

## Pears

1747 April 10 (Friday). Ebenezer a.m. graffing Pear Cyons in Apple Stocks, but the Trees rather too forward, as is all Nature. Every Thing wondrously putting out. God's name be prais'd who pitys His People, and in the Middst of wrath remembers Mercy!

1749 March 16 (Thursday). [Concord.] Visited Mr. Whiting, and Captain Peter Prescott -- din'd with the Latter -- brought from him the works of Machiavell -- also a Number of Roots, Cyons and Branches to propagate Mullberry Trees, and Pear Trees etc.

1766 May 1 (Thursday). N.B. Mr. Benjamin How yesterday (except Lecture Time) and to Day a.m. graffed for me. The Cyons were from Neighbour Nathan Maynards, Beetons (among which 6 of pears), Deacon Tainters, Mr. Ezekiel *Smiths* -- and Some from my own Tree of Sir Harry Franklands Fruit.