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- 16 dragged in the field below the little orchard Toke finished plowing & the dragged fine weather & a fine shower
- 17 Planted better then 1 acre of corn 1 1/2 bushel of thorn prons 1 1/2 of Scotch Orlays & 4 bushel of cups A little shower after sundown
- 18 no Meeting to day heavy rain most of the night & all day
- 19 let the water of the field below the house & the cristes place in the forenoon plowed in the harper field in the afternoon ground very wet
- 20 went to Brocterville & got A box of Potatoes from William Armstrong from Trenton bought 1 barrel of salt 10
- 21 planted 4 bushel of cups the ground too wet Toke plowed I went to Mr Kincaid's his Sister the Widow Ferguson fell from the Scaffold in the Barn & was killed yesterday
- 22 finished plowing the harper & went to the funeral of the Widow Ferguson in caintown the Rev Mr Benning preached
- 23 Sowed 5 bushel of Poll oats from John yonge & 5 bushel of the little oats all in the harper field then planted 5 bushel of cups that we got from J. yonge then 1 bushel of round cups then 1/2 bushel of whole thorn prons 2 rows each & 1 bushel of cut thorn prons the spee Scotch grayes  
1 bushel of in remaining first row 4 sets in hill second row 3 sets in hill
- 24 then some purple 2 bushel Marino 2 bushel cups  
30 1/2 bushel of Potatoes in all
- 25 the Rev Mr preached in caintown
- 26 painted The Buggy
- 27 fixed wrons on the Buggy
- 28 went to charlestown with 40 flour barrels left them at the mills for fine rain in the forenoon
- 29 went to John yonges & helped him to plow
- 30 hard frost this morning the ice as thick as a at cappers on the trough that we watered the house
- 31 planted corn at J. yonges in the forenoon came home in the afternoon