

Farming utensils &c

Some stock to place on the farm, and also a quantity of provisions" which they shipped to place of destination. (This was probably Choteau's Landing, where Kansas City, Mo., now stands) They had employed Moses Pearson and wife of West ~~Branch~~ Branch, as Superintendents. for the term of two years ^(they remained three years) to take charge of the school establishment. Also Mary H. Stanton as an assistant in the family for one year and a month friend for a few months as a Teacher. This month friend was Elias Newby. A deputation was appointed by our acting Committee to visit the establishment about the time of the arrival of our Superintendents, and to render them such advice and assistance as they might be able to do. They went by water and arrived about five days after the Superintendents. Nothing is said of the way the Superintendents' family and assistants went. The company consisted of Moses and Sarah Pearson, their five children, the oldest in her 13th year, the youngest in his 3rd year, Mary H. Stanton and Elias Newby; four grown persons and five children. They made the trip in a two horse wagon. Leaving their home in Miami County, Ohio, they went to Maysville, then the headquarters of the Indiana Com. to receive their ^{final} instructions, and to take on Mary H. Stanton. Then on to Walnut Ridge Rush County, Ind., past Richmond, where there was a waiting of several days for Elias Newby to get ready for the trip. Then a fine week's trip across Indiana, Ill. and Missouri. The Receipts and Expenditures from Nov. 6, 1837, for the year were as follows:

Receipts

Balance on Settlement of last year	\$ 403.07½
Dr. John Withnault's donation	2558.96
From Friends in Baltimore	30.00
A Friend of Meane Quarter	10.00
From Friends of Ohio Yearly Meeting	434.96
Expenditures	\$3436.19½

Salary of Superintendents & assistants, traveling expenses & freight	956.00
Wagon, horse, harness & money on hands of Superintendents	830.71
Balance on house building	400.00
Household & Kitchen Furniture, farming utensils & provisions	1041.00
	8027.71
Balance on Treasury	408 48½ 3436.19½

The receipts for the year 1838 including the last year balance was \$2376.17 of this \$1536.19 was the donation from Friends in England, \$252.81 from Friends in Ind. Y.M. and \$230 on sale of property at the old Establishment.

In the report in 1839 on account of the reduced condition of funds "a deputation of the Com. was appointed to confer with the Committee of Baltimore and Ohio, at the time of Ohio Y.M. at Mt. Pleasant, and by the report of that Com., it appears that their joint deliberations resulted in proposing to the several Yearly Meetings engaged in the concern to raise funds in order to enable our Committee to persevere in this interesting work, which proposition was aided with by Ohio Y.M. and the sum of \$496 was raised by that meeting, which the deputation of our Committee conveyed to our Treasurer. Ind. Y.M. that year decided \$600 raised for the Indian work."