone to Hartford. Thursday after dark we got to Litchfield found them well, thanks is due to the Lord.

Oct 30 Sun Mr Huntington from Matt 20 & 13. 14. 15. Sunday eve company came in. Monday we all drank tea at Mr. Fords. Tuesday at Mr. Aaron Smiths. Wednesday Mr. F. Woodcott & wife & a Miss Chester took tea with us. Thursday

about 12 we set out for home—got to Woodbridges about sunset. Fryday came to Aunt Phelps & dined, got home just at dusk—great kindness from the Lord, O may we have the blessing of true gratitude.

Nov. 6 Sun: Mr. Hop: Galatians 2 & 16 & Jeremiah 36 & 7. Monday night Mr & Mrs Hitchcock came. Wednesday forenoon Mrs H: & I rode into towns of arrens—in the afternoon all of us visit at Dr. Parsons at Amherst 6, & 2 children. Thursday morning they left. Fryday Sally & I visit at Cap't. Smiths, Lawyer Porters wife & a Miss Edwards. Mr. Phelps tarried at home last Sunday.

Nov. 13 Sun: Mr. Hop: from Acts 10 & 43. Monday Dr. Hop: visit here. Wednesday one Hannah Bucknum here to taylour. Mr Phelps & I visit Dr Lymans. Thursday a violent rainy day. Jest at night Capt Hitchcock came to get Mr Phelps to go to Brimfield. Ward & Hitchcock are very much embarrassed in their trade. Fryday they set off & Erestus Smith, Hannah left us this morning. Last Tuesday I went up to the mills above here with a subscription for the missionary association. Last Wednesday my son set off for Boston & took Patty. Satt: made candles 45 weight.

1803 Nov. 20 Sun. Mr. Coffin pr. from Malliche 3 & 14 & Isaiah 62 & 1. Jest at dusk Mr. Phelps came home. Went to meeting at Belchertown all day—Erastus came with him. In the eve went and heard another sermon by Mr Coffin from Amos 6 & 1—very good sermons. Monday Meriam Wire of Northampton came back. She was sent for home last Fryday night, her father found dead that morning. She came here to live two weeks ago today. Tuesday Sally & I visit brothers, Mr. Phelps came to tea. Thursday killed one hog. I rode into town did arrands, jest at night. Fryday brother Phelps's oldest son John came here. Satt: morning he left us. This day fifty five years old—yes Lord I am a monument of mercy—great has been they providential kindness—but the blessings of thy grace are the choicest blessings—O may the spirit of all grace continually preside over & direct all my thots & words & actions for the redeemers sake Amen.

Nov 27 Sun: Mr Hop: Isaiah 55 & 6. Monday preparing for Thanksgiving. Tuesday about 4 o'clock Mr. Huntington & wife got here with both the children all safe—Many instances of kindness we received from the Lord—May our gratitude rise in proportion. Wednesday eve he preach'd. I did not go, Mr. Phelps went. Thursday Thanksgiving Mr Hop pr. [*blank*] In the evening we all at Mrs Walkers her daughter Betsy married to Mr. Foot. Fryday Betsy rode into town with her father.

Dec 4 Mr Huntington from Matt 12 & 7. & 1st Peter 1 & 12 Communion day—Lord give thy blessing on us all for the redeemers sake Amen. in the eve—we went again he preached Exodus 14 & 12. Monday we had a large collection of friends, Dr Hop & Capt's wife, brother Warner & wife, Mr. Gaylord & wife, William Dickinson & wife. Wednesday early our children left us and Mitte too—may the blessings of the most high rest upon them. Reuben went with 'em—waggon. Satt: night he came back.

1803 Dec 11 Sun Mr Hop: Proverbs 1 & 24 & 1st Thesse: 4 & 1. Monday my husband & I visit at brothers, their children there. Tuesday visit Coll'l Porters—got Mrs. Smith to cut my new riding hood as I went down. Wednesday my husband set off for New York & Capt. Moses Porter. Thursday Dr. Butler came from Brimfield for my husband to go there—my son set off, Fryday morning, as his father is not at home—Satt: night came back.

Dec 18 Sun: Mr Hop: from Matt 16 & 24 & Hebrews 1 & 9. Monday my son set out for Boston—Dr Porter with him to fetch back horse & chaise.

Dec 25 Mr. Hop: James 5 & 3 & Ezekiel 37 & 1. 2—a very good sermon. Monday Dr Porter returned—horse & chaise. Wednesday night at meeting. Mr. Crosby from Psalm 49 & 8—went to Deacon Seths, heard about the attention to religion, the spirit of God seems to be striving in the hearts of numbers in this town—O that it might spread far & wide & many sons & daughters be born to the Lord. Satt night 10 o'clock my husband got back from New York.

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Alice E. dau. of Wm. & Polly Brink d. 2 Mar. 1865 aged 16 yrs 27 das
 Henry Richardson d. 13 Mar. 1852 aged 51 yrs 8 mos
 Martha J. wife of Ambrose P. Denison d. 5 Aug. 1853 aged 30 yrs
 Inf son of Ambrose P. & Martha Jane Denison d. 22 Dec. 1852 aged 3 mos 14 das
 Inf dau. of Ambrose P. & Martha Jane Denison d. 28 June 1851 aged 5 mos 6 das
 Julius Augustus Denison son of above d. 13 Mar. 1840 aged 10 mos 3 das
 Leonard E. Howard b. 6 Mar 1866 — d. 8 Jan. 1898
 Sarah A. Davis his wife b. 2 Nov. 1860
 Selma E. Howard wife of Chas. L. Graves b. 6 Nov. 1855 — d. 11 Oct. 1889
 Hepzibath Slason wife of Calvin Slason d. 17 Oct. 1868 aged 72 yrs 25 das
 Caroline E. Hurlburt d. 11 Jan. 1862 aged 32 yrs 3 mos
 Mary Howard d. 20 April 1864 aged 71 yrs 5 mos

[The last three entries are taken from the 1920 survey cards in the Town Clerk's office.]

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1804 Jan: 1 Sun: Mr. Austin from 1st Epis. John 5 & 10. in the eve—from Luke 15 & 32. we stop'd a while at Mr Hop: to see Mr. Austin & his wife. Tuesday concert of prayer—Mr. Austin from Hebrews 12 & 2. went in at Mr Hop:, a great many people there. Wednesday eve: Mr Austin preached again but the weather was blustering & cold & none of us went. Thursday Moses Porter & wife drank tea, here spent the evening. Fryday Lawyer Porter—court here, his wife came with him,—jest at night Mr. Gaylord & wife, brother Warner & wife, came, all a visit here.

Jan 8 Mr. Hop: Job 7 & 1 & Acts 17 & 30. Tuesday visit Maj. Porters. Wed. night we at Lecture—Mr. Dickinson of Hollis preach'd Acts 24 & 25. this night Coll'l Porter got home—went to Georgia last Oct: Thursday Dr. Porters wife & her sister Dolly good visit here, Dr. took tea & spent the eve.

1804 Jan 15 Sun: Mr Dickinson of Ashfield, a young preacher, from Romans 12 & 22 & John 3 & 5.—in the eve Hebrews 2 & 3. Monday killed hogs 2,—Wednesday tryed the sewet. Thursday cut sausage meat. Went to William Dickinson, tarried a while, he & his wife appear to be greatly altered.—Lord make 'em wholly thine. Fryday filled sausages. Satt: at 6 in the morning Mr. Phelps & I set out for Litchfield. Got there by 7 in the eve. Our children got home from Lebanon a few hours before we got there, they took both children. Charles burnt his hand at Hartford last Monday as they were going.

Jan 22 Sun: Mr. Huntington from James 4 & 7. a funeral attended at noon. Afternoon from [blank]. Monday Charles drooping. Tuesday better. Wednesday very sick indeed. Thursday better. Fryday morning we set out for home half past 6 got safe home by 6—A very nice time. The Lord made our way prosperous, blessed be the name of the Lord. Satt: terrible snow storm.

Jan 29 Sun: Mr Hop: 2nd Timothy 1 & 7 & Proverbs 28 & 26. Monday Coll'l Porter & wife, Capt Hop: & wife & Patty Emons visit here. Tuesday Fanny Dickinson here to taylor. Thursday we carried her home. Went to Lecture—Mr. Williams of Northampton from Genesis 5 & 24, Sally & I visit Dr. Porters. I took Charles to Meeting—his father came from Boston & came directly to the meeting house. Satt. Mr. Hitchcock came.

Feb. 5 Sun: Mr. Hop: 1st Timothy 2 & 6 & Job 34 & 32. This day commemorated a saviours love. O may our minds have just conceptions of the value & our

need of its application to our needy souls. Lord make my behaviour & heart right with thee, O that I might walk with God continually. Monday Mr Lyman, wife & son visit here. just as they came in, my son's youngest child Edward had a violent convulsion fit—none knows what was the cause but God restored him. May we give God all the praise. Tuesday Mr. Ward & wife, Capt Smiths wife, Mrs. Gaylord & Sally Williams, she has jst come from Vermont, Erastus Smith all took tea here. Wednesday Mrs. Hitchcock left us, she brought her child Martha; Last Tuesday Mrs. H. & I rode into town, made a number of calls. Fryday Mr. Phelps & I visit Mr. Tappans—a number of friends came spent the eve with us. Satt: forenoon rode into town called at several places.

Feb. 12 Sun: Mr. Williams, Northampton, from Psalm 119 & 9 & John 5 & 42. Monday my husband carried our son to Brookfield—he went on to Boston, my husband came back the same day by 7,—66 miles. Tuesday Mrs. Shipman here forenoon—in the afternoon Mr. Phelps & I visit Capt. Lanes. Northampton, Mr. Gaylord, brother Warner & wives—we took Dr. Hop: & Sally. Wednesday night Mr. Gold of Southampton preached Isaiah 55 & 6. 7. Thursday wak'd with sick headache—got so well as to put on my cloathes near three in the afternoon—Soon Dr. Shepherd & wife came made a visit here.

Feb. 19 Lords day Mr Hop: John 1 & 45 & John 4 & 10. Monday jst at night a Mr. Pitkin & wife came here—he is son to Eplepras Pitkin Tuesday morning they left us. Mr. Phelps & I, Sally & the children visit Dr. Lyman at Hatfield. Dr. Shepherd & wife, Parson Wells & wife met us there. Wednesday night heard a Mr. Holt from Hardwich from Luke 14 & 18. We went & drank tea at Mr. Gaylords before meeting. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I, Dr Porter & wife visit at Capt Stoddards, Northampton,—his son John & his wife & Miss Easter came home from Conway from her father Esq Billings soon after we got there. Fryday a great snow.

1804 Feb 26 Lords day Mr. Hop: from Hebrews 11 & 1. Mr. Phelps & I went, took Reuben to drive, very bad going,—when we came home after meeting at night found the roads blown up & the snow deep eno'—but the horses wallowed home after a while. Tuesday my husband & I, Sally & both her children to William Dickinsons—came home about 9 in a terrible snow storm—thanks to the all wise dispenser of all events, we got safe thro', tho' with difficulty. Wednesday Mr. Phelps attended a conference at Deerfield—Sally into town of arrands.

March 4 Lords day Mr. Hop: from Hebrews 12 & 25, & from Ephesians 5 & 14. another terrible time to get to meeting—our Negro man took two horses on before—we got there with much plunging before sermon was done—dined at Mr. Hop: when we came home found the path much better—a number of men & teams at work to make the road passable. Wednesday we all visit at Mr. Hop: when we came home in the evening the horse stepped a little aside into the snow, plunged in, fell on the tongue of the sleigh & broke it. We went into Mr Grovers—it happened against there—Mr. Phelps tied it together—we came home safe—thanks be to God. Last Monday just at night came here Mr. Lyman of South ampton & wife & two boys, cousins of my husband—Tuesday morn left us.

Mar 11 Lords day Mr Hop: preach'd 2nd Timothy 3 & 2 & James 4 & 8. This day Woodward had three children baptized. Tuesday we all visit Coll'l Porter. Wednesday Major Porter & wife, two daughters, Sukey & Sally visit here. Thursday Mrs. Walker here forenoon, went back when I went to make a visit on Mrs. Shipmans—Nathaniel Keitogg & wife there, a number of girls there. Deacon Hubbard of Sunderland came, talk'd to them upon serious subjects. Fryday we all made a visit at Mr. Gaylords—when we got home about 9, Edward after his clothes were taken off, he went into a convulsion fit, after a while came out, lay more easy but soon went into another. but of the Lords goodness he grew better before the Doctor got here half past 10.

1804 March 18 Lord's day Mr Hop. from Acts 26 & 18 & Proverbs 19 & 20. Tuesday Royal Phelps who lives at Dr. Lymans came here to have me go there & see Esq. Billings wife of Conway. they were at Dr Lymans—I went. Mr. Phelps met the Missionary at Hatfield in the forenoon. We came home in the evening—fine walking on the snow. Wednesday night at meeting. We went last Sunday night. Fanny Lyman came here this morning—Sally & she rode into town, back to dinner. Fanny went home when were gone to meeting.

March 25 Lords day Mr Hop: from Romans 10 & 10 & Psalm 119 & 160. Tuesday went to brothers in the forenoon. Reuben drove me down—he cut his ankle

yesterday and cant work,—at night Mr. Phelps came for me—very poor sleighing.

April 4 Lords day Mr. Hop: Hebrews 12 & 2 & Ephesians 6 & 24. At the table of the Lord this day—but not half so lively as I should be, & as I long to be—but if there is one sincere desire in my heart towards spiritual objects, tis a great blessing, of which I am entirely unworthy, & is wholly from the sovereign pleasure of God, & what can I, what dare I say but this—Let the Lord do with his poor unworthy creature as seemeth good in his sight. Glory & honor & praise be forever given to father, son & spirit Amen. When we got to meeting this day, heard that a son of Daniel Dickinson died about three this morning of a fit of the apoplexy, past twenty one. Old Mrs. Hodge was buried this morning about 8—as the snow (which is deep) will bear in the morning. Tuesday Reuben carried me to the concert of prayer, Mr. Hop: from Psalm 18 & 30—rather a funeral discourse as the corpse of Daniel Dickinson was brought to the meeting house. O that this sudden death might be the means of saving good to many—in the evening we attended the singing meeting at Solomon Cooks—very full. Mr. Phelps tarried at home—this day had a court here. Thursday Fast-day Mr Hop: from Isaiah 58 & 3. Fryday morning our son got home before breakfast—he is come to his earthly parents, O that his heart were brought to Christ in true real submission. Lord I think I can gladly leave all with thee. This day a visit to the widow Rhoda Montague. Fast day morn I tarried at the meeting house, Mrs. Gaylord & others—Muddy going.

April 8 Lord's day—Mr. Lyman Isaiah 45 & 9 & John 17 & 3. at noon I went to Capt Moses Porters, Mr Phelps to Mr Hop. Soon Mr. Phelps called at the door. Elisha Smith who lives at our house had come down to tell us Edward had a fit—we sent him on to brothers for our son. When we got home found the babe asleep. My son tarried, we went to meeting again, the fit not so severe as the others. Monday at night Sally Williams came here to tarry. Wednesday morn about half past 6 the babe had another fit. O blessed Jesus take it for thine own whether in life or death. Mr Hop: a short visit here. Thursday our son & daughter rode with the child. Thursday Mr. Phelps up at Paul Wrights to settle some trouble between him & his wife. Fryday night Mr. Gaylord came for Sally. Satt: made mince pies. Mr. Phelps at Northampton.

1804 April 15 Lords day Mr Hop: Romans 12 & 2 & Ecclesiastes 9 & 3. My son & daughter tarried at home—with the babe, after meeting at night I tarried at Mr Hop: Mr. Phelps came down to this evening meeting, I came home with him. Wednesday Dr. Walls of Montague came here to see the babe. Thursday he had two fits. Fryday Mr. Phelps went to Brimfield. Satt. Home,—this day Edward had another fit. Made. soap this week. Edward had a fit last Wednesday morning.

April 22 Lords day forenoon very rainy—all at home. Afternoon Mr. Phelps & I at meeting. Mr. Hop: Psalm 25 & 11. Tuesday the babe had three fits. Very high water now. Wednesday Mr Phelps & I into town of arrands, got a medicine for the babe. Drank tea at Mr. Gaylords, went to the evening meeting heard a sermon ("if they hear not Moses and the prophets neither will they be persuaded tho one rose from the dead") Thursday began to give the babe the medicine garlic steeped in brandy—Dr Porters wife visit here, the Dr to tea. Fryday night I attended the praying meeting at Capt Moses Porters.

April 29 Lords day—I tarried at home with the child. Dr. Parsons from Ephesians 5 & 14 & Jeremiah 8 & 20. 21. 22. In the eve I went again with my husband, he spoke again Isaiah 57 & 21. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord visit here. Wednesday night I at meeting Mr. Phelps came too, from an ordination at Amherst. Thursday sister Warner spent the day here—Mr. Hop: drank tea here, returning from preaching a lecture at the Mills, brother here to tea. Satt: Polly Seymour here to make a gown for my daughter. I spent the afternoon doing arrands came home, then carried Polly home—stop'd to see Lawyer Porters wife—she has been gone to New Haven three months, sick there, jest got home. At Leut. Smiths & Deacon Seths.

1804 May 6 Mr Hop: Luke 13 & 9 & 12 & 21. My son & daughter tarried at home, somewhat rainy. Monday they visit at Lawyer Porters. Tuesday I visit at Dr. Porters—she seems to enjoy great light & comfort now—her gloom began a little gradually to decrease last fall. Widow Cook & her sons widow, widow Newton, widow Montague—how good a time the Lord afforded us. Capt Norton & wife came jest at dusk. Wednesday at Lecture Mr. Williams of Northampton

preached Proverbs 4 & 7. Drank tea at Coll'l Porters. Thursday daughter & I visit at Jonathan Warners, two mothers & William Dickinsons wife there. Polly Walnut came home with us—this morning my son set out for Boston. Satt: I carried Polly home, did more arrends. Edward had two fits Fryday & two Satt: My son went for Boston last Thursday.

May 13 Lords day Mr Hop: Luke 23 & 43 & from 21 & 3. I tarried at home with the babe—had one fit—Monday had four.—Dr Wells here cut his gums. Tuesday had three fits. Wednesday came very near, had a turn of choking & strangling—very little convulsed. Fryday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Satt: Plumbly here to Whitewash. Major Porter & wife, Capt Norton & wife visit here.

May 20 Lords day Mr. Hop: from Proverbs 22 & 4 & Psalms 72 & 12. Monday Mr. Plumbly here to white wash the rooms. Tuesday finished. Wednesday began to paint the floors & walls of our siting room. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I rode into town jest at night. I called at Dr. Porters to see her mother Mrs. Williams, & at Capt Smiths to see Mrs. Ward. Fryday night down at Lecture. Mr. Sargeant, a young candidate, from Joel 2 & 12. 13. Satt: made candles about 12 Doz. Royal Phelps & his sister Jerusha came here. Royal left us before night.

May 27 Lords Day Royal Phelps from 1 Timothy 1 & 15 & Galatians 5 & 22. 23. Royal Phelps & Jerusha both lodged here. Monday they went on to Wendel. Monday night my husband and I up to praying at the Mills—he prayed & read. A number appear to be awakened & some are hopefully converted—blessed, forever blessed be the power & grace that works against all opposition. O God display the trophies of redeeming love more & more. Wednesday my son came back from Boston. Thursday Mr. Hop; pr. a lecture from Ephesians [blank]. Col. Porters babe Eliza buried this day and Mrs. Porters brother David Hubbard. The funerals attended at the meeting house. In the evening we at the Mills again. Mr. Phelps carried on. Fryday my son and daughter at Dr. Cutlers, got Edwards gum cut. There appears to be an attention to religion at the little village above here, called the Mills, the praise and glory shall be given to father, son & spirit Amen.

1804 June 3 Lords Day Mr Hop from [blank]. At Communion all of us. Lord make us what we should be for Jesus sacc. Monday our son and daughter set out for Litchfield. Left Charles here. Wednesday Capt. Hopkins & wife called here. Fryday Capt. Moses Porters wife & Mrs. Williams of Dalton visit here. Satt: about 4 our children got home all cleverly thro the goodness of God.

June 10 Lords day Mr Hop from [blank] & from Romans 10 & 10. Tuesday Mrs Newton visit here. Jest at night I carried her home. Went to Dr. Porters—Capt. Dickinson's wife, Deacon Seths wife, & Mrs. Shipman there. Mrs. Porters father & mother there. In the evening Mr. Holt of Hardwick preached Matt. 13 & 43. Wednesday Meriams sisters here. Thursday Mr. Williams & wife, Dr. Porter & wife Coll'l Porters wife & daughter Peggy visit here. Jest at night Mr. Williams & wife, Dr. & wife, Mr Phelps & I went up to the Mills to a praying meeting. There was a minister there, Mr. Herick. Mr. Williams and wife lodged here. Fryday morning left us. Mr. Herrick and wife called in forenoon. Just at dark Mrs. Williams of Brimfield, Mr. Hitchcock & wife came here. Satt: morn Mr. H. left us. Mrs. Williams, Mrs. H. made visit at Hatfield. Mr. Ward is removed and lives there. Mrs. H. came here at night.

1804 June 17 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Psalm 23 & 3 & Romans 14 & 10. I tarried at home this afternoon, something of a headache. Tuesday Mrs. Hitchcock left us in the morning. Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Hop. & Sally Williams visit here. Mr. Phelps went with Mr. Hop. to Williamsburg to Mr. Lords ordination. Wednesday home. Mrs. Parsons of Amherst here, drank tea this day. Edward hurt inside of his throat, better at night. Thursday Mr. Phelps set out early for Brimfield. Fryday a Mr. Wire & his wife here—been on a journey to Philadelphia—she a cousin of Sally's—lives at Newburyport.

June 24 Lords day Mr. Williams of Northampton from 2nd Corr 2 & 15 & 1st Timothy 4 & 8. Mr. Wire & wife at meeting all day—they stop'd & took tea at Mr. Hop: Mr Phelps & I at the Mills in the evening—Wonderful, wonderful it seems the Lord is doing a great work among that people blessed be his name. Monday morning Mr. Wire & wife left us. Sister Warner came in the chaise, they went in to take the stage, stayed here all day. Tuesday about 2 Mr. Phelps & I set out for Litchfield, stayed at Northampton. I called at the widow of Mr. Pom-

roy—he died last fall. We got to Aunt Phelps by sunset. Wednesday came on early, got to Litchfield by 5, thanks be to God. Found all cleverly. Mr. H. gone, came home about 9. Thursday Mr. Phelps set out very early for home. Fryday we attended the lecture Mr. H from Amos 7 & 5.

July 1 Lords day Mr. H. from Hebrews 12 & 22. 23. 24. All of us at the Lords table, I hope and trust we resigned our selves & our all to God. O accept the surrender, use us for thy glory. fit us for thy will for Jesus sake Amen. Monday we all visit at Mr. Bowls—a Mrs. Peck there. Wednesday Mr. Huntington went to a Ministers Meeting at Washington, home at night. Mr. Samuel Sheldon & wife & daughter visit here. Fryday we a visit at Judge Reeves, Mrs. F. Woolcott there—we called on friends & a number called on us this week.

1804 July 8 Lords-day Mr. Whettlesey (a Young candidate) from Proverbs 3 & 17 & Psalm 76 & 10. Wednesday we drank tea at Mr. F. Woolcotts. Fryday we all drank tea, made a visit at the above Mr. Sheldons.

July 15 Lords-day Mr. Huntington Isaiah 53 & 1. The forenoon very rainy, daughter & I both at home, in the afternoon she at meeting. I stayed with the children. About 5 daughter not very well—between 7 & 8 Mr. Huntington got here with Mrs. Ransome—quite poorly by 10—had a son born about one Monday morning. Monday Mr. H carried home Mrs. Ransome—fetch'd a nurse Lydia Hodgekiss—thanks be to the God of providence. May we all be grateful & feel our dependance & love to feel so. Lord give us jest such hearts as will be best for us. Satt: friends here jest to call frequently this week past.

July 22 Lords day Mr. Hunt pr. 1st Corr. 3 & 9 & Matt 3 & 12. Monday Mr. Huntington & I made a great many short visits. Took tea at Mr. Aliens. Tuesday evening Mr. H. & I visit Mr. F. Woolcotts. Wednesday jest at sunrise Mr. H. & I set out for Hadley (left daughter comfortably) before 9 we got safe to my home after an absence of four weeks—What shall I render to the Lord—Thursday about 3 Mr. H set out for home—took with him Mrs. Hitchcock—she has been here about 1 weeks. Fryday Sally & I visit at brothers—when we came home brought Cotton Dickinsons daughter Malanda to help Sally. Meriam Wire gone.

July 29 Lords day Mr. Hop. Mark 26 & 16. in the evening Mr. Phelps & I at the Mills. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I into town, called at Lawyer Porters to see Mrs. Hunt, she was Eunice Edwards—we all went to Dr. Porters Mr. Azariah Dickinson & 2 Brimfield ladies called here Tuesday before we went into town. Wednesday I drank tea at Mrs. John Hodges and her mother Mrs. Dickinson,—in the evening went to meeting, Mr. Lyman from 2nd Corr 4 & 3. 4. Fryday Mr. Lyman & wife visit here. Satt. Lawyer Porters wife, her Aunt Hunt with her son Deveroux & wife called here.

1804 August 5 Lords day—President Dwight from 1st Corr 4 & 15. Allowed one more opportunity of sitting with the saints at the Lords table & O how unworthy, how vile—oh it was for vile sinners that the redeemer suffered—May I come upon the gospel invitation believing Lord if thou wilt thou canst make me clean—Glorify thy grace by saving the greatest of sinners even me. Afternoon I tarried at home with Edward. In the evening we went into town to praying meeting Monday Lawyer Porter & wife, her Aunt Hunt. President Dwight, Dr. Hopkins & Mrs. Gaylord & old Mrs. Dwight all visit here. Wednesday I visit Mr. Gaylords, Sister Warner there. Mr. Parsons preached in the evening Jeremiah 31 & 18. 19, 20 verses. Thursday Mr. Cotton Dickinsons wife & Jonathan Warners wife came here in the forenoon on foot. Fryday the two Miss Cutlers here forenoon. Afternoon Sister Warner & William Dickinson's wife Capt. Dickinson's wife and daughter Hannah visit here all left us at night. This morning my husband set out for Litchfield for Mrs. Hitchcock. Satt: Mr. Williams of Leverett called in here, took tea.

August 12 Lords day Mr. Williams, Leverett, from Luke 13 & 3 & Hebrews 3-7.8 Towards night he preached again from Luke 19 & 41. 42. Monday Mr. Williams called again. Our Edward a very sick day—better at night. Sent for Dr. Porter twice & he came twice. Wednesday about three Mr. Phelps got home. Carried Mrs. Hitchcock directly home—came from Brimfield Wednesday. Thursday morning Mr. Phelps set off for New Salem to lay roads. Sally & I rode to Northampton to get shades & lace, got home about 3. Satt. night Mr. Phelps came home—Thursday morning Patty Lane of Northampton & Lucy Warner & Polly Warner here a little while—she is staying at brothers.

1804 Aug 19 Lords-day I tarried at home with Edward—Mr. Lyman from Psalm 119 11 ver. & 1st Corr. 1 & 31. Monday Mr. Azariah Dickinsons wife & daughter Assenah visit here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps at Hatfield on some Missionary matter. Jest at sunset heard sister Warner was ill, as soon as my husband got home we went, got there about dusk, found her sinking into a stupid sleep. We were back and forth all the time. She died Thursday a few moments before 12. Fryday morning sister Dickinson came here, stayed till we went to the funeral (she came to brother Warners Wednesday) Mr. Parsons of Amherst pr. 1st Corr. 15. 26. O Lord grant the death of this dear sister, may it work for our good—may it lead us all to the fountain as the streams are cut off. When we came home called at Capt Chiliab Smiths—he appears to be almost gone.

Aug. 26 Lords day Mr. Ward of Brookfield from Ephesians 3 & 8 & Ecclesiastes 9 & 5. the funeral of Capt. Smith attended at the meeting house. Tuesday Sally & I rode into town did arrands. Wednesday my son came from Boston. Thursday Mr. Ward & wife a forenoon visit here. William Dickinson brought his wife here for a day visit—he drank tea here. Fryday I at brothers with the above Mrs. Dickinson to divide sisters clothes. Satt: Sally Williams, Betsy Gaylord visit here.

Sept. 2. Lordsday Mr. Hop: Romans 9 & 23 & Romans 3 & 23. Monday early our son with his family left us to go live in Boston—May the divine blessing ever attend them. My husband went with them. Wednesday Mrs. Shipman visit here. Jest at night Sally Williams came here to stay. Thursday John Hibbards wife visit here, Fryday Major Porters wife and daughter Sally—Mrs. Hop. & she that was Penelope Gaylord all visit here Sally went home with 'em (Penelope was married the third of last June to Erastus Nash) Satt: about 5 my husband got home in safety—left all the children comfortable—will the God of all Grace & Mercy dwell with them by the holy spirit in their hearts. Barzella a boy of about 11 came with Reuben, he went with a waggon.

1804 Sept. 9 Lords-day Mr. Hop. 1st Corr. 10 & 33. Thursday I at Mr. Gaylords to quilt on a bed quilt for Sally Williams. Mrs. Riddle came there—she & a Miss Isabella Thompson came to Mr. Hopkins last Tuesday—she is not well. We had a number of ladies at quilting. Jest at dark Mr. Worcester of Peacham & Mrs. Austin of Worcester come from Vermont. Fryday Mr. Worcester preached at the Mills from 1st Timothy 1 & 15. Dr. Hop. Mr. Wor. Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. Austin, Isabella T. all came back to tea here. In the evening we went to the meeting house. Mr. W. from Acts 26 & 27. Satt. I rode into town of arrands.

Sept. 16 Lords-day Mr. Worcester pr. again. John 6 & 66. afternoon 67. 68 Five exceeding good discourses I have heard from this preacher of Jesus. Lord wilt thou be pleased to grant a blessing, may it take root in my heart & bear fruit in my life & conversation to the glory & praise of God & the edification & benefit of my fellow mortals. Wednesday a visit Col'l Porters. Attended the funeral of John Cooks child. Fryday visit William Dickinsons. The funeral of Mr. Grangers child & Mr. Elihu Warners attended at the meeting house last Sabbath. Mr. Worcester preached in the eve.

Sept. 23 Lords day Mr. Eastman pr. Psalm 2 & 1.2 & 3. In the evening Mr. Phelps & I attended meeting at the Mills. Monday Mr. Phelps attended the Missionary business at Hatfield. Tuesday at Northampton—toward night he went on for Litchfield. Thursday night jest before 9 he got home. with Mr. Huntington & his family all in safety—come thro' in a day. Mr. H. & wife & three babies & Mitte. Fryday forenoon Mr. Hopkins & Mrs. Riddle here. Fryday night Mr. Hun. preached Phillipines 3. 7.

Sept. 30 Lords day Mr. Huntington from Micah 6 & 8—afternoon Acts 2 & 37. When we got home found two Suffield women here, one a Phelps—they soon went on. In the evening he preached again Psalm 50 & 21. Monday Dr. Porter & wife, Lawyer Porter & wife visit here. They returned in the eve. We went to the Mills—Mr. Huntington Matt 7 & 20. Tuesday preach'd the Concert of prayer from Habbakuk 3 & 2. A Mr. Sheldon of Suffield & his wife came here so I did not go—but we prayed when the others were gone. Wednesday morn Mr H. left us for home. Thursday Mrs Cutler & Susan visit. The Miss Cutlers called here a few moments last Satt.

1804 Oct. 7 Lords-day Mr. Hop [blank]. afternoon Hebrews 10 & 25. Monday Mr. Phelps set off for New Salem to lay roads. Tuesday a tremendous storm of wind & rain. A great deal of snow where Mr. Phelps was Wednesday night Mr.

Phelps came home. Thursday we all a visit at the Widow Smiths (Capt) Mr. Lyman preached a Lecture from Isaiah 59. 20 & 21 verses. Mr. Phelps & I at meeting when we came home found Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock here with both their children & their girl Lucy. Satt: Mrs. H. visit at Hatfield—Mr. Wards & Mr. Lymans. Mr. Hitchcock & I rode into town—I called on Mrs. Dwight at Lawyer Porters, they gone—we all here at night.

Oct. 14 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Hebrews 13 & 10 & Ezra 9 & 6—At the table of the Lord with my two daughters. Oh that Christ might be form'd in each of our souls—May we all be thine for the redeemers sake Amen. Monday morning Mr. & Mrs. Hitchcock with their family left us. Jest before noon Mr. Deodat Woodbridge & wife from East Hartford came here, both unwell. In the afternoon Col'l Porter & wife & her sister Betsy, William Dickinsons wife, Jonathan Warners wife etc visit here. Tuesday morning Mr. Woodbridge & wife left us. Afternoon we all a visit at Mr. Hop. Wednesday Fanny Lyman here. Prince a negro who lives in a house near here had a child buried this day, we attended the prayer. Mr. Hop. drank tea here, then we attended the night meeting, a Mr. Roson, a candidate, preached 2 Cor 6 & 2. Fryday at 11 we attended a meeting at the Mills—the same Mr. Roson from Job 20 & 7. Polly Cooly & her sister Hannah here, Deacon Seth & wife. Mr. Phelps & I at Sunderland Mr. R. preached. Satt Mrs. Shipman here.

Oct. 21 Lords-day Mr. John Smith from Isalah 55 & 1 & Revelations 22 & 12. (I brought up Mrs. Shipman and Peggy last Satt for I had been seeing Mrs. West upon business. Polly & Hannah left us at night. I carried Mrs. Shipman home.) Monday night Mr. Huntington came. Tuesday Mr. Phelps & I attended the funeral of the widow Easter Lyman at the meeting house. Came directly home. Wednesday afternoon Mr. Phelps & Mr. Huntington at Dr. Lymans. Daughter & I into town on arrands. At night Mr. Phelps & I attended the meeting Mr. Hop. from Luke 10, 41. Thursday all visit at Mr. William Dickinsons left Elizabeth at home. Satt. Mr. Huntington went to Norwich to preach. Last Wednesday Betsy & I rode into town of arrands. Fryday Young Mrs. Newton here to taylor in the eve. Mr. Phelps & I at meeting Mr. Huntington from Matt. 16 & 26.

1804 Oct 28 Lords-day Mr. Hop Acts 7 & 51 & Psalm 31 & 15. Afternoon I tarried at home with Betsy's children. Monday Mr. Hop., Capt Hop's wife, her sister Isabella, Mrs. Gaylord, Miss Sally, Deacon Seth & wife visit here. Two Mrs. Butlers from Northampton here—left us before tea. Tuesday morning Mr. Phelps, our children & grandchildren set off for Litchfield, left Mitte, took Polly Warner & Barzilla Kingman with them. Wednesday jest at night Sally Williams came here. Thursday night Mr. Phelps came home about 9—left 'em that morning all cleverly—thanks to the Lord of all. Last Tuesday eve Dr Porter & wife made me a visit.

Nov. 4 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Matt: 23 & 12 Isaiah 12. 2. Tuesday Mr. Phelps at Amherst after wool which he carried yesterday to the carding mill—afternoon at Hatfield to meet the Missionary Committee. Jest at night Mitte & I rode into town of arrands. Wednesday Esquire Billings of Conway & wife here, dined,—Dr. Porters wife in the afternoon—all left us soon after tea. Thursday morning about 7 Mr. Phelps & I set out for Boston. Dined at Capt Hitchcocks at Brookfield. Got to Leicester, lodged at Hoberts—got to Boston Fryday night—found our children all well—rode in the snow storm all day.

Nov. 11 Lords-day My husband & son at meeting—very bad walking—I at home Sally unwell, Ague in her face. Monday daughter Sally & I went a shopping. Afternoon she & the children rode. Mr. T. Parsons called. Tuesday out again twice, called on all the Mr. Parsons. Mr. William very sick. Wednesday set out for home about 9. Got to Worcester, lodged at Genisons. Thursday rained. After 12 set out, came to Brookfield lodged at Capt. Hitchcock. Fryday he & his wife went with us to Brimfield. Mrs. Williams came there. Satt. we came home. Found all safe and well thanks be to the God of all grace & mercy.

1804 Nov. 18 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Hosea 10 & 12 & 2nd Samuel 22 & 3. Monday eve I at praying meeting at Dr. Porters. My husband did business, got to Dr. Porters after 10. I took leave of Mrs. Hills of Hartford, she going to live a long way to the Westward. Tuesday Mrs. Gaylord a good visit here. Wednesday Mr. Williams, Northampton, from John 7 & 28. Sermon time when we got there. Made a visit at Capt. Moses Porters—Col'l Porters wife there & Mrs. Walker. Satt:

made mince pies. Orange Warners wife buried, we did not go.

Nov. 25 Lords day Mr. Hop Ephesians 3 & 8 & Romans 8 & 10. In the evening Mr. Phelps & I at meeting—heard a discourse read upon truth of the resurrection of Christ. Monday 57 fifty seven years old. Thus I am preserved by the good providence of God, may my desire be to live to his glory & for the benefit of others for Jesus sake Amen. Thursday Thanksgiving day. Mr. Hop. 1st Corr. 4 & 7. last evening we went to praying meeting. Mr. Phelps read a book called the Refuge—particularly on Lawyer Porters account—he in great distress for his soul. Fryday some of the directors of the bridge met here. Satt. I carried Mitte down to her grandmother Wests to life there. O how pitiful I feel for her. I commit her Lord unto thee, do thou dispose of her as seemeth good in thy sight. My heart melteth for the poor child, dear Lord thou knowest her case, once more I give her up to thee May I ask mercy for her & myself.

Dec. 2 Lords-day Mr. Williams of Leveret from 92 Psalm 6 ver. & Psalm 2 & 11. Once more at the table of the Lord. Mr. Williams appeared to be animated. O may the holy spirit rest upon me, dwell always in my heart & direct all my conduct in life, for the redeemers sake Amen. Tuesday we all at Col'l Porters, Mr. Gaylord & wife. Dr. & Capt Hopkins, Isabella Thompson & brother Warner. Wednesday William Dickinson & wife, Mr. Gaylord & wife, Lawyer Porter & wife (he seems to be in a very distressed situation) & I at brother Warners. (Mr. Phelps was detained by the directors of the bridge.) We went to meeting in the eve. Mr. Parsons preached from Matt 16 & 26 Mr. Phelps came just as the meeting was done. Thursday we went to the Mills, heard Mr. Lyman from Acts 16 & 31. Fryday William Dickinsons wife came here—he to tea. Satt I into town of arrands.

1804 Dec. 9 Lords-day Mr. Hop Genesis 22 & 1 & 2. Monday visit at Mr. Shipmans—called in to see Solomon Cooks wife—it is thot she has a cancer in her breast. Tuesday up at Caleb Stockbridges—his wife appears to be near death in a consumption. Lord have mercy on her soul for Jesus sake. Mr. Hop. text last Lords-day in the afternoon was on Collosians 2nd & 6. Wednesday visit Maj Eliazar Porters. Thursday Mrs. Newton here to talour.

Decem. 16 Lords day Mr Hop. John 1 & 17 & Romans 2 & 16. Tuesday Col'l Porter & wife and her sister Susa, Moses Porter & wife visit here. Wednesday made candles. In the eve heard a Mr. Waters from James 1 & 18. Saw Mrs. Lyman a few moments at Mr. Hop. Thursday visit Dr. Porters, Young gentlemen there to tea & to sing in the evening Fryday visit Mr. Lymans.

Decem 23 Lords day Mr. Hop: 1st Corr. 8 & 1 & Psalm 78 & 34—Tuesday visit Gaylords, brother Warner, Dr Hop: there. Wednesday Col'l Porter & wife, Mr. Phelps & I Visit at Landlord Whites. Fryday visit Mr. Hop: last Lords day evening Mr. Phelps & I up to Caleb Stockbridges to see her again & a little while on this day.

December 30 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Hebrews 3 & 11 & Romans 8 & 32. Tuesday attended the concert of prayer Mr. Hop: from Luke 3 & 10. New Years day. Spoke upon meditations proper for the time. Mr. Gaylord & wife & Sally, brother Warner here for the first time for a visit since sisters death. Wednesday visit at Jacob Smiths, his mother stays there, in the evening at meeting Mr. Wells, from Philomen 10 & 11 verses. Thursday killed hogs 4. In the eve rode into town to do arrands. Fryday Reuben set off for Boston—terrible cold day.

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1805 January 6 1805 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Acts 13 & 26. In the afternoon Mr. Hop: preached up at the Mills (Caleb Stockbridges wife buried) from 2nd Samuel 22.31. The schoolhouse was exceeding full. Monday President Dwight preached 1st Thessalonians 5 & 17. Tuesday we drank tea at Major Moses Porters. President Dwight & many there, Lawyer Porter & wife—he is in a very deranged situation. —Tuesday we visit at brother Dickinsons. Wednesday night we went to meeting —Mr. Lord of Williamsburgh preached Phillipians 3 & 9—about 11 at night Reuben got home from Boston. This day we cut sausage meat, made it into cakes—we had but little. Last Lordsday evening we attended meeting at the schoolhouse, then went to brothers, he and his daughter Dickinson set off the next morning for Litchfield. Thursday Mr. Enneas Smith & wife visit here. Fryday we rode to brother Dickinsons upon business—came back to Hatfield made a visit at Mr. Wards, her mother there, Mr. Winsor Smith & wife, Mr. Lyman & wife.

Jan 13 Lords-day Mr. Lyman from Luke 13 & 28. Afternoon Exodus 20 & 17. Monday visit Capt Billings, Mr. Lyman & wife. Tuesday Mrs. Smith, Capt. Widow visit here, her son Erastus spent the eve here. Thursday attended the funeral of Peirpont Porter—made a visit at Lawyer Porters, Mr. Dwight & Mrs. Stores there. Mr. Phelps at Northampton Court, came back & brought me home in the eve. At night we heard Mr. Gold from Psalm 8 & 4. Fryday we went to Hatfield, took Mr. Lyman & wife went to Whately made a visit at Parson Wells.

Jan: 20 Lords day Mr Hop: John 15 & 9. 10 & Job 17 & 11. In the evening Reuben went & fetched Polly Cooley here. We purpose to set out for Litchfield. Monday a terrible snow storm blow'd & drifted several days. Thursday Polly went to Mr. Shipmans to get bonnet made. Fryday we set out, had a rainy forenoon. Got to East Hartford before night lodged at Mrs. Ezra Pitkins in the eve went to see Mrs. Woodbridge and Mrs. Kilborn. Satt morn: set out for And got to Litchfield before sunset. Polly went with us.

1805 Jan: 27 Lords day Mr. Hooker from [blank] we went, had but one meeting by reasons of the storm of snow Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday very blowing stormy days. Fryday we set off to try to get home with great trouble & breaking harness we got 2 miles and were glad to get back, son & daughter went too. We drank tea at Mr. F. Woolcotts. Satt: we set out again on another road, left Polly Cooley & brought Polly Warner. We came to Aunt Phelps at 9, at Westfield.

Feb. 3 Lords day it began to snow so fast we set out for home, got to brother Warners before the afternoon. Went to meeting—Mr. Gardner Kellogg preached from [blank] Dr. Heightens' son of Conway came from Litchfield with us—after meeting we came home & thankful i hope to God that all things were in safety—in the eve we went to meeting—Mr. Kellogg from Matt. 13 & 22—our young fellow traveller went to meeting with us in the evening, tarried at Deacon Smiths. He has been of great service to us on our journey as in many places the snow was greatly drifted—A kind providence brought us in safety through. This day was our Communion. Dear Lord forgive & bless us for our redeemrs sake Amen. Monday killed hogs. Wednesday tryed the sewett. Dr. Porter & wife & Dolly visit here. Mr. Chester here to tea—the schoolmaster. Near 10 Mrs. Hitchcock came here, Mrs. Williams brought her. They got to Mr. Caylords at dark. Israel Gaylord brought Mrs. Hitchcock here. Thursday Mrs. Williams & her son Samuel came here going to Vermont but it snowed so hard they stop'd here. Fryday Mrs. Williams went on. Brother Dickinson & sister, brother Warner & his son & daughter Dickinson all a visit here.

1805 Feb. 10 Lords-day Mr. Kellogg from Luke 13 & 28. We all went to the meeting in the eve. Monday all a visit Mr. W. Dickinson, Cap. & wife. Jacob Smith & wife & mother & brother Warner. Tuesday Mrs. Ward a visit here Mr. W. spent the eve here. Wednesday Mr. Phelps went to Russel on a road. Reuben carried Mrs. E. & I into town to do arrends. We made a visit at Mr. Shipmans. R. came for us at Dusk, we went to Dr. Cutlers, made a visit got home half past 9. When

I got up found Mr. Phelps had come home in the night. Mr. Ward came Thursday morning & took our horses & sleigh & Mrs. Hitchcock & set off for Brimfield. Satt: cut sausage meat—at night Mr. Ward returned all well. Last Fryday Mr. Hop. preached at the Mills, Mr. Phelps attended. Cadwells child buried.

Feb. 17 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Job 36 & 18 & Numbers 23 & 21. Monday Jacob Smiths mother & wife visit here—he came in the evening to tea. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Tuesday Dr. Parsons & wife a Miss Williams visit here. Wednesday Mr. Gaylord & wife & Sally visit here. Thursday Mr. Phelps set off for Boston. Jest at night Elisha Smith carried me into town to do some arrands. Fryday Widow Rhoda Montague & her sons wife visit here. I at meeting at Solomon Cooks in the eve. Satt: Mrs. West & her daughter Rebecca visit here.

Feb. 24 Lords-day Dr. Parsons from John 15 & 5 & Isaiah 28 & 17. A lonely time. Monday jest before dinner a brother of our maids (Peirces Morse) & his wife, her own sister came here—afternoon Mrs. Gaylord & General Porters wife came, in the evening the General came, carried home his wife. Wednesday Mr. Gad Cook came here. I got him to find the lameness in the foot of the old horse, he had been lame ever since Satterday morn. Fryday Chester Gaylords wife & Betsy came here, in the evening Chester came. Mrs. Gaylord went home with them, broke her wrist a month ago & cant do any work. She read a great deal for us we had a charming time. Mr. Phelps got home before sunset.

March 3 Lords-day Mr. Hop. from Psalm 2 & 6. This is a half century sermon, the people were well pleased, may the good directions he gave us, be for our benefit. Monday evening we went to hear Mr. Rawson from Matt. 3 & 2. Mitte came for a visit. Wednesday Mr. Phelps went to buy cattle, came home about 12 the next morning. This day in the afternoon Mitte went back.

Mar. 10 Lords-day rainy, been so ever since Wednesday. In the afternoon we went, rode on a horse, bad going. Mr. Hop: from Matthew 6 & 21. Thursday visit at General Porters Mrs. Gaylord & Sally, Widow Hubbard. Mrs. Gaylord read to us—good stories in the Magazine. Fryday visit at Lawyer Porters, her sister Stores died last week. The Lawyer was carried to Uxbridge to the care of Dr. Willard about the 10 of last January. A Young woman from South farms in Litchfield is there, a Miss Morris.

March 17 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Isaiah 32 & 2 & Luke 18 & 1. Tuesday Major Moses Porters wife made a good visit here, Came in the morning—he came a little before night. Wednesday I visit at Mrs. Walkers Capt Dickinsons wife there. Thursday visit Mr. Gaylord, Deacon Seth & wife, Mr. Chester. Fryday jest at sunset Jonathan Lyman (who is reading law in Lawyer Porters office) & the above Miss Morris called here a few moments. When we were at Mr. Gaylords had a letter from Boston, our son has a daughter born last Satterday, all cleverly. Adored be God for all his mercies.

1805 March 24 Lords-day Mr. Lyman 1st Epistle John 4 & 10. 11 & Revelations 19 & 9. Monday did arrends, got home about sunset—at dark Capt Hitchcock came here, lodged. Tuesday morn left us. Maj. Eleazar Porters wife visit here, they expect to move soon to Middletown. O may the divinc blessing always attend them. Wednesday morning down the back street of arrends. Thursday Dr. Porters wife here before dinner. Satt: Mrs. Shipman visit here.

March 31 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Matt 6 & ? & Romans 1 & 30. 31. Monday Tree-mans meeting, one of my crying days. Tuesday attended the concert of prayer, a discourse was read upon the duty of prayer by Mr. Chester from Dr. Weather-spoons works. Dr. Porters wife and her sister Sally & I visit at Deacon Seths. Thursday fast-day, Mr. Hopkins Hosea 6 & 1 & James 1 & 17. Fryday Mr. Lyman & wife a visit here—Dr. Lyman—he & Mr. Phelps went to Lawyer Porter who came home yesterday, his wife went to see him last week, they both got home—he was took there about the 10 of last January to Dr. Willard of Uxbridge to help him of his distraction but he does not appear any better. We look to him with whom all things are possible for the manifestation of grace & glory in his own way & time. Satt: very rainy & snowy.

1805 April 7 Lords-day Mr. Hop: from Coll. 1 & 19. Communion day—Lord help or I am lost.—there's eno' with thee, give thy holy spirit to poor me for Jesus sake. & Romans 3 & 28. Monday Mrs. Hop. & her sister Isabella & Sally Williams, visit here. The Dr. came to tea, Tuesday Mr. Phelps at Hatfield to meet the Missionary Committee. Wednesday morning into town of arrands. Mr.

Phelps & I visit Lawyer Porter to see a Miss Morris, we attended a meeting at the meeting house before sunset. Mr. Hop: [blank] Lawyer Porter is took away again to travel. Thursday brother Warner brought his daughter Dickinson here for a visit. Her husband here to tea. My son came in the stage this day—all cleverly. Fryday a large party here—Lawyer Porters wife & Miss Morris, Fanny Lyman, Betsy Smith, Lucinda, Joanne, Erastus Smith, Chester & Lyman. Satt: made mince pies.

April 14 Lords day Mr. Hop. Isaiah 53 & 10 & 51 & 11. Monday jst at night Mr. Hitchcock & wife & Martha came. Wednesday morning they set off for home—our son went about 10 for Boston. O that God would bless all our children with converting grace. Thursday I a visit at the widow Cooks (Noahs widow). Fryday Mrs. Hopkins & Isabella called here, riding with the children, tarried & drank tea. Satt: into town of arrands.

April 21 Lords-day Mr. Hop: from 1st Corr: 10 & 11 & Ephesians 1 & 8. Monday visit widow Smiths. Tuesday killed hogs 2. Thursday met Miss Morris, when I went into town to do arrands, coming here to tarry. I soon got back. Fryday forenoon Mrs. Dr. Porter & Esquire Billings daughter Jerusha of Conway called here, in the afternoon I carried Miss Morris to Lawyer Porters. Dr. Porters wife & I visit at widow Synthia Cooks—her mother Cook there.

1805 April 28 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Zechariah 7 & 11 & Coll 3 & 2. In the eve we at meeting. Tuesday Mrs. Walker visit here, came forenoon. I carried her home at night. Wednesday Mr. Phelps had a turn in the morning of severe pain, Dr. Porter came, bled him but the pain soon returned. Had four or five fits of pain. Quite easy at turns. The last went off about or before four o'clock, Thursday comfortable. Jst at night we rode into town, took tea at Mr. Hop: Mr. Riddle there.

May 5 Lords day Mr. Williams of Leveret from Solomons Song 2 Chap. 10, 11, 12 & from Isaiah 50 & 10. After the meeting in the afternoon an infant of Daniel Dickinson was brought to the meeting house & Mr. Williams came back in 15 minutes & had another exercise—preached from Romans 8 & 28. Monday General Porters wife visit here. Rode up our horse & chaise. Mr. Phelps went with it to town meeting. Wednesday Mr. Phelps & I rode into town, he met the selectmen, I did arrands. We both took tea at Deacon Seths—attended meeting in the evening, Mr. Riddle from Psalm 130 & 3. Thursday about 2 Mr. Phelps set out for Hartford to meet Mr. & Mrs. Huntington there. Jst at night Paul Wright a boy who lives here carried me as far as brothers of arrands. Fryday Mrs. Shipman here a few moments. Jst at night Mr. Phelps got home, brought daughter & her two oldest children. Satt: before night a Mr. Porter, minister of Washington & a nephew of his came here. He is riding for his health.

May 12 Lords day Mr Hop [blank]. spoke to the young people. Afternoon from [blank] Mr. Porter at meeting all day did not preach. Monday morning Mr. Porter left us—we a visit at Mr. Hop: Tuesday we all set off, went to Hatfield by the ferry at the upper end of Hadley Street—very high wind & waves, but we were all safe carried over—thanks to him who holdeth the wind in his fist. We dined at Mr. Lymans—took tea at brother Dickinsons, all four of us—got home before dark in comfort. Wednesday about noon the Miss Cutlers came here to help us quilt a green crape bed-quilt for daughter Huntington—we had jst got it on when they came. Polly Warner came here this morning. Mitte West came last night. Thursday forenoon the Miss Cutlers left us. Fryday about 3 we got it off. Satt: afternoon daughter & I rode into town did arrands, carried Polly Warner home—when we came home, then I took Mitte home.

1805 May 19 Lords-day No preaching,—two sermons read from Dr. Weather-spoons works—first upon Universal depravity, 2nd upon prayer. Mr. Hop: gone to Boston etc. Monday Moses Porter & wife & her sister Lucretia Colt visit here. Tuesday all of us visit at General Porters. Wednesday all visit Mr. William Dickinsons. Jst as we were going brother Dickinson & sister came, went with us. Thursday daughter made my calico gown. Fryday about 4 Mr. Huntington came. Satt: Mr. Chester visit here.

May 26 Lords day Mr. Huntington from John 3 & 19. after the 2nd meeting we had a 3rd.—Mr. Huntington from Isaiah 53 & 1. Three good sermons. Monday he & his wife set off for Boston, left Charles & Elizabeth here. Satterday after sunset they came back, had a clever visit. O Lord thou art the giver of all good—

our eyes are unto thee & our hopes are upon thee, for all we want as to time & eternity.

1805 June 2 Lords-day Mr. Lyman from 1st Epistle of John 2 Chap. 18, 19 & 23 verses & Coll. 3 & 11. Mr. Huntington preached at Hatfield. Mr. Phelps stop'd at Solomon Cooks, she appears to be near death (a sort of cancer disorder or Kings evil) he prayed with her. Monday daughter made four bonnets. Tuesday our children & grandchildren left us. Lord to thy care, they and we, are all committed. Wednesday jest at night Mr. Phelps & I rode into town, did arrands, went to meeting.

June 9 Lords day Mr Hop: got home, preach'd from 2nd Samuel 12 & 12 & Psalm 34 & 13. When we came from meeting stop't at Mr. Solomon Cooks—Mr. Hop: came pray'd with her. O Lord grant her faith, to honour the religion of Jesus. Tuesday we attended her funeral Mr. Cook of Ashfield preached Phill. 1 & 23. Made a visit at Dr. Porters, Coll's wife there. Thursday attended lecture before communion. Mr. Parsons from Solomons Song 2 & 16. Made visit at Mr. Gaylords. Fryday Mrs. Hop: Sally Williams Jun'r. & a Miss Clark from Newburyport visit here. Satt: we attended the funeral of Mr Joseph Cook—came directly home. Last Monday raised a new barn, moved the cider house.

June 16 Lords-day Mr. Hop: from Phillippians 2 & 3 & 1st Corinthians 15 & 3. One more Communion opportunity at the Lords table. O Lord this hard stupid heart, what can I do with it, but bring it to thy power for none but thine can make it melt, may thy glory be advanced in the sanctification of my soul for the redeemers purchase. Eunice Alexander visit here on Monday. Wednesday Mr. Phelps went to the lower part of Springfield met Mr. Huntington with Polly Cooley, brought her here about 5. The horse that was Porters (my sons) extremely overcome with the heat—drop't down in his traces the moment he stop't—got better the next day. Mr. Phelps carried Polly home that night. Fryday Mrs. West came in the forenoon. Satt: Mitte here, soon went back. Last Sabbath evening Mr. P. & I up at the Mills at meeting. Last Tuesday Widow Goodman & her daughter Jones from New York visit here.

1805 June 23 Lords-day Mr. Williams, Northampton, from Matt 3 & 9 & from Luke 19 & 13. Monday visit at Major Moses Porters, her mother & two sisters from Lansingburgh & many others. When we came home found Lyman Brown, his wife & two children here, he lived here 10 or 11 years ago. Tuesday morning they left us. Wednesday Judge Strong & wife visit here. Jest at night Mr. Phelps & I rode into town to see Capt Hop's babe—very sick, soon home. Thursday Mrs. Gaylord & Sally visit there. Fryday we attended the funeral of Capt. Hopkins babe. Satt: I visit Mr. Shipman.

June 30 Lords-day Mr Hop: from Psalm 46 & 10 & Job 10 & 2. after the last meeting we went to Deacon Seth's,—stayed about one hour, then attended the funeral of Lawyer Porters babe—it was born Fryday last. She now very poorly—the Lawyer gone into Connecticut, is said to be rather growing better. This morning when we got to the meeting heard Lathrop Warner of Amherst who lived at Dr. Porters was drown'd last night about seven at the upper end of Hadley Street, went in swimming—was carried to Amherst this forenoon & buried. Monday Chester Gaylords wife & Betsy a short visit here. Tuesday Mr. Phelps met the Missionary at Hatfield. Fryday visit at Capt Hop:, her father and mother there & a good number of Hadley friends there to tea. Satt: Dr. Hop: Deacon Thompson & wife, Capt's wife & the two young ladies, Sally Williams & Sally Clark, & Mr. Riddle visit here. Last Tuesday Col'l Porters wife visit there.

July 7 Lords-day Mr. Riddle from Acts 11 & 26 & Hebrews 12 & 25. This day we dined at Dr. Porters with Col'l Chester & his wife from Weathersfield. Monday they dined here, came from Amherst. Mr. Phelps & I went into town with 'em, drank tea at Mr. Gaylords & others. In the eve we attended a meeting at Dr. Porters, Mr. Riddle preached Psalm 119, 165 ver. a very hot dry week, very busy.

1805 July 14 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Mark 13 & 36. Monday made Harvest cake. Mrs. Newton here, drank tea, Mr. Phelps carried her home, did arrands. Thursday Capt Smiths widow & her daughter Ward visit here. Mrs. Gaylord & Sally Williams here too, this day & Fryday reaping days, very good full harvest, thanks be to the Lord of the harvest. Satt: forenoon Mr. Phelps went to Northampton, I went into town with him stop't at Widow Rhoda Montagues to see her sister

Woods—poor blind woman, then called on Lawyer Porters wife. We got home a little after noon.

July 21 Lords day no preaching (Mr. Hop: gone to preach in Montague, their minister is dead) Mr. Phelps read two sermons in Dr. Dodridges works, the first from these words "Lord what wilt thou have me to do"—the next particularly to saints. In the evening Mr. Riddle preach'd Luke 14 & 18—we attended. Monday Eunice Alexander drank tea here. Thursday Mr. Phelps & I rode into town of arrands. I stop't at Jonathan Warners while Mr. Phelps did some arrands. Dr. Hop up at the Mills—preach'd sermon, came here when we were drinking tea, took tea with us. Mr. Phelps & I got home long before night.

July 28 Lords-day Mr. Oliver from Isaiah 30 & 20 & Ephesians 2 & 8. We attended meeting at the Mills in the evening Mr. Phelps read in the Refuge. Monday at two o'clock we attended a meeting for prayer on account of the drought—4 prayers made, 3 psalms sung—Dr. Hop: Mr. Phelps. Deacon Seth & Enos Smith—then we all retired—we went to brother Warners took tea, Mrs Stone there whom he proposes to Marry. At dusk we assembled again—a discourse was read from James 4 & 3. Tuesday forenoon Landlord White & wife came here, dined, left us about 2. Wednesday morn Capt Hop: & Miss Clark rode up here for a few moments. Thursday lecture—Mr. Williams of Northampton from Proverbs 9th, 6 first verses. This day was fulfilled that which was spoken in Isaiah—while they are yet speaking I will hear. there was a fast attended at Hatfield today—Mr Wells & Mr. Williams there and assisted—God was pleased to grant one shower before the meeting was over & a large rain that night & Fryday forenoon. In the afternoon Mr. Phelps & I up at a Mr. Cooleys. Satt: we went to Mr. Parsons of Amhrest, stayed to tea—a Mr. Chaplin, a preacher, got there jest as we did. In the night there was a smart shower. Last Thursday we took tea at Mr. Hop:

August 4 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Acts 15 & 11 & Jeremiah 20 & 14. This day sat at the Lords table & was his fruit sweet to my taste; Oh that God would in very diet dwell with me by his holy spirit for Christ Sake Amen. The funeral of a child of Benjamin Kelloggs was attended after meeting—we went to the evening meeting, got there late—hindered a while by a very copious hard rain, how gracious is the Lord. No rains is wet into the ground since about the 9 of last June—this day eight weeks. The Lord began to send the rain last Thursday & already the fall of nature is changed. O God I thank thee—we feel our dependance & now Lord may we feel gratitude—always feel humble & thankful. Monday Mr. Phelps went to the Westward upon turnpike & roads. Mrs. Shipman visit here. Mrs. Gaylord & Lawyer Porters wife visit here. At night Mr. Phelps came home. Wednesday night we attended meeting. Thursday William Dickinsons wife came forenoon. Capt Hop: & wife & Sally Clark visit here. Mr. D. here to tea.

August 11 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Psalm 119 & 166 vers. & John 9 & 4. Monday did arrends—we drank tea at Mr. Gavlords. Tuesday Mr. Phelps went again upon the above road. Wednesday Sally Williams came here to tarry. Jest at night I rode upon horseback to Mrs. Wests upon business. Jest at sunset Thomas—a negro who has worked here a part of this summer, is now working at the bridge—fell from the top of one of the piers into a boat of stone—took up for dead but came to life. Thursday Mr. Phelps came home. Fryday Mr. Timothy Eastmans wife & Mrs. Shipman visit here. Sally W. went home with them. Satt: night about eleven o'clock Pierces Morse called me to come to her, she had a daughter born before she called me. Mr. Phelps brought Mrs. Montague, she staid. He had a lost turn when he went for Mrs. Montague & brought Dr. Rogers—carried him back & brought her.

1805 Au:18 Lords-day Mr. Williston of Sunderland from Acts 16 & 28. Mr. Phelps went, Mrs. Montague & I tarried at home—the child rather unwell. In the night about eleven Steven Rider came & took Mrs. Montague. Monday Phillis, a black woman who lives up at Ralfs, washed here. Tuesday Pierces came down did some chores—she came down yesterday. Wednesday Deacon Williams wife from Dalton visit here—we all attended meeting at night. Mr. Parsons from Revelations 3 & 2. Fryday night Polly Cooley came here. Satt: Mitte came here, she has been here many Satterdays.

August 25 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Deuteronomy 13, 1, 2, 3 verses & Ezekiel 18 & 27. Monday Phillis came and washed again. Polly Cooley left us Sabbath day.

Thursday Mrs. Gaylord made me a good long visit, came in the morning. Mr. Phelps gone nearly all day about the bridge road. Fryday Moses Porters wife & I visit at Dr. Rogers—the school house raised. Satt: Mitte here, at night I carried her home, did arrands.

Sep 1 Lords day Mr. Sympkins from Proverbs 23 & 26—in the evening from Collossians 1 & 27. Monday morning about 5 Mr. Phelps set off to meet my son at Worcester. Tuesday I into town did some arrands. Got home before 1. About 8 at night my husband got home & our son & daughter and their children—thanks be to the author of all good. Thursday Sally & her father rode into town. Fryday Dr. Lyman & wife visit here. Dr. Hop. & Mr. Worcester & wife. Satt: Polly Warner & Mariah Dickinson here, at night I carried 'em home. Mr. Worcester preached Fryday night from 1st Kings 20 & 40. Mr. Phelps & I at meeting. Satt: son & daughter rode into town.

1805 Sept 8 Lords-day Mr. Worcester from John 5 & 40 & Romans 9 & 15. I tarried at home with Sally's children & she went to meeting this afternoon—Mr. Phelps & I went in the eve. Mr. Worcester from 1st Peter 5 & 7. Monday son & daughter dined at General Porters. Tuesday jest at night Polly Cooley came here to go to Boston. Wednesday morning about 5 my son, his wife & Charles, Edward, & Sarah all set off for their home in Boston & Polly Cooley with them. My husband went too. Thursday Deacon Seths wife visit here alone. Half past seven my husband got home—left Worcester early in the morning—the children went on to Boston. Fryday I rode into town of arrands. Mrs. Gaylord came home with me—after dinner she & I rode into the upper part of Amherst to get wool carded, colouring done etc. O God make our children & grand children thine in the covenant of grace.

Sep: 15 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Matt 4 & 23. afternoon Romans 2nd & 11. We went to meeting in the eve. Wednesday Mr. Phelps at Northampton—after he came home we went to meeting, heard Mr. Spring Isaiah 26 & 3. Fryday Dr. Hop: & Mr Spring here & din'd, took tea,—in the evening he preached again Numbers 32 & 23, we went. Satt: Mitte & Mrs. Loveman came here—they had a horse. last Thursday, went to Conway. Jest at night I carried 'em home, did arrands.

Sep: 22 Lords-day Mr. Spring from Acts 27 & 31. Afternoon he preached at Hatfield. Dr. Lyman here, from Isaiah 6 & 10. In the eve Mr. Spring from Jeremiah 8 & 20—O Lord set these good sermons home upon all our hearts, may there be some good effects on the hearts & lives of this people, by the influence of the holy spirit. Thursday we made a short visit at brothers, Mrs. Gaylord & Sally here, a rainy evening, Friday about one we set out for Litchfield, lodged at Aunt Phelps in Westfield. Got to Mr. Huntingtons about 5 on Satt.

1805 Sep. 29 Lords day Mr. Huntington from Acts 9 & 36. a funeral sermon for Judge Oliver Woolcotts wife who died this week past. Wednesday & Thursday we all, children and all, rode to the South Farms called at door of Mr. Chase's & Judge Morris's this week many friends called on us.

Oct. 6. Lords day Mr. Huntington from Num. 32 & 23. afternoon my husband went & brought Mrs. Ransome (as he & Betsy did not go to meeting). Monday she still about Toward night grew more poorly—little before 11 had a daughter born weighted 11 lbs. Tuesday about noon we got her up. She set in her chair some time. About 3 we left her with a heavy heart, but in the hands of the Lord of all we leave her, ourselves and all our connections. We lodged at Woodbridges. Wednesday we got home about 5, found all cleverly. O God thine we are. Satt: Mitte here, she rode home with Mrs. Gaylord & Mrs. Hop: who came & stayed here just long eno' to drink tea. Last Lords day the funeral of John Atwell was attended in this meeting house. He died at Hatfield, it was communion day.

Oct. 13 Lords-day Mr. Hop from Mark 3 & 5. & Luke 14 & 16. Tuesday eve Mr. Phelps & I rode into town of arrands, stop'd a while at brothers. Thursday Dr. Porters wife here a few moments forenoon, we a visit William Dickinsons.

Oct. 20 Lords-day Mr Hop: Titus 3 & 5 & Ephesians 5 & 2 Monday a visit at widow Chiliab Smiths,—Mrs Gaylord, widow Jerusha, Sally Williams there. Wednesday rode up to the Mills, immediately back, then into town of arrands. Out to the Lower Mills & heard Mr. Ward & wife (minister was come up here) called at Widow Smiths, saw 'em a few moments. Mr. Phelps went to Ashfield this morning to tend roads. Thursday a praying meeting at Dr. Porters,— Mr Ward, Dr. Hop: Dr & Moses Porter, Timothy Hopkins pray'd—before four the

meeting was done, then a number of women retired in a room, Mrs. Montague, Mrs. Dr. Porter, Mrs. Gaylord, Deacon Seths wife prayed. This meeting called upon Lawyer Porters account who continues to be in distress for his soul, will not the compassionate Redeemer receive him, speak peace to his troubled soul. I got home before dark. Fryday forenoon Mrs. Walker & Mrs. Norton here, tarried & took dinner,—Soon after Mr. Phelps came home. They left us—in the eve—he & I went to Lawyer Porters, Mrs. Norton & others there. Satt: Dr. Porter here —Andries sick. Jest at night Brother Warner here.

Oct 27 Lords-day Mr. Riddle from Hebrews 12 & 2nd & Ephesians 6 & 4. In the eve Mr. Riddle from Luke 13 & 7, we went. Last night one Smith died at brothers—carried to Amherst this day. Tuesday Mrs. West here forenoon. Mrs. Briggs (she was Lucy Marshall) here to dinner. Towards night I carried her home. Mrs. West made a visit at Mr. Hop: with others. Mrs. Sympkins of Boston there. Wednesday Mitte came. Wednesday visit General Porters. Thursday Dr. Porters wife & Major Moses wife, visit here, the men here to tea. Satt: I carried Mitte home, did arrands. George Hibbards wife took tea here.

Nov. 3 Lords-day Mr. Hop. Luke 12 & 47 & 14.24. In the eve: we attended meeting Mr. Phelps read several pieces in the Evangelical Magazine. Wednesday rode into town did arrands forenoon. Mr. Phelps & I rode into town Fryday forenoon, soon home. Mr. Phelps to help brother Warner move the old school house on the East end of his lot for Jonathan to live in. Had many men & teams three days. Mrs. Slipman visit here. Satt: Mr. John Phelps of Granville here jest at dark to stay.

Nov. 10 Mr. Williams 1st Kings 18 & 21. Monday jest at night brother here to invite us to go with him. Wednesday about 7 we set out Mr. Gaylord & wife & brother—got to Chesterfield before noon, dined—set out for home before 2. With his new wife & three of her children (which she had by her first husband Mr. Stone) We all got back to brothers before 5—found a number of neighbors & friends there. Had a fine supper & a pleasant evening. May this connection have the divine blessing. Satt: jest at night (they) brother & his wife rode up here, took tea.

1805 Nov. 17 Lords-day Mr. Coleman from Luke 18 & 1. in the eve Mr. Phelps up to Mr. Russells to marry his son to Cloe Woods. I went—attended meeting with 'em up at the school house. John Hibbard read a sermon which was preach'd in London to a great assembly of Jews. Wednesday visit Mr. Gaylords. Fryday attended the funeral of Major Moses Porters child—it was about one year & ten months old. We drank tea there—home before dark. Satt. Whitcomb set off with our cheese & other things for Boston. Jest at night I rode as far as Mrs. Wests.

Nov. 24 Lords day Mr. Hop: Genesis 4 & 8—afternoon Psalm 10 & 17. Monday about break of day Mr. Phelps & I set out for Boston—dined at Capt Hitchcocks. lodged at lower part of Worcester—got to our sons about 2. They appeared to give us a hearty welcome. Went out a shopping. Wednesday out twice. Thursday Thanksgiving day—heard Mr. Kirkland from 101 Psalm 1 verse. After dinner Mr. Phelps, Sally & Polly Cooley & I went to Brattle Street—heard Mr. Buckminster from Job 2 & 10. In the eve we all called at Mr. William Parsons, then went to Mr. Theophilus Parson's, supped. Fryday we all took tea at Mr. William P's. Satt: we all dined at Mr. T. P's. Last Tuesday fifty eight years old. May I grow in wisdom & knowledge & grace—be more meek, patient & humble.

Dec. 1 Lords-day A Mr. Smith from Byfield—Preceptor there—preached 1st Epistle John 2 & 25. Afternoon Mr. Kirkland from Job 14 & 5—in the evening Mr. Phelps, Polly Cooley & I (& my sons cook maid) went to hear Mr. Baldwin a Baptist minister—he took for his text these two words—"Pure Religion"—they are in 1 chap James 27 verse. A charming good discourse. This day at the Lords table but rather stupid—in the evening enlivened, thanks be to God I went to hear that man. Monday about 10 set out for home. Found & left of children & grandchildren all well. Merciful God touch their hearts by thy holy spirit, lead them into the knowledge of the great & important truths of the gospel and may all of 'em have an interest in Christs redemption and be brought to bow at the foot of the Cross. Lord Jesus help or we perish—thou hast power, O speak but the word & the stubborn heart shall yield. God is pleased to give them a competence of temporal good things, but Lord thou knowest I feel for their spiritual & everlasting good—we are all unworthy but O extend of thy boundless mercy

to the most unworthy of all—grant I may yet have occasion to record it to thy praise that thou hast heard and answered my prayer for Jesus sake. We lodged where we did last Monday night. Tuesday got to Mr. Hitchcocks at Brimfield about 2, found them all cleverly. They are rather poor in this world—O may they have a better portion—even the blessings of the grace of eternal life: by Jesus Christ our Lord. Wednesday just at night we returned in safety & comfort to our habitation. Lord we adore & praise thee & still pray for thy blessing. Thursday Mitte came here. Fryday Mr. Phelps attended court. I carried Mitte home last night & a Miss Cook.

1805 Decem: 8 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Zephaniah 2 & 3 & Ezekiel 18 & 30. Monday a large collection at brothers—we there. Tuesday at Deacon Seths, Dr. Hop: Capt & wife there. Fryday we were at Eliakim Smiths—Mrs. Gaylord & Sally Dr. Hop: Cap't wife, deacon Seth & wife. This day about sunset Mr. Solomon Boltwood of Amherst working on the bridge (which is building over Connecticut River) fell from a great height into a boat & lived but a short time, one hour. O that God would set it home upon all our hearts by the holy spirit operating on us to our saving benefit.

1805 Dec. 15 Lords day Mr. Hop. Job 22 & 21—in the afternoon Mr. Phelps & I went to the funeral of Mr. Boltwood at Amherst—heard Mr. Parsons from Job. 34 & 21. Judge Strong died last night about 7. Monday Mr. Gaylord, brother Warner & wives & Sally Williams visit here. Tuesday we attended the funeral of Judge Strong—Mr. Parsons preach'd from Psalm 82 6 & 7 verses. A very great funeral—Mr. Emerson made the last prayer. Wednesday a number of the inhabitants of this town met at the meeting house for the express purpose of prayer to God for the effusions of the holy spirit upon the heart of this people. We took tea at Major Moses Porters with a number of others. Deacon Parsons was there. Thursday a large collection at Mr. Hopkins.—Brother Warner, Mr. Gaylord, General Porter, Dr. Porter & all the wives. Mr. Phelps & I, Dr. Lyman accidentally there. There was 4 prayers made at the meeting yesterday. Mr. Hop: Deacon Oliver Smith, Deacon Phelps Deacon Seth. Mitte came here Satterday—toward night I carried her home.

December 22 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Matt 23 & 28 & Hosea 3 & 5. at eve: Meeting. Monday visit Dr. Porters Mrs. Gaylord, Miss Sally, Mrs. Hop: Dr. Hop: etc. Tarried to the evening meeting. Tuesday visit at Mr. Shipmans, a stormy day. Wednesday Polly Warner & the new mother's two daughters visit here. Thursday Dr. Hop, Capt & wife, General Porter & wife & each a little girl visit here. Fryday William Dickinson & wife visit here. Mr. Phelps brought her up forenoon. Satt: Mrs. West here, Mr. Phelps carried her home at night.

Decem 29 Lords-day Mr. Hop: Jeremiah 17 & 9. A terrible rain & wind last night held on this morning till near meeting time—but we went. Tuesday went to the funeral of Mrs. Warren. When we got to the door of the meeting house found the people coming out. Made a visit at Lawyer Porters, he has gone away again. Just at dark Mr. Phelps took Mitte from Mrs. Wests to Mr. William Dickinsons to live there. Wednesday at night we went to General Porters, had a New Years supper. Dr. Hop: there and family etc, a large circle. Thursday a long visit at Mr. Gaylords, Dr. Hop: and family, Brother Warner & wife there to supper.

Although Mrs. Phelps continued to keep a diary until shortly before her death in 1817 it is evident that her interest in local affairs became centered in her church and her pastor's sermons. Consequently, we discontinue with this installment the publication of the diary. A typescript of the unpublished portion is on file in the Society's vault; it may be consulted by scholars and other qualified persons upon application to the Librarian. In lieu of the diary we will publish in the next volume of *THE REGISTER* the mortality list which Mrs. Phelps kept from January 1794 to March 1817.

44. There is no gravestone for Martha McIntosh in Gilead Cemetery, Bethel, Vt., where all her children are buried, nor do the 1820 censuses of Bethel and Randolph, Vt. indicate that a woman of her age was living with any of her children at that time. She seems to be included with her husband in the Bedford census of 1810, with son James as head of family.

45. Hillsborough County Deeds, Book 108, p. 517.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN HADLEY FROM 1794 TO 1816

Transcribed from the original list kept
by MRS. ELIZABETH (PORTER) PHELPS.

In editing Mrs. Phelps' list of births and deaths in Hadley, Massachusetts, which she commenced in 1794 and continued until 1816, we have experienced considerable difficulty in reading and transcribing her handwriting. In most instances it is reasonably clear, but in some she over-wrote that which she originally set down, or added notes in the margin of the page. She was not always consistent in giving the age at death: sometimes it was in years and months, sometimes in weeks and days. Sometimes names of children are given later or written in the margin. We have tried to match these, but when unable to do so, have given the marginal notes at the end of that page. We have supplied page numbers in editorial brackets, although the originals are not numbered, for the sake of reference. Frequently Mrs. Phelps omits the day of the month. It has been difficult in some instances to distinguish between her 9's and 7's and other figures. We have made every effort to transcribe verbatim and literally. Editorial brackets have been used whenever we have had to question our deciphering, or have added an interpretation.

In most birth entries the name of the child is not given—only the name of the father, or, in rare cases, that of the mother. When the child has died at birth, or shortly thereafter, the entry is followed by an X. In some instances the name of the child has been inserted later. Such cases have been marked with an editorial asterisk.

We are grateful to the Phelps-Porter-Huntington Foundation of Hadley for permission to transcribe and publish this record.

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Deaths in the town of Hadley in the year 1794		years	mos	days
Jan.	29 Old Mr. Joseph Smiths wife died	82		
	31 Ebenezer Marshes wife died			
	14 Joshua belding babe died	0	2	
March	7 Elisha Cook died	79	0	9
	30 William Shipman babe died		16	—
May	16 Daniel Marsh child died	0	0	35
July	2 Old Mrs. Nobles died			
	11 Timothy Stockwell Jun ^r * wife died	32		
	27 Benjamin Kelloggs infant	0	0	0
August	15 Nehemiah Gaylord wife died	53		

biography of Wolfe, "Wolfe became such a national hero that everyone who was present at the battle claimed to have known him personally."

6. *James Wolfe, Man and Soldier*, W. T. Waugh, 1928, p. 83.
7. Alexander MacDonald of Keppock.
8. *Montcalm and Wolfe*, Francis Parkman, 1884, p. 298.
9. Robin Reilly says "An enormous number claimed they had seen him die"—extract from his letter, see Note 5.
10. *Herald and News*, Randolph, Vt., 6 Sept., 1917.
11. *Ibid.*
12. W. Brooks.
13. John R. Cuneo, *Robert Rogers of the Rangers*, 1959, p. 11.
14. *Ibid.*, p. 179.
15. *Ibid.*, p. 191.
16. *Ibid.*, p. 225.
17. This may be the Archibald Campbell described in *Journals of Major Robert Rogers*, ed. by Hough, 1883, p. 81, which states that in the summer of 1757 Lord Loudon sent volunteers from regular British regiments for training as Rangers. Archibald Campbell of the 42nd Black Watch Regiment was among those named, and since Robert Rogers had command of the Rangers at that time, it is possible that Campbell was still serving under him at Michilimackinac.
18. N. H. Provincial Deeds, Book 99, p. 299.
19. *Ibid.*, Book 100, p. 401.
20. *History of Bedford*, 1903, p. 627.
21. Bedford Town Records, vol. 3, p. 36, N. H. State Library, Concord, N. H.
22. Records are sparse, fires having taken their toll in both Merrimack and Bedford.
23. W. Brooks.
24. *History of Bedford*, p. 699, states a son John was born 27 Jan., 1773. Family tradition always specifies William as the oldest son. A razor handed down in the family, now in the possession of Mrs. Audrey Lucia (Lockard) Mieth, a great, great, great-granddaughter of John McIntosh, the settler, is inscribed with William's name, and the date 26 Jan., 1773. Histories of Bethel and of Windsor County, Vt., indicate 6 Nov. 1776 as his birth date, and this agrees with census records and his age at death (86 yr. 6 mo.) given in Bethel Vital Records.
25. George Woodbury, *John Goffe's Legacy*, 1955, p. 113.
26. *The Diary of Matthew Patten of Bedford, N. H.*, 1903, covers the years 1754 to 1788, in the daily transactions and happenings of Patten, his family, and his friends and neighbors, in his life as a farmer, surveyor, justice of the peace, and representative to the general court; hereinafter cited as Patten diary.
27. *Ibid.*, p. 387.
28. *Ibid.*, p. 415-416.
29. *History of Bedford*, p. 491-493.
30. The one exception was the Rev. John Houston. The document with its signatures may be seen in the N. H. State Archives, Concord.
31. Town Records, vol. 3, p. 207-208.
32. Londonderry Town Records, vol. 1, p. 396.
33. Hillsborough County Deeds, Book 5, p. 135.
34. In 1765 he was of New Boston when he bought land in Wears, was of that town in deeds of 1771 and 1773, but was of New Boston again 1776-1778. He was of Bedford in 1797 when he bought land in Society Land (later Deering), and of the latter place in 1800 when he sold the property there.
35. Town Records, vol. 2, p. 411, 456.
36. Patten diary, p. 442.
37. *Ibid.*, p. 462.
38. Town Records, vol. 3, p. 565-566.
39. *Ibid.*, vol. 2, p. 5.
40. *Ibid.*, vol. 2, p. 7.
41. *Ibid.*, vol. 2, p. 337.
42. Hillsborough County Deeds, Book 108, p. 513.
43. Town Records, vol. 4, p. 64.

Sep. 8	Jabez Seldens wife died		
16	Meriam Smith died	52	
27	Nathan Goodman died	81	2
Oct. 4	David Warner died		
No- 4	one Belnap died at Solomon Cooks		

[2]

Births in Hadley in the year 1795

Feb. 28	David Smith Cook	_____
April 22	Dan West	_____
	William Hodge	_____
May 28	Timothy Hopkins	_____
	William or Dr. Porter	Eleazer Williams* son
	[_____] Burnham	
Au- 14	Elihu Warner	_____ Elizabeth
21	Timothy Marsh	
Au. 28	Eliakin Smith daugh	Jerusha
Sep- 8	Josiah Kelloggs	
	David Stockbridge	
Oct. 11	Seth Smith — son	Worthington
	Eleazer Porter son —	Sidney
	Moses Porter son	Benjamin
	Daniel Dickinson —	Sybel
Nov. [_____]	Johnson	_____
	Paul Belding	_____
	Daniel Bartlett —	Roxy
Decm 22	Joshua Belding twins —	Naomi, Submit
	[_____] Corkins daugh	Molly
	William Shipman daugh	Peggy
	Benjamin Kellogg son	Silvester

[In margin]

Abbo twins Moses Graves, Lucy Ward
 Wait Cook son Asahel
 John Sumner
 Daniel [!] daughter Hannah
 Rosel Smith daughter

[3]

Deaths in Hadley in the year 1795

		years	months	days
Feb. 28	Orange Warners wife died	72		
March. 3	Dorcas Hovey died	96		
	John Smiths wife died	78		
	The above John Smith died	73		
	Aaron Cook died sergeant	88		
May	Dan West died			
	Ebenezer Marsh died			
June 12	Timothy Lyman died	42		
27	Old Mrs. Peirce died	78		
July 7	Old Mrs. Furgunson died	67		
25	Abigail Goodman died	86		
Sep	John Sumner child died	0	2	2
Decem 2	[_____] died at Mrs. Newtons			

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Births in Hadley in the year 1796

Feb.	Joseph Smith — son —	Joseph
	Solomon Cook daugh	Emely
March	John Hodge	
7	Ebenezer Pomroy —	X

April Coll'l Sam Porter daughter — Polly
 June 29 Gad Cook daugh — Joanna
 Aug. 12 Jonathan Warner daughter — Eliza
 22 Edward Kneeland — son — Edward
 Sep Holcomb Cranger
 Timothy Eastman son — Timothy
 Elihu Smith the mills ——— X
 December 5 Samuel Gaylord Jun^r Daughter Emely
 16 Winsor Sraith son Roger Robins
 22 Daniel Russel
 Jacob Smith daugh

[In margin]

Caleb Smith daughter Sophia
 John Hibbard daughter Lucy
 Steven Beldin daughter Martha

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1796

		years	months
Jan. 12	Samuel Peirce ———		
Feb. 9	Joanna Gaylord (lived out in the woods) died	24	4
March 10	Ebenezer Pomroy — infant ———		
March 30	Enos Nash died ———	49	3—
April 8	Noah Cook died ———	66	
	Thomas Smith child died ———		
May 29	General Porter died ———	54	3—
June 12	Daniel Dickinson babe ———		
22	Old Mr. Nehemiah Gaylord died ———		
July 21	Frances Newton child died ———	1	8
September 29	Old Mrs. Coats at mountaingate died	8—	[1]
	Elihu Smiths infant died—lived at the mills	0	
Octo. 2	Polly Southgate of Leicester died		
	Mr. Dickins:		
October 3	Mrs. Hopkins died ———	66	
12	David Smith Cook babe died ———		
12	Timothy Marsh died ———		
Nov. 18	Gad Cook child died ———		
Dec. 25	Daniel Russels wife died ———		
	[———] Gates son died ———	16	—
28	Aaron Cooks wife died	65	
	Tabithy Boston Negro died		
30	Samuel Gaylord Jun ^r babe died ———	3 weeks	5 days

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Births in town of Hadley in the year 1797

January Elihu Smith ———
 Luther Washburn ———
 [———] Frayry ———
 Feb. Daniel — Wallis ——— X
 March 21 Frances Newton — Daugh
 Nathan Seymour — son Henry
 26 Jonathan Porter — son Timothy Dwight
 Elihu Warner
 Ap- William Hodge — son Henry
 Daniel Dickinson Daugh — Lucy
 Ely Smith
 Jedediah montague — daugh — Abigail
 [———] Cooley of Mountain gate — X
 May 7 Coll Samuel Porter Daugh: — Pamela
 20 Dr. Will: Porter daughter — Caroline Williams

June	David Smith Cook ——— X
11	Eliakim Smith ——— Emely
July	Josiah Kellogg
21	Pierpoint Porter daugh Sally
August 5	Abigail — son
Sep. 10	Jonathan Warner daugh Emely
Oct. 13	[————] Abbet son —
	[————] Abbet son —
	Justin Smith daugh
October 15	William Dickinson daughter Maria Pattridge
	Stephen Rider
Novr 6	Moses Porter daugh Sophia
	[————] Corkins — daugh — Lucy
	Richard Osburn — son — Chester
	Levy Gale
	Zadoc Lyman
[In margin]	Dan Cook — son — Lummis
	Daniel Bartlett
	Waitstill Cook

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Deaths in the town of Hadley in the year 1797

		years	weeks
Jan:	Daniel Russel babe died	0	2
14	Jacob Smith babe died	0	3
	Luther Washburn babe died		1
29	Widow Goodman died ———		
Feb. 8	Samuel Gaylord Jun ^r died	25	14
	[————] Eveleths wife died ———		
26	Elihu Smith babe died	0	0
	[————] Cooley of Hokunum babe died	0	0
29	Dr. William Porter child died	1	32
March 1	Daniel Wallis babe died	0	1
May	[————] Cooley of Mountain gate infant	0	0 0
27	Judge Porter Eleazer died ———	68	10 months
July 16	David Smith Cook's wife died ———		
26	Dr. Job Marsh died		
29	Joseph Smith died	88	3
Sep. 30	John Hibbard child died	2	
Oct.	Mrs. Pomroy of mountain gate died	7—	

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Births in Hadley in the year 1798

Jan:	Elihu Smith — son Giles Eastman
	Elihu Cook — daugh
	Jacob Smith — daugh Elizabeth Hayley
27	Enos Hitchcock — son Charles Phelps
	George Hibbard — daugh
	Holcomb Granger —
	Stephen Johnson — son — Chester
Feb:	Elisha Hubbard — —
Mar:	Major John Smith — daugh — Elizabeth Edwards
	Moses Gaylord
July	John Hodge —
	Gad Cook
Sep.	Daniel Marsh — daugh — Mabel
Oct	Windsor Smith — son Horace
—	Benjamin Kellogg — daugh — Elizabeth
Nov-	[————] Whitney — son Lay
	Pierpoint Porter —

Decem. 11 Dr. William Porter — daugh — Caroline
 Nov- Hosea Grover — son

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1798

		years	months	days
Jan: 25	Samuel Marsh died — —	50		
Feb: 4	Major Williams's wife died	50		
July 12	Jonathan Warner daugh died	1	11	
August 21	Edward Kneeland child died —	2		
23	Widow Hannah Montague died	87		
October 2	Widow Elizabeth Porter died —	79	wanting	13 days
	Daniel Marsh Jun ^r child died			

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Births in the Town of Hadley in the year 1799

Jan. 6 Jonathan Warner — son — Charles
 20 John Hopkins — daugh Sarah-ann
 Elihu Warner — son
 Zadock Lyman — —
 May John Nash — —
 Andrew Dunekin — —
 Lemuel Brown — —
 Elisha Hubbard — —
 June Jedediah Montague —
 26 Dan Cook two daugh — Judith, Julia
 August Eleazer Porter — son — Eleazer
 Daniel Dickinson — son Daniel
 Sep. Lawyer Porter son — Theodore Woolsey
 Ely Smith — daughter Elmira
 Oct- Job Cook — —
 Oct- 14 Moses Porter — son — Moses
 John Cook — —
 Francis Newton — —
 William Hodge — son Wilson*
 Decem 23 William Dickinson — son
 Waitstill Cook — son Richard

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Deaths in the Town of Hadley in the year 1799

		Year	mon	day
Jan.	Levy Gale child died			
Feb: 9	Elizabeth Rowlinson died	29		
29	Our Negro girls child died here	0	2	
March 9	Mrs. Stockwell died			
June 28	Widow Dickinson died	92	0	4
Nov. 24	Holcomb Granger child died			

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Births in Hadley in 1800

Jan: 4 Eliakim Smith — son Samuel Gaylord
 19 Coll Samuel Porter daugh Sarah Jewet
 Justin Smith — —
 James Cook — — X
 Richard Osburn — daugh — Joanna Gaylord
 Stephen Belding — daugh — Abigail
 Feb: William Wallis — — X
 March 8 Jonathan White daugh — —
 Solomon Cook — son — Parsons

Elihu Smith daugh — Sophia
 John Hibbard — son Albert
 27 Parsons Marsh —
 Moses Gaylord —
 July Daniel Bartlet —
 Hosea Grover — son
 Septem Elihu Smith —
 Jacob Smith — daugh — Sybel Worthington
 [————] Whitney — son
 Oct. Zadock Lyman —
 Decem David Smith Cook —
 Pierpoint Porter —
 [In margin] Benjamin Smith — X
 Daniel Marsh da. Phebe Parsons

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Deaths in 1800		years	mon:	Day
Jan:	James Cook infant died —	0	0	
25	Aaron Cook died	71		
Feb: 9	Daniel Marshes wife died	72		
	Caleb Cook child died	0	6	
March 1	Caleb Lymans wife died	57		
April 5	James Cooks wife died	22		
	William Wallis child died	0	3	
August —	Dan Cook child died			
27	John Sumner son drowned			
Oct-	[————] Pomroy mountain gate died	7		
December	Cesar Abberdeen negro died —			

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births in Hadley in the year 1801

Feb. 7 Dr. Porter — dau Lois Eastman
 Daniel Dickinson son Edward
 Cyrus Packard —
 Josiah Keliogg —
 Elisha Colt — daugh
 March John Hodge
 Lemuel Brown
 April [————] Dunica —
 Dan Cook —
 William Hodge — — son Giles
 Parsons Marsh
 May Samuel Cook
 Jediah Montague — daugh — Anna
 June Gad Cook daugh — Naomi
 [Undated] Francis Newton —
 Job Cook —
 [————] Wallis son
 Lemuel Brown son John

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1801		years	weeks	days
April 5	Elihu Cook died —			
	Parsons Marsh a child died	0	0	0
August 9	Francis Trainer died —			
Oct: 20	Elihu Warner son — died			
Decem	Zerviah Bartlet died			
	Lemuel Brown died			

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births in Hadley in the year 1802

Jan: [?] Justin Smiths —
 Feb. 19 Coll'l Samuel Porter son — Samuel Phillips
 March 18 William Dickinson son — Rosel
 Stevens Cook —
 July Benjamin Smith —
 Steven Belding —
 Hosea Grover ——— X
 Sep. 24 John Hibbard two sons one dead one alive
 28 [————] Clark child ——— X
 Oct. 16 Daniel Bartlet —
 Jacob Smith — —
 Decem [————] Chadwick — daughter —
 John Nash —
 Dan Cook — daughter Julia

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1802

		year	W	day
Jan:	Jairus Congdon died — —			
23	Wareham Smith wife died — —	66		
Feb. 24	Nathaniel Whites wife died — —	60		
March 14	Rebecca Nobles died — —	90		
June 28	Steven Goodman died — —			
July 31	Rosel Smith died — —	14		
August 10	John Hop: babe died — —	0	10	
Sep: 12	Coll'l Porter son Samuel Phillips died		29	
20	[————] Wallis a son died —	0		
21	[————] Wallis a son died —	15		
21	Caleb Bartletts wife died			
24	John Hibbard infant dead born	0	0	0
29	[————] Clark infant died ———	0	0	20
October 18	Widow of Elisha Cook a child died	5	0	0
	John Hibbard child died	0	0	6
	[————] Abbot child died	0	12	
	Sarah Kellogg died	8		
30	Wareham Smith died —	69		
	Abraham Packard child died	0	24	
Nov. 8	Mary Kellogg died —	17	8	
11	Ebenezer Whites wife died	67		
23	Moses Powel died —			
Dec 27	Dan Cook son died —	5		
[Undated]	Benjamin Smiths wife at the mill died about the first of September last aged —			

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births in the town of Hadley 1803

Jan: Pierpont Porter —
 John Hodge —
 [————] Woodward — daugh Sophronia Williams
 Josiah Kellogg
 Feb: 10 Dr. Porter — son
 19 Jedediah Montague — daughter Abigail
 Thomas Dunikan
 March Richard Osburn — X
 Thomas Dunikin
 Abraham Packard
 Jonathan Warner — daugh — Dorothy
 April Andrew Dunnikin —
 May Jonathan White —

July Eleazer Porter —
 Au 17 Coll'l Samuel Porter daugh Eliza
 Charles P. Phelps son — Edward
 Steven Rider
 Widow Achsah Fairbank — son
 Sep. Steven Montague — daugh — Sarah Goodrich
 Elihu Warner — son — Giles
 Nov. Gad Cook — X

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Deaths in the town of Hadley in the year 1803

	year	W	day
Jan: 7 Benjamin Smith a child died —	0	20	
Feb: 9 old Mr. Jonathan Cooks wife died	7-[1]		
March 1 Mathew Cadwell child died —	0	14	
5 Sarah the widow of Elisha Cook died	85		
Ritchard Osburn infant died —			
April 9 old Mr. Johnsons wife at Hockanum died			
May 1 Judge Porters widow died — —	62		
15 Dr. Porter daughter Mary died			
June 13 William Dickinson child died Rosel	1	12	
14 John Montague died — —			
July 21 John Dwight died at Lawyer Porters	19		
August 3 Jabez Fairbanks drowned —	20		
28 Jabez Cook died — —	6		
Sep- [-----] Goodale two children died —			
		Weeks	
		4	
October 14 Nathaniel Kellogg child died			
[-----] Lautridge died			
Nov. Gad Cook child died infant	0	0	—
Dec. 17 old widow Shaduck died at the mills			

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births in Hadley in the year 1804

Feb. 16 Thomas Smith — — X
 Benjamin Smith
 Ap- Windsor Smith — son Frederick
 June Elisha Hubbard —
 July 12 William Dickinson — daughter Dorothy Phelps
 Sep- Ely Smith —
 Dr. Rogers —
 Sylvey White — daughter
 17 Eliakim Smith daug — Penelope Williams
 Oct. John Hodge — —
 Elisha Colt — son Benjamin
 Nov- Elihu Smith —
 Levy Dickinson — son
 John Nash —
 December 11 John Hibbard — son
 10 Erastus Nash — daugh
 John Hopkins — son
 Dr. Porter —
 [In margin] Dan Cook dau

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Deaths in Hadley — 1804

	years	months	days
Feb: Thomas Smith infant died	0	0	
March 31 Old Mr. Hodges wife died	34		
April 1 Daniel Dickinson Jun died	21		
29 Mary Battice died — —			

May 25	Caleb Bartlett died — —	87	3
28	Coll'l Porter babe died Eliza		10
	David Hubbard died	14	5
July 29	Daniel Bartlet Jun child died		
August 15	Elisha Smiths wife died	66	
21	Jedediah Montague daughter		
	Abigail died	1	6
23	Lemuel Warners wife died —	54	9
Sep:- 3	Chiliab Smith died —	53	
	Coll'l Samuel Porter child		
	Sally died	4	8 [P]
	Daniel Marsh child died —	1	6
15	Holcomb Granger child died	1	4
16	Elihu Warner child died	1	6
—	Hair a child died	0	5
	Paul Wright a child died	0	7
20	John Cook child died —	1	5
	John Nash child died — —	1	11
Nov. 23	Orang Warners wife died — —		
Dec: 17	widow Mercy Marsh child died Patty	10	

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Births in the year 1805 — in Hadley

Jan:	Daniel Bartlet —	
	Jason Stockbridge —	
	Stevens Cook — daugh	
	Timothy Hopkins daugh [P] Edwards	
	Steven Belding — daugh —	
	Jonathan White — daugh	
Feb. 18	Abraham Fox — —	
	Josiah Kellogg — son — Josiah	
	Thomas Smith — — — X	
	[] Woodward —	
March-	Edward Kneeland —	
	Jonathan Warner — daugh — Sarah Shipman	
May 4	Daniel Dickinson — — X	
	[] Green — — — X	
	Jedediah Montague	
	Elisha Colt — — —	
June 28	Lawyer Porter son — — X	
	Steven Montague — — X	
July 29	Gad Cook — — Ephraim	
August	Thomas Reynolds — —	
	Jacob Smith — daugh —	
	17 Peircis Morse daugh Dolly	
	Steven Rider —	
	Job Cook —	
Sep:	Dan Cook — son Lummis	
	Elijah White —	
Nov:	Enos Smith Jun son Rosel	
Decem	Windsor Smith —	
	[] Warrin — — — X	
[In margin]	Nathaniel Kellogg — — — X	
	Hosea Grover	

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Deaths in Hadley in the Year 1805

		years	weeks	days
Jan 3	Caleb Stockbridges wife died	29		
15	Pierpont Porter died	29		
Feb. 4	John Cook died	7		
14	Mathew Cadwell child died	1	12	

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Births and Deaths in Hadley, 1794-1816

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24	Gardner Kelloggs wife died	77		
	Thomas Smith infant	0	0	0
May	Daniel Dickinson infant	0	0	0
	[-----] Green infant	0		
June 10	Solomon Cooks wife died	40		
13	Joseph Cook — died	80		
29	Capt Hopkins child died	0	6 months	
29	Lawyer Porter an infant died			1 day
	Steven Montague infant died			
	Lathrop Warner drowned lived Dr. Porters	19		
August 3	Benjamin Kellogg child	1	5	
October 19	Chiliab Smith of Amherst died at Landlord: W			
Nov. 12	Nathaniel Kellogg infant died		3	
20	Moses Porter child died	1		
Decem. 29	[-----] Warrin infant			
30	Mrs. Warrin died			

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Births in Hadley in the year 1806

Janr.	George Hibbard daughter Susanna
	Daniel Gun _____
	Justin Smith _____ X
	Moses Porter — son — Eleazer
Feb.	Erastus Smith _____
March 22	Coll'l Samuel Porter — son Samuel Phillips
	Elihu Peirce
May	Joab Bartlett — daughter
	Caleb Stockbridge son
	Caleb Smith — daughter _____
	Benjamin Kellogg — daughter Sarah
August	Daniel Bartlet Junr _____
	William Dickinson — son Rosel
	John Mills _____
Oct.	William Smith — daugh
	Holcomb Granger _____
Decem 14	Jonathan Warner son — Henery Phelps
	Andrew Dunikin _____
	Elijah Montague _____
	Jason Stockbridge _____
	Steven Montague _____

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1806

		year	W	days
Jan: 18	Pits Boston wife of Joshua Boston died			
25	widow Mary Warner died _____	86	0	0
Feb: 1	Justin Smith infant died _____	0	1	
26	[-----] Hunter child died ten months			
March 15	[-----] Corkins child died boy	14		
April 12	Elisha Colt son died one year five months			
May	Elihu Peirce infant _____			
June 25	Old widow Bartlet died _____	92	nearly	
August 5	Molly Cook (Bill's daughter) died _____			
Oct. 19	David Stockbridge's wife died	53		
Nov: 6	Mr. Jonathan Cook _____	87		
27	Justin Smith child died _____	near 5		

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Births in Hadley in the year 1807

January 3 Erastus Nash — a daughter Martha

David Cook — daughter
 Timothy Hopkins son William Smith
 Feb: Solomon Cook — daugh
 25 Jedediah Montague _____
 March Colmon Cook Junr _____
 William Hodge — daugh — Hanah Hopkins
 Steven Montague — daugh _____
 Edward Kneeland — daugh _____
 April Oliver Smith Junr — daugh
 Eliakim Smith — daugh
 11 John Hopkins — son — Samuel
 May 12 Dr. Porter — son Charles
 Dr. Bell _____
 Elihu Peirce _____
 June 15 Steven Rider _____
 July 13 Otis Brown — daugh _____
 Steven Goodman son
 August Erastus Smith daugh — Catherine Amelia
 Elihu Warner _____
 [_____] Kilburn _____
 John Nash
 Samuel Woodward —
 Sep: Josiah Dickinson —
 22 Enos Smith daughter Mary
 [_____] Fox
 Oct: Steven Belden —
 Nov Elisha Hubbard —
 Joseph Eastman —
 Decem George Hibbard —
 James Cook —
 [In margin] David Smith
 John Hibbard
 Sereno Smith
 Sally Trainer son
 Elijah Nash
 [_____] Hunter
 [_____] Howard
 N. Kellogg
 Chester Hayley
 Elisha Cook Junr
 [_____] Green
 [_____] Clarke
 Tom: Dunikin
 Andrew Dunekin
 Elijah Montague
 Dan Cook, Charles
 Thomas Renolds

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1807

		years	months	days
March	6	Elihu Smiths wife at the Mills died	49	
	7	John Hibbard of the Mills a child died	2	3
April	21	Benjamin Kellogg child died —		8
	26	old Mr. Timothy Hopkins died —	79	
June	9	Timothy Stockwell died —	67	
	21	old Mrs. Gale died		
August	11	Mrs. Carrier died	63	6
	2	David Cook child died —		8
	27	Erastus Nash child died Martha		8
	28	Jonathan Warner son died Henery Phelps		9
	30	Enos Smith Junr child son died	1	10

Sep: 1	Dr. Porter son Charles died	0	near 4
17	William Dickinson son Rosel	1	2
	James Cook — child died	2	0
20	Lemuel Warners wife died	49	5
27	Erastus Nash child died Elizabeth	2	10
	William Dickinson child Dorothy	3	2
October 6	Daniel Dickinson daughter Lucy	10	
	Nathaniel Kellogg infant died	0	1
Decem: 20	Tryphene Cook — died	13	7
December 3	Chester Gaylord child died Belinda	1	3

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Births in Hadley in the Year 1808

Jan.	Moses Porter (Major) daugh: Calvin Marsh son Calvin
June 22	Chester Gaylord son Samuel
July	John Mills —
27	[————] Wilcocks — daugh
21	Dr. Porter
Aug. 5	Jonathan Warner — son Henery Phelps William Dickinson Daughter Elizabeth John Hodge — —
Sep. .	Zadock Lyman — — son Charles William Smith — —
Oct:	William Hodge — — daughter Easter Edwards Seth Clark —
Nov. 4	Erastus Nash — son John Dickinson — Joseph Hooker — —
Dec: 4	Charles Phelps Junr daughter Elizabeth [————] Peas — Daniel Marsh [————] Lyman

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1808

		years	months	days
Jan: 5	Clark a [sic]			
	Abigail Smith at the Mills			
May 29	Major John Smiths wife died	46		
July 22	Deacon Oliver Smith died — —	82		
23	Dr. Porter babe died	0	0	2
August 4	Aaron Peck died —			
15	Paul Wright died —			
Sep.	old Mr. Johnson Hockanumb died			
	Josiah Kellogg daughter died	11		
Decem: 8	Old Mr. Hodge died —	82		
22	Martha Dickinson died —	49		

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Births in Hadley in 1809

Jan: 20	David Cook son Thomas Smith — X
Feb:	Jedediah Montague — Dudley Steven Montague — Elijah Montague — X [————] Plumbly Edward Kneeland Fanny Hair son ———
Feb:	Oliver Smith
March	William Dickinson 3rd ———

May 28 Ely Smith — son John
 Rev. Dan Huntington son John Whiting
 June Elisha Colt — son
 Jacob Smith daugh: Martha
 Caleb Cook —
 Eneas Smith — daugh: hannah
 Elihu Peirce —
 August Almond Cook —
 Sep: 24 Thaddeus Hibbard — daughter
 Oliver Warren — —
 October 1 Eliakim Smith — daugh Eliza
 5 John Hibbard — daugh — Irene
 7 Chester Gaylord — son John
 Elisha Hubbard —
 Nov. 1 Samuel Woodward —
 [Undated] Joseph Eastman — son

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Deaths in Hadley in 1809		year	month	day
Jan -	Thomas Smith infant died			
Feb:	Elijah Montague infant died ———			
April 29	Widow Keziah Cook died	82		
30	[————] Wallis's wife died —			
	John Woods a child died			
June-	Daniel Bartlett Jun son drowned			
11	Ishmael Prut died — a Negro	84		
July 7	Orange Warner died ———	89		
11	Sally Lewis a molatto girl died			
	lived at Capt Hopkins	11		
	General Porter a son died Samuel Phillips	3	5	
Nov. 22	Cato Porter Negro died ———			
Decem. 10	George Andries died — a Dutchman	77	0	
14	Silvester Goodman child still born	0	0	0
29	Elihu Warner child ———	2		

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Births in the Town of Hadley in 1810

Jan: Jonathan White child dead born
 23 George Hibbard — son — Isaiah Washburn
 Levy Dickinson — Junr
 Thomas Smith ——— X
 David Smith ———
 Feb: John Dickinson Junr ———
 March Erastus Smith Junr — daughter Dorythy Williams
 Jonathan Warner — daugh Mary
 April 7 John Hopkins — son Erastus
 Daniel Bartlett Junr ———
 May 15 Coll'l Moses Porter — daughter Lucretia Colt
 John Cook — daughter Elizabeth Smith
 June 1 Calvin Marsh son — Oliver
 Justin Smith — son — Oliver Bliss
 William Dickinson — 3rd
 William Smith daugh — Julia
 July 28 Zadoc Lyman ———
 Nov: Erastus Nash son ———
 [In margin] Dale child son ———

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Deaths in Hadley in 1810		years	m	d
January 1	Elihu Smith daughter Sally —	5	0	0
4	Daniel Marsh —			

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Births and Deaths in Hadley, 1794-1816

29

	Jonathan White child dead born	0	0	0
25	Chester Smith killed with a load of wood	19		
	Thomas Smith infant —	0	0	0
Feb: 8	Joseph Eastman's wife —			
	Elisha Colt child died —	0	8	
May 7	Elihu Smiths wife died —			
June 1	Betsey Dickinson died —			
July 4	Caleb Cook child died			
	Rebekah Smith —	93	3	
	Elisha Smith Smith [!] died	7		
	David Smith child died —			
	Zadoc Lyman child died —			
Sep: 16	Levy Dickinson Junr child died	0	7	
October 5	William Montague — died	20	0	
	Otis Brown son Otis died	1	0	10
	Mary Andries a Duch woman died	88	0	
Nov:	Oliver Smith a child died —	1	8	
	Oliver Gilbert died at the same house	56		
December 1	Joseph Peck died	79	6	
	Betty Carrier died —			
	William White —			

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Births in Hadley in hte year 1811

Jan:	Ely Smith —
	Dr. Bell — two sons —
Feb:	Josiah Smith — daugh —
	Hosea Grovour —
	Edward Kneeland — son Henry
March	Benjamin Kellogg —
	Josiah Kellogg — daugh- Mirah
	Elisha Colt —
	William Dickinson daughter — Caroline
	Jonathan White —
	Sereno Smith —
April	Cotton Nash —
	John Nash —
	Horace Wilcocks —
	Dr. Porter child dead born —
May	Samuel Seymour —
	Jason Stockbridge —
July	Steven Montague — sons Daniel, Nathaniel
	Levy Dickinson — son —
	James Cook —
August 26	Chester Gaylord — daughter
Sep:	Jonathan White — X
	Elihu Peirce —
Oct.	Joseph Hooker —
	Steven Johnson —
	Elisha Cook —
	[—] Warrin —
	Job Cook — son Edwin
	Joab Bartlet
[In margin]	Mr. Fox two sons David & Jonathan

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Deaths in Hadley in 1811

		years	m	days
March 7	Ritchard Kellogg died	22		
March 30	Reverend Dr Hopkins died about 3 —	81	4	
	Dr Porter a child dead born	0	0	0
	Mathew Cadwel child died —	0	11	

July 7	A Mr Bump working at Deacon Smiths died Benjamin Kellogg died — drowned lived at Dr. Porters _____		
	Josiah Smiths child _____ died	0	7
August 13	Mrs Whitney at Hakanum died _____ Mr Gates found dead his neck in the crotch of a tree _____ widow Elizabeth Smith, Deacon Olivers widow died _____		
Sep:	Jonathan Whites babe _____	80	
26	Capt Elisha Dickinson died _____	59	
October 1	[_____] Croset died hired man at Joseph Smiths		
18	Jonathan Whites wife died _____		
Decem: 9	Suca Sumner died _____	2	

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Births in Hadley in the year 1812

Jan:	Jedediah Montague son Edwin
Feb-	George Hibbard — son Willard
March	John Cook — son — Horace Thomas Renolds _____ Daniel Bartlet Jun _____
April 6	Daniel Cook _____ Elijah Nash _____ X
June	David Billings _____ X Enos Smith ju — daughter Delia
July	Moses Porter — daugh Delia Dwight John Hibbard _____ John Mills _____
August 6	Silvester Smith — son Rodney Elisha Clark _____ [_____] Beels _____ Calvin Marsh — son _____ John Hopkins — son — George
Sep:	Thadeus Hibbard — son Erastus Smith — daughter Julian Clark
Oct:	Ephraim Smith — son
[In margin] May,	Will: Smith son Charles Eliiku Smith — daughter Sarah Justin Smith _____ X

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1812

		years	months	d
Feb: 17	Jedediah Smiths wife died			
Jan. 12	Daniel Marsh died _____			
Feb.	William Dickin: 3d— child died	2		
March 22	William Hodge died _____	54		
30	Mrs Renolds died _____			
April 4	Miranda Smith died _____	6	2mos	
5	Eunice Nash of Patrick swamp died _____			
6	Mr Jack Fox child died	7		
26	Anna Chapin died grandmother to Erastus Smith	99	9	3
May	David Billings child died _____			
	Joab Bartlet child died _____		7	3
	Eunice Church died _____			
June	Elijah Nash a child died _____		2	
	Isaiah Carrier died _____			
Au: 19	Chester Gaylords child died _____	71	11	
	Justin Smiths infant died			14

Jonathan Warner is come home well, O Lord may all be for good

Decem: 20 Capt Moses Kellogs wife died _____ 76
27 widow Brooks died _____ 87

Note crossed out on this page reads: "July 16—news came this day that Jonathan Warner of this town who left here 2 years ago last March was drowned in Canada last October—nearly 38 years old when he died"

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Births in Hadley in the year 1813

Jan. Joseph Eastman son _____
Erastus Nash son _____
March 6 Deacon William Dickeson daughter — Dorothy
April 12 Chester Gaylord — daughter
Daniel Cooks — son
May Lewis Marsh _____
Samuel Seymore — daugh
June- Joel Fox _____
Daniel Bartlet _____
Oliver Smith _____
Park Smith — twins — sons
Jacob Smith — son
Israel Gaylord — son
it is said there has been 13 children born this month
Sep: [_____] Coolidge — son — Samuel
19 Elikim Smith daugh: _____ X
Oct Elihu Cook _____
Elihu Smith daughter _____
[In margin] Sylvester G [sic]
Serenio Smith

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Deaths in Hadley in the Year 1813

		years	months	das[P]
Feb:	Samuel Seymour a child died —	1		
	Ebenezer White died at Worthington			
	Electy Mitchel who had lived as a wife to			
	Elijah Nash died —	33	3	
March 6	Samuel Dickinson son of Levy died	16	1	
	Moses Cook died —			
	Samuel Hubbard died —	42		
April 1	[_____] Green died —	35		
	[_____] Bennet died —			
	Hosea Grover daughter died —	2		
	John Mills child drowned —	near 5		
	Elisha Fly child died	near 2		
June	Park Smiths one twin died —			3
Sep:	Eliakim Smith babe died —	0		
Oct.	Park Smiths other twin died —		3 months	
10	Robert Cook died —	32		
Nov: 7	Erastus Nash babe died —			
	[_____] Hunts wife —			
	Joseph Eastmans child died —			
	Elihu Cook a child died —			5 weeks

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Births in Hadley in the year 1814

Sep. 22 Mary Cook an infant
October 6 Dexter Ward daugh: Emily Gaylord
December 1 Silvester Smith son
20 Chester Gaylord son

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1814

			years	m	das
September	9	William Shipman child died —			
	5	Oliver Gylbert died —	4		
	13	John Morrison died —			
	16	Poll Tompson (lived with Boston) died —	64		
Sep.	22	Azariah Dickinsons wife died —	5		
December	4	Charles Phelps died —	68		
	20	Andrew Cook died —	71	4	
			48		

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Births in Hadley in the year 1815

Jan:		Thaddeus Hibbard — daughter —
Feb:		Giles Crouch Kellogg son —
		Eliakim Smith — son
March		Steven Belden daugh:
	20	Minister Mr Woodbridge a daugh
August	25	Deacon Dickinson son — George
December	18	Oliver Warner son —

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1815

			year	week
January	18	Jason Stockbridges wife died		
Feb:	7	Leutenant Enos Smiths wife died		
March	17	Charles Hodge died suddenly — son of widow Hodge son	21	
April	10	Samuel Gaylords wife died —	69	9 mos
	7	John Kimbel a child drowned	7	
May	14	Marrgret Cook died —	28	
		Justin Smith a babe died		
May	28	Rachel White — died	82	
	29	Capt Moses Kellogg died —	81	
		Dolly Warner — died —	0	12
October		Ebenezer Parsons — died —		
Novem	2	Sylvester Smith child died —	0	11 [months]
	10	Cotton Smith a child died —	1	
		Capt Daniel White died —	75	

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Births in Hadley in the year 1816

Mr. Woodbridge a son

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Deaths in Hadley in the year 1816

			year	moths
Feb	28	Henery Dickinson child scalded died		
March	22	old Mr Azariah Dickinson died	82	
May	5	Widow Mabel Hibbard died —	84	
	13	Phillis an old black woman	near 80	
	3	old Mrs Eastman died at Hartford brought to Hadley	83	
	26	[—] Cooliage son died —	2	9
June	10	Samuel Gaylord —	73	
	23	John Shipman child died —		
August	10	widow Sarah Warner died —	39	5
	18	Joshua Ballard died	88	7
		widow Clap died —		
Sep:	19	widow Tabitha Smith died —	66	