
1859

Saturday, December 31, 1858 I arose at Bro. Jesse Harritt's, where I had lodged. He came from Coal's about 10:00. I left Harritt's after dinner, and went via Salem and S. Painter's to Claigett's. Rev. Jer. Kenoyer preached at Childers' Sch. H. Ps. 50:1-6, but was away Sun.

January 1, 1859 I went to Quarterly meeting at School-house in Mrs. Childers' neighborhood. I lodged at Mrs. Childers'. I saw Mr. Cone's.

Sunday, January 2 I preached at the School-house, Ps. 50,2. I dined at Goddel's and staid at William Case's.

Monday, January 3 I started home by the way of Parkersville. I passed Sappingfield's, and lodged at James Campbell's. His pronunciation of whiskey was "viskey." We talked of College matters. He told of Howel's theft.

Tuesday, January 4 I came to Sublimity, and opened school with about thirty-three scholars. I boarded with John Denny's. He was old now, and nearly blind. He was twelve years a senator in Illinois legislature, from Knox County, and was nominated for Governor in Oregon But he withdrew for reasons. I received a letter from my brother Harvey, and I read Senator Seward's speech [sic].

Wednesday, January 5 The school increased to about forty-five scholars, at Sublimity College. I visited at Rev. McMillin's, Camb. Pres. I read Senator Crittenden's speech on the Lecompton Constitution. Mr. Denny gave account of the comparative influence of slaveholders and non-slaveholders in Congress.

Thursday, January 6 We had school as usual, and prayer meeting as usual.

Saturday, January 8 I went to the Baptist meeting and heard Rev. Wilmot preach, Hebr. 1st Chapter. A Mr. Star, of Cambridge, Indiana, came after meeting. The Executive Committee of Sublimity College convened. Mr. David Hubbard staid with us, at John Denny's. (Star proved a bad egg, there, & in Indiana.)

Sunday, January 9 I went to Condit's Presbyterian Church, 5 miles south-west, and preached, Matt. 5.8. I dined at Silvanus Condit's. I came back to William Pierson's and lodged.

Monday, January 10 I met Solomon Alberson, and had a talk on Liquor Dealing. He favored it. He was a great blow. I got my mail including letters.

Tuesday, January 11 The President's Message came, and I read part of it.

Wednesday, January 12 Prayer meeting at the College. I as usual attended it.

Thursday, January 13 Dr. Adair had emgaged a Singing School, and we met for it. He uses round notes. He is a physician. He gave an introductory lecture.

Friday, January 14 We had spelling as usual in the afternoon, and essay, etc. "Sublimity," Gabriel's, Morris's, Lewis McMillin fails on address. Modest. I lecture at night, on Dress, Cleanliness, Economy.

Saturday, January 15 I hauled up from Hadley Hobson's, my oats, and trunk, to John Denny's, my present boarding place.

Sunday, January 16 Rev. Jer. Kenoyer is lame and his family sick; so I preached, Gal. 2.20. Mr. Star's family came. I preached at night, Acts 5.20.

Tuesday, January 18 I called at Father Gabriel Brown's. I lodged at Jer. Kenoyers.

Wednesday, January 19 I attended prayer meeting at College.

Thursday, January 20 In our second singing, we practice on rounds on the scale. Silas Williams got a joke on himself. (I forget it.)

Friday, January 21 Few declaimed in the afternoon. At night Rev. J.B. Lichtenthaler preached, John 1.8,9.

Saturday, January 22 I went to the Woods appointment. I saw Zink and young Woods, and Enoch Garrison. I showed James Wood how to cipher.

Sunday, January 23 I preached at Woods, Matt 5.8. I saw Ervine, Hall, Poly Jr., Helms etc. I arrived at home after seven.

Monday, January 24 The School attendance was to over fifty. David Hubbard with us.

Tuesday, January 25 Our horses are gone. I have letters from Susan, J.B. Ervin, and D.K. Flickinger. Called at Star's timeshop.

Wednesday, January 26 Rev. Thomas Small's appointment. Prayer meeting, eve. but few out.

Thursday, January 27 West came, also Rev. A. Bennett. We have singing school.

Friday, January 28 There was a candle scrape, and a fight and some swearing. Rev. Alex. Bennett lodged with me.

Saturday, January 29 I went with Bennett, to Gabriel Brown's (now in town) and to Rev. M.M. Crow's, and lodged at William Pierson's south-west of town.

Sunday, January 30 Rev. Thomas Small preached Acts 2:15, and dined with us. He is a Cumberland Presbyterian. I visited Rev. Jer. Kenoyer's; and I preached at night, Ps. 84.11. I was exceedingly happy. Fell.

Monday, January 31 I wrote a letter for Father Denny. I went to Gabriel Brown's and wrote letters. Lodged there.

Tuesday, February 1 I sent five letters: Ervin, ———, Wm. Wright, Ezra ———, Susan Koerner. [Lines appear in text]

Wednesday, February 2 There was prayer meeting at night. Revs. Berkley, Kenoyer and Crow attend. I called at Mr. Brook's, a M.E. Silas Williams lodged with me.

Thursday, February 3 We had singing, and Dr. Adair lodged with me. James Brown, the farmer, who married Miss Evans, son of Gabriel, agrees to withdraw from the Church. There were James Brown, the farmer, and James Brown, the merchant.

Friday, February 4 I miscomprehend some writing on the blackboard, and comment on it severely. "A gentleman on his feet is higher than a gentleman on his knees." Harvey Rudolph confessed writing it; and I confessed to having misunderstood it! On my way to James Campbell's, in the evening I got lost. I found the way at last. Sister Campbell is sick.

Saturday, February 5 I start to French Prairie. I saw an eagle and a deer, on the way; I also saw ducks. I reach Case's, and lodged at Mrs. Childers.

Sunday, February 6 I went to J.B. Lichtenthaler's and joined in marriage Mr. Morrow and Rebec[c]a Lichtenthaler, Rev. J.B.'s daughter. I preached at the school-house, at 11:00, Ps. 84.11. I started in the afternoon to Sublimity, rode with a Frenchman on the way. I reached James Campbell's at 10:00.

Monday, February 7 I went to Denny's. Mrs. Parker vis-

ited us. Jerome Grear and McMillin Jr. visited us, and lodged. I wrote a letter to J.C. Latimer for Father Denny.

Wednesday, February 9 Prayer meeting, and Rev. Berkley attended. I wrote till after midnight, a letter to Susan Koerner.

Thursday, February 10 Mrs. Brooks visits us. Father Denny jokes me about my return to the States.

Friday, February 11 Elder David Hubbard supped with us. There was singing-School at night.

Saturday, February 12 I attended the Baptist Monthly meeting. Rev. Berkley preached Rom. 12.1. I started on M.M. Crow's horse for Wood's appointment. Being belated, I staid at Nigh's.

Sunday, February 13 I went on to Wood's, and preached, Matt. 7.13,14. I returned and in meeting we had a warm time in prayer.

Monday, February 14 Nothing special occurred only I forgot the school-house door. I wrote till midnight.

Tuesday, February 15 Received the Salem "Argus," and read most of it. Saw Mr. Newsom's letter in the Statesman. "Conservatives." Saw a satire on free whiskey. I wrote late.

Wednesday, February 16 Nothing very especial occurs. Cornelius and Wadle came and asked me how much 5 1/2 X 5 1/2 make. I answered 30 1/4.

Friday, February 18 Afternoon, we had the usual exercises in school. Newton Parker and Amanda Parker visit us at Denny's. Dr. Adair lodged with me.

Saturday, February 19 I went across the Santiam River and called at Zevely's. I dined at James Williams: Children James, Mary Jane, Elizabeth, Martha. I preached at 2 o'clock, Ps. 84.11, spoke long and good liberty. Staid at Dillon Hoskins.

Sunday, February 20 I preached at Irvine's Sch. house, Bro. Miller, whose appointment it was, not being there, Matt. 7.13,14. I had good liberty. I dined at Irvine's.

Wallace Hurlburt and Senaca Caston came. Hurlburt preached at night, "To seek and save." It was rainy and few were out. I stay at Irvine's.

Monday, February 21 I preach, at Elias Forqua's, on Baptism, I Pet 3.21. I baptize 5 persons, some Dillon Hoskin's girls. We had a warm meeting. I dined at Wesner's, children Henry, E. Ann, etc. I got back to Sublimity, just before the School closed. I mailed a letter to Susan and one to the Telescope.

Tuesday, February 22 School as usual. The mail brings a letter from Wm. & one from Susan. There was a prayer meeting.

Wednesday, February 23 Glover and Virgil Newsome were excused for attending a ball, Morris was suspended for two days, and others were notified to give answer.

Thursday, February 24 The boys trial for attending the ball. Four are suspended for two weeks. Coons came in the evening and jawed. I went to Hadley Hobson's and talked with him. I staid at his house.

Friday, February 25 We had school. Ex. Committee met at night. They sustain my Discipline. Morgan Rudolph gave his opinion favorable to me, So Denny, Hubbard, Berkley, McMillin, Hobson and Albertson were against me. Preston Glover is called to account and is expelled. (When converted, he greatly desired my forgiveness. Freely granted.)

Saturday, February 26 I went to Albertson's Store. Peyton Glover came in and cursed me. (I did not inform on him, as he had thought). I saw Adair and Berkley. I read Susan's letters. I called at Kenoyer's. There is egg-roasting at College.

Sunday, February 27 I heard Prof. Hoyt preach, Luke 12.40. Rev. Mr. Lewis is with him. (He, Hoyt, was, years later, the editor of the *Western Christian Advocate*, when I heard him again.)

Monday, February 28 There were forty-seven in School to-day. Brooks and two or three others try to talk across the room. At night, there was a debate on Dancing. I ironically defended it.

Tuesday, March 1 I got a letter from W.H. Chandler. I called at Brown's and lodged at Wm. Pearson's.

Wednesday, March 2 Mr. Kirk came to board at Denny's. John Greenstreet calls on us. Rev. Berkley leads the prayer meeting this evening.

Thursday, March 3 The girls refuse to sweep the house at School—a trick. Ballou curses those who oppose the regulations of the College.

Saturday, March 5 Quarterly Meeting. Rev. P.C. Parker preached at 11:00, Prov. 23.23. We had a good time. Quarterly Conference in Aftern. Rev. Jer. Kenoyer preached at night, Rom. 12.1. Parker lodged with me.

Sunday, March 6 We had a love-feast—a happy time. Parker preached. Happy time, afternoon at lovefeast. Silas Williams happy. Parker pr. at night. I dine at Lowe's. Lodge at G. Brown's.

Monday, March 7 Rev. P.C. Parker leaves us.

Thursday, March 10 I ask the Scholars' leave of absence, and go to G.W. Hunts and lodge.

Friday, March 11 I borrow Hunt's young horse, but give out going to Rock Hill, south of Lebanon. Miss Condit and the Miss Pearsons, visit us.

Saturday, March 12 I change my mind and start to Rock Hill. I called an hour at Harriet Helms, in Lebanon. I fix her sewing machine. I pr. Rom. 6.14. Lodge at Gallaher's.

Sunday, March 13 I preach Gal. 2:20. Dine at Hiram Jackson's. Pr. 2 Cor. 4.3. Lodge at A.J. Richardson's.

Monday, March 14 I, with Wallace Hurlburt go to Wm. Pearson's at Sublimity. Lodge there.

Tuesday, March 15 I get a letter from Lewis Mobley, who tries to make me believe that Susan was caring for another man, but I knew he was treacherous. I went to G.W. Hunt's and lodged

Wednesday, March 16 We had school as usual. Wallace

Hurlburt preached at College at night. I lodged at Rev. M.M. Crow's, in town.

Thursday, March 17 We had Singing School at night. I lodge at Pearson's with Hurlburt.

Friday, March 18 Hurlburt starts over the Santiam. The Quarterly Meeting, M.E. Church, commences at the College. M.M. Crow preached.

Saturday, March 19 Elder [blank] Wilber pr. 11, Isa. 41.10. I exhorted. Rev. Taylor pr. at night, "Crying aloud." Rev. Ellis exhorted. I attended the meeting.

Sunday, March 20 Lovefeast in which Wilber and Crow gave striking experiences. Eld. Wilbur preached "born again," and sacrament followed. I called at Star's in the afternoon. Fletcher Denny pr. "Day of his wrath." Rev. 6.19.

Tuesday, March 22 Morgan Rudolph calls. I got a letter from Rev. T.J. Connor. Alberson, as wise as Solomon, talks on a platform & the admission of Oregon.

Wednesday, March 23 Mr. Benson called to-day at Mr. John Denny's. There is prayer meeting. I wrote a dialogue, to be acted at Sublimity, at the close of the term, by the girls.

Thursday, March 24 I lent James D. Brown, Merchant at Sublimity, Fifty Dollars. He is not a relative of Gabriel Brown.

Friday, March 25 I settled with J. Glover \$1.50 for services as assistant teacher, and (\$2.00) as a substitute. I went to James Campbell's and lodged.

Saturday, March 26 I went on to Salem, put up horses (M.M. Crow's and mine) at Samuel Pentar's, crossed the Willamette with Paynter in a skiff, to a quarterly meeting held by Rev. P.C. Parker at Harritt's. I preached at night, Rom. 6.14. Lodged at Harritt's.

Sunday, March 27 Rev. P.C. Parker preached at 11 o'clock, Prov. 23.23, "Buy the truth." Communion followed. I crossed the river with Penter, in Chitwood's canoe, and dined. I rode to James Campbell's. His chil-

dren: Price, Finley, Virginia, and Susan. Heavy show had melted.

Monday, March 28 Finley Campbell took me to Sublimity. I lodged at Hon. John Denny's.

Tuesday, March 29 It was mail day from the States, and I received a letter from brother Harvey. In the evening, we practise [sic] on my dialogue.

Wednesday, March 30 I was at prayer-meeting at night.

Thursday, March 31 David Hubbard, M.M. Crow, and I go to Hadley Hobson's, and I had a talk with him. He was hostile and obdurate, as these brethren adjudged. David Hubbard lodged with me.

Friday, April 1 Newson's close and exhibition (?). Dr. Adair lodged with me.

Saturday, April 2 I wrote letters to Harvey and William Wright and to my father and mother. I staid at home.

Sunday, April 3 I preach at Sublimity 1 Cor. 13.13. Read Miller dines with me [and] Rector Campbell. I visit Gabriel Brown's. Read Miller leads pr. meeting.

Monday, April 4 Miss Newsom visits us. I had a practicing exhibition in the evening.

Tuesday, April 5 The Sons of Temperance had the Installation of Officers, and Rev. Thos. Small delivered a lecture. I heard one talk very largely about What a transformation the Sons of Temperance had affected at Sublimity!

Wednesday, April 6 Prayer Meeting as usual.

Friday, April 8 This day closed my teaching in Oregon. We had examinations in the day and an exhibition at night. Rev. Matoon, a Baptist, was present. Alphin, and G. Patton. My dialogue went off well. *Mary J. Williams excelled on "Sorrow for the Dead." Palmer, Virgil Newsom, and Louis McMillin had farewell addresses. Charles Jones did well. *Probably at another date.

Sunday, April 10 I walked to Condit's Church, and

preached from Ps. 84.11. I dined at the widow Condit's. In afternoon, I attended the Presbyterian Prayer Meeting, and commented on the Lord's prayer. Lodged at Silvanus Condit's. The widow's husband was a Presbyterian preacher.

Monday, April 11 Silvanus and Cyrenius Condit each gave me gold as presents. I went back to William Pierson's and saw them start back to move beyond Corvallis. I carried a box of books up to Denny's. I mailed a letter to Susan, and one to Sarah Harris. I had a talk with Alberson.

Tuesday, April 12 I call at James Brown's (the farmer's), to see Robert Newel, who is sick. I dine at Casper Rudolph's. David Hubbard comes and I go with him to Brooks' and Gabriel Brown. No mail. I lodge with Geo. W. Husitt's.

Wednesday, April 13 I came home (to John Denny's) by Jer. Kenoyer's. I am auditing my accounts. Mrs. Berkley visits us. Prayer Meeting. I lodge at home.

Thursday, April 14 The College Board meets. A committee on Rules is appointed. I sup at Gabriel Brown's. I lodge at D. Hubbard's.

Friday, April 15 The Board, having referred the rules to a special committee, takes action on its report. Solomon alberson is displeased, and resigns from the Board. The Board is instructed its Executive Committee to reemploy me as the teacher.

Saturday, April 16 I went over the Santiam to Scio. I rode with Rev. McMillin (Cumberland Presbyterian) part of the way. I dined at Miller's supped at Samuel Fleenor's. I pr. at night I Cor. 13.13. Staid with Connor, at Fleenor's.

Sunday, April 17 We had a speaking meeting in the morning. Rev. T.J. Connor pr. at 11 o'cl. Sister Griffon's funeral, 2 Samuel 14.14. Dined at Wood's. I preach at night, Phil. 3.3. Thus there were three sermons in succession with the chapter and verse the same, all unnoticed till afterward. Six joined the Church: Sisters Miller, Connor, and Flenor, Litel, and Samuel Fleenor, Jr. Staid at Wood's a merchant, in Scio.

Monday, April 18 Met T.J. Connor at Oley Hanson's. We came to Osborn's, blacksmith in Scio. Rev. w. Hurlburt pr. at night, Luke 10.42. Lodged at Osborn's.

Tuesday, April 19 I went to Samuel Fleenor's, and thence to Miller's, where I dined, we went on to Rev. McMillin's, where I lodged.

Wednesday, April 20 I went on to Sublimity. I called a few minutes at James Brown's. I hear that John Dicken's horses broke through the bridge at D.S. Stayton's. Prayer meeting. I lodged at Jer. D. Brown's.

Thursday, April 21 I spent some time recording in Qr. Conference record. I dined at M.M. Crow's, and lodged at Jer. Kenoyer's.

Friday, April 22 I went to farmer James Brown's to supper. Mrs. Evans, his motherinlaw, had a tooth drawn. I lodged at Denny's.

Saturday, April 23 I went to Mr. Hause's and dined. Then to Read Miller's, where I lodged.

Sunday, April 24 I remain at Miller's. I visit Drinkwater's. At prayer meeting, at 4:00. Lodged at [blank]

Monday, April 25 I came back to town and call at James D. Brown's. I dine at Gabriel Brown's. Lodged probably at Denny's.

Tuesday, April 26 I received a letter from Susan and one from A. Kennett. I went to Coy's and lodged.

Wednesday, April 27 I came home by where George W. Hunt worked and went on to John C. Rudolph's, where I lodged.

Thursday, April 28 I went home. Father Denny came home from Salem. I remain there.

Friday, April 29 I visit Jer. Kenoyer's and go thence home, where I drink teas, take a sweat and remain.

Saturday, April 30 Rev. McMillin's called in. I was quite unwell, and staid at home.

Sunday, May 1 Rev. Berkley preached for me, "Of whom I am chief." I exhorted from "The time is short." Hadley Hobson and family sent me a note saying they withdrew from the Church, which I read publicly.

Monday, May 2 I am at home. I lodged at Rev. Berkley's. I am quite unwell.

Tuesday, May 3 James Campbell called at the door. I stay at home, considerably unwell.

Wednesday, May 4 I went to Jer. Kenoyer's and thence to George W. Hunt's, where I lodge.

Thursday, May 5 I return to town via Jer. Kenoyer's. I help him fix his books. I borrow a horse at Henry Foster's, and stay at Gabriel Brown's.

Friday, May 6 I start to Corvallis, but meet Wm. Pierson's and Cooper's, and send my horse back, and go in a buggy to Miller's near Alphin's Ferry.

Saturday, May 7 I call at Harrington's, dine at Price Fuller's, trade at Corvallis and lodge at Pierson's.

Sunday, May 8 I started to King's Valley, but did not go on account of rain. Sisters Mason and Peter came. I lodged at Pierson's.

Monday, May 9 I went to T.J. Connor's, where P.C. Parker came. I saw C.W. Witt. I recorded in the conference journal.

Tuesday, May 10 I went to Rev. Caswell W. Witt's, after recording awhile in the journal. I went back and lodged at Connor's.

Wednesday, May 11 W.H. Daugherty came, and N.W. Allen and Canady. I went to G.W. Bethers. Oliver Brewer and Rev. C.B. Masters came.

Thursday, May 12 An. Conference convened at the New Church-house. Caswell Witt and William Hendrickson joined conference. I sup at Bales' and lodge at S.K. Brown's, my Conf. home.

Friday, May 13 The committee on Course of Reading

met. N.W. Allen and Wallace Hurlburt joined Conference. I sup at Bales'.

Saturday, May 14 The conference received James Connor and Levi M. Sallee. The committee on Finance reported. T.J. Connor and Jer. Kenoyer were elected presiding elders. Wm. Kendrickson preached at night. I lodged at S.K. Brown's, my house.

Sunday, May 15 Rev. W.H. Daugherty preached the didication sermon of the Church "Praise God in his sanctuary," Ps. 150.1. T.J. Connor at 3 o'cl., preached Conference sermon, "Contend earnestly for the faith," Jude 3, verse [blank]. I preached at night, "They that be whold need not a physician, but," Matt. 9.12.

Monday, May 16 Conference continues. Rev. C.B. Masters preached at 11:00. We adjourned about 6:00, and Jer. Kenoyer preached at School-house at night from Revelation. I was very happy. I stay at G.M. Bethers.

Tuesday, May 17 I spent the day at T.J. Connor's recording the minutes in Conf. Journal. Harritt's and Daugherty's are with us, at Connor's. I wrote to Susan. I had been appointed to Calipooia Mission.

Wednesday, May 18 I go with W.H. Daugherty to Peter Mason's and to Wm. Pearson's. I return to Mason's. I had borrowed Pearson's dun horse.

Thursday, May 19 I went to William Wyatt's and see Brother Williams' who had been much hurt. I go by A. Bennett's and T.J. Connor's to Caswell W. Witt's. I lodged at Connor's.

Friday, May 20 I went to Alex. Bennett's and dine, and return to T.J. Connor's. I met Evans. I cut stove-wood. I had a talk with James Connor, Connor's adopted son.

Saturday, May 21 I went over to Michael Crow's at Knox Bute, where Hurlburt preached at 4:00. We stay at Crow's. Seattle and his wife were there.

Sunday, May 22 I preached at the school-house, "Enoch the seventh from Adam prophecied." Jude 14 verse, my first sermon on Calipooia Mission. I dined at Young

Miller's, Rev. T.J. Connor preached at 4:00, from "They took knowledge of them" etc. Acts. 4.13. I lodge at Crow's.

Monday, May 23 I go to Sublimity. Dine at Casper Rudolph's. Get a letter from Susan. Call at Kenoyer's. I go to James Campbell's and lodge there with Wallace Hurlburt's (Allen D.)

Tuesday, May 24 Hurlburt and I go to John Hunt's. We call at George W. Hunt's, and at Jer. Kenoyer's. I go to Davies'. I lodged at Henry Foster's. I got a letter from William Wright.

Wednesday, May 25 I call at Gabriel Brown's in Sublimity. I got a letter from Cousin Sarah Wright. I fix up things. I call at John Hunt's (Senior) at Brooks', and go to Samuel Fleenor's by way of Rev. McMillin's.

Thursday, May 26 I went on to Lebanon, and stop at Cousin Harriet M. Helm's till evening. I lodge at Peterson's.

Friday, May 27 I went to Hiram Jackson's by way of Michael Ward's and the school-house. Dine at Jackson's. I go on to David Simons' and see Warren Cranston. I lodged at Simonds'.

Saturday, May 28 I am at David Simons. I call at Emmet Simon's. Smith and Lovell call.

Sunday, May 29 I preach at 11 o'cl. Ps. 84.11. I go to Rock Hill School-house, and preach, Ps. 50.2. I lodged at Hiram Jackson's, where I was invited to make my home. She was a sister to Mr. Drain, an intelligent, motherly woman, whose daughter Mary is the wife of Wallace Hurlburt. Their twin sons are Harrison and Tyler. I lodged there to-night.

Monday, May 30 I wrote in the forenoon. In the afternoon, I went to Lebanon, and heard Mr. Adams, editor of the *Statesman*, and Mr. Mack make speeches. I staid at second-cousin Harriet Helm's.

Tuesday, May 31 I called at Father Gallaher's, and dined. I go to Michael Ward's, and thence to Hiram Jackson's. There I find Wallace Hurlburt. I lodge at Jackson's.

Wednesday, June 1 I write in the forenoon. I went to Alfred Wheeldon's and dined. I went to Bogg's school-house, and thence to Fauring's, where I lodge.

Thursday, June 2 I go to H. Jackson's and write sketches of sermons, and record them. I dined, supped, and lodged there. Race after the sheep.

Friday, June 3 I go to Simons' to dinner. I preach at Bogg's School-house at 4 o'clock, Hebr. 3.7,8. I lodge at Cochran's.

Saturday, June 4 Rev. W. Hurlburt preached at 11 o'clock, I dine at Fauring's. I go and preach at Knox Butte, Rom. 6.14. I return and lodge at Fauring's.

Sunday, June 5 Rev. Mr. Miller preached 11, from Isaiah; W. Hurlburt followed Rom. 2. I dine at Cochran's, and preach at 4, Luke 19.27. Two came forward for prayers. It was a weeping and rejoicing time. I lodged at Cochran's.

Monday, June 6 I borrow a horse, and go with Hurlburt to Corvallis, where I dine at Joshua Mason's, with W.H. Daugherty. I go with him to his house. We lodge at Wm. Pearsons.

Tuesday, June 7 In the afternoon I visit Sister Mason, and L.M. Sallies, where I had supper. Return to Pearson's and lodge with C.

Wednesday and Thursday, June 8 & 9 Went with Daugherty by a bridle trail to Alsea Valley. We ascended, sometimes, steeply above tall tree top after tall tree tops till we reached the summit of the way; and then descended in like manner till we came to a small stream, on which a white fir tree, by fair measurement 31 feet in circumference [sic], and at least over 200 feet high. We reached Alsea Valley, about six sections of land, rich and level surrounded with mountains, a small river running through it, and the way to the ocean very difficult. There was no wagon way to it, tho one, a rough way, has since been opened. There were about six families living in this valley at that time. They packed over the pieces of wagons and other machines and set them up. The grass was tall and the river sparkling. At the salmon season, the river would be crowded by the salmon pushing through

from the ocean. A man could stand at a raffle with a hoe, and soon lift out a barrell [sic] of fine fish. Four of the families were professors of religion, and at Mr. Hayden's, we had meeting next day at 11 o'clock. I preached 1 Pet. 4.18, with liberty, and the man and his wife and half-grown daughter came forward for prayers. It was a melting time. We returned across the mountains in the afternoon to Rev. Daugherty's. Mother Mason, who buried her husband on the way to Oregon, was at Alsea, visiting her daughter, Mrs. McCormack, where we lodged.

Friday, June 10 I went to Connor's and thence to Father Abraham Hurlburt's, where Salee was, and we lodged there. Several preachers, at conference had agreed to hold meeting here at this time. Daugherty had promised to come, if I went to Alsea. It was at the Sch. H.

Saturday, June 11 I preached at Sch. House at 11 o'clock Ps. 84.11, with liberty. Daugherty preached at 4 o'clock, "My yoke is easy," Matt. 11.40. It was an affecting time. Two asked for prayers. I dined at Miller's and lodged at Hurlburt's.

Sunday, June 12 T.J. Connor preached, at 11:00, "Kingdon of God is preached" Luke 16.16 (Since John). I preach at 12 o'clock, Ps. 50.2. Levi M. Sallee preached at night, "The end of all things is at hand." 1 Pet. 4.7. I dined at Peter Sayers', stay there later.

Monday, June 13 Rev. T.J. Connor preached at Miller's at 11, "The sting of death is sin," 1 Cor. 15.56. I received 4 whole members and two seekers. I pr. at 4, 1 Pet. 4.18, at Sch. H., I lodge at Sayers.

Tuesday, June 14 Seekers' meeting at Sayer's. Four are converted. Hurlburt pr. at 4, Jas. 1. We organize a class of 13. I lodged at Hurlburt's.

Wednesday, June 15 I get quick breakfast at Peter Sayers, go to T.J. Connor's, and get out Cochran's mare, dine at Joshua Mason's, and go on to Deckard's, where Hurlburt preaches, Rom. 1.16. I lodge at Cochran's.

Thursday, June 16 Meeting at Cochran's. I preach Matt. 7.13,14. I go to Rock Hill and Pr. 1 Cor. 13.13. I lodge at H. Jackson's.

Friday, June 17 I go to Alfred Whealdon's. I met Hurlburt on the Prairie. I called at Smeltzer's. I dine at Leonard's. I preach at 5, Acts. I go on to Ward's.

Saturday, June 18 I go to Pollards by way of Lebanon. I see father McKinney. I dine at Mrs. Helm's. I preach at Richard Pollard's, 1 Cor. 13.13. I stay at Samuel Fleenor's with Wallace Hurlburt.

Sunday, June 19 I preach at Scio, at 11 o'clock 1 Tim. 2.6. I preach at 4, Jude 14 verse. I lodged at Rev. James Connor's. Joseph Connor had a question in mathematics.

Monday, June 20 I go to Scio and get my horse shod by Osborn, \$1.00. I call at Monkis's. Joseph Crank is badly hurt by his horses running away. His talk was like that of a saint. It vanished at the return of his health. I go on to Sublimity, and lodge at John Denny's. Mr. Clingman is teaching is Sublimity.

Tuesday, June 21 I went to David Hubbard's, Gabriel Brown's, Hadley Hobson's and Coy's. I lodged at Coy's.

Wednesday, June 22 I go to Hobsons. I get a note. I go to James Campbell's with Father Denny. Fix the needle in sewing machine. I lodge at Jesse Harritts.

Thursday, June 23 I return, afternoon to James Campbell's with Bro. Harritt's. Wallace Hurlburt there. Jer. Kenoyer comes.

Friday, June 24 Carry the mail on to Sublimity. I go to Coffeis, call at Condit's, go on to Michael Crow's, at the Butte, arriving at dark.

Saturday, June 25 I remain at Crows. We salt the cattle afternoon.

Sunday, June 26 I preach at Knox Butte at 11 o'clock. I preach at Albany at 4, 1 Tim. 2.6. I lodged at Mr. Beach's, Mr. George Mills.

Monday, June 27 I voted and went on to Bogg's Sch. house. Simons. I dine at Smeltzer's. I lodge at Emet Simon's.

Tuesday, June 28 I go to Wheaton's and dine. I see Laimebarger's. I preach Matt. 16.26. I go on to Alfred Wheeler's and lodge.

Wednesday, June 29 I went by way of H. Jackson's and Ward's to Lebanon. I attend the singing at the Academy. I lodge at my Cousin Helm's.

Thursday, June 30 My horse limps somewhat. I go to Jesse Harritt's and find Jer. Kenoyer and his wife there. I lodge there.

Friday, July 1 I go on to Campmeeting, South Yamhill. I preach at 5, 1 Thes 4.3. Rev. Levi M. Salee preached at night.

Saturday, July 2 Jer. Kenoyer preached at 11:00, "Yoke of bondage; Gal. 5.1. Rev. Flynn pr. at 4, Hurlburt at night "Worship God." Rev. 22.9.

Sunday, July 3 Jer. Kenoyer pr. at 11, "Time shall be no longer." Rev. 10.6. I pr. at 1:00, "The fool hath said in his heart," Ps. 14.1. Sacrament at sunset. Wallace Hurlburt exhorts so earnestly.

Monday, July 4 Lovefeast meeting. Wallace Hurlburt preaches, "Except your righteousness exceed." Matt. 5.20. Rev. Taylor pr. at 3. I pr. at night, "Enoch the seventh from Adam." Jude 14v.

Tuesday, July 5 We close the meeting. The news comes that Sister Huszy is dying! I go to Rev. Jesse Harritt's & lodge.

Wednesday, July 6 I go by James Campbell's to Sublimity and lodge at Denny's.

Thursday, July 7 I went to Miller's and lodged. James Williams, Sen., was there assessing.

Friday, July 8 I go to a Baptist meeting, where I see Mr. Hewit and Mrs. Wheeler baptized, after David Huffer preached. I preach at Pollard's School-house, at 4 o'clock. Lodge at Mr. Herald's. She was a cousin of William & Oscar Kendrick's.

Saturday, July 9 I go on to Quarterly Meeting, by Samuel

Fleenor's. Rev. T.J. Connor preached, "I will search Jerusalem," Zeph. 1.12. I dined at Wood's, our merchants in Scio. I preach at 4, 1 Thess. 4.3. Lodge at Fleenor's, after Quar. Conference.

Sunday, July 10 Rev. T.J. Connor preached, "The archers have shot at Joseph," Gen. 49.23. I dine at Osborn's, the blacksmith's in Scio. I preach at 4 o'clock Rev. 22.11. I go to James Connor's, and lodge. He is T.J. Connor's brother. Is much older.

Monday, July 11 I go with Bro. T.J. Connor to look at his farm in the neighborhood. I dined at Dillon Hoskin's, and lodge at James Williams'.

Tuesday, July 12 I go to Sublimity by way of School-house and Hoskins'. I receive a letter from D.K. Flickinger. I stay at Geo. W. Hunt's a mile north of Sublimity.

Wednesday, July 13 I staid at Hunt's till after dinner, and then go to Jonathan Crow's at Knox Butte's.

Thursday, July 14 I went to Nathan Newton's. He is Mrs. Alfred Wheeldon's brother. We sit up till 2:00, and talk on religion. A new convert—almost fanatical.

Friday, July 15 I go to Knox School-house, by way of Miller's. I had a talk with Young Buoy. I preach at 4, to 6 persons at S.H. and have class meeting.

Saturday, July 16 I go by Alfred Wheeldon's to Hiram Jackson's, and dine. I went on to Andrew J. Richardson's and lodge there.

Sunday, July 17 I preached at Rock Hill at 11, "Enoch the seventh from Adam," Jude 14 verse. I dined at Ward's, preach at John Metzler's at 4:30, and go to Scott's and lodge. Some one in bed differed severely with Metzler on a trouble—murder case, I believe.

Monday, July 18 I went to Metzler's, and walk to blacksmith's. I dine with John and go on to Norman Lee's, to whom I pay \$1.65 for music. I lodge at Jackson's.

Tuesday, July 19 I go to Lebanon, and dine at Cousin Harriet Helm's. I go on to Samuel Fleenor's, and they

tell me of Joab Powel's backwood's talk at Baptist Meeting. I lodge at Fleenor's.

Wednesday, July 20 I go to Sublimity. I call at Wizner's on the way. I saw Griffith. The Santiam ford was very swift—my head swam. I lodged at Jer. Kenoyer's. Morgan Rudolph comes to get Kenoyer "to tie" Ben. Hutton and Catharine Donica.

Thursday, July 21 I called at John Denny's. There is a meeting of Sublimity Board. I dine at Denny's, and go on to my appointment at Ervin's School-house, where I preach at 4, Matt. 20.6. "Why stand ye here all the day idle?"

Friday, July 22 I proceeded slowly to Maxwell's ford, and thence to Froman's, and lodged at old Mr. Moore's (Lane Co.).

Saturday, July 23 I went to Fanning's and found that my horse had a nail stuck in his foot, and took it out. I helped Fanning make a horse hay-rake, and lodged at his house.

Sunday, July 24 I preached at 11, Eze. 33.11. I dine at Robert's. Preached at 4, Rev. 22.11. I lodged at Simons.

Monday, July 25 I went to H. Jackson's, my home, and thence to Jesse Harritt's, where I lodged.

Tuesday, July 26 I went to Samuel Fleenor's, and to Dillin Hoskin's where I lodged. Dillon was a Baptist, an earnest antislavery man. His son James married a Kenoyer girl and they had Bishop Hoskins.

Wednesday, July 27 I went by James Williams' and John Greenstreet's (his mother's) to Geo. W. Hunt's, and lodged there.

Thursday, July 28 I went from Hunt's to James Campbell's. Father John Denny was there, and asks our counsel about selling property to John Hunt, George's uncle.

Friday, July 29 I went to Wood's via Salem, where C. Pillow a jeweler insults me for removing the wax which he said he put in to hold my watch crystal to its place!

Saturday, July 30 Wallace Hurlburt and Seneca Coston, came to Woods', and were much pleased with my sermon next day at 11, 1 John 3.2, though I had little "liberty." Seneca Coston Sunday preached at 4 (perhaps). I lodge at Wood's. Wood's was a preaching place 8 or 10 miles above Salem.

Sunday, July 31 I preached at 11, 1 John 3.2, with small freedom. Dined at Polly's. Seneca Coston preached, aftern. or night. I staid that night at Woods'.

Monday, August 1 I go to Fanning's, thence to Corvallis, thence to T.J. Connor's 3 miles from Corvallis.

Tuesday, August 2 I go from Connor's to Deckard's, where I find Mr. Guess the teacher. I lodge at Deckard's.

Wednesday, August 3 I went to Hiram Jackson's, where I find Wallace Hurlburt and wife, both unwell. They are quilting. I lodge. Mary is Mr. & Mrs. Jackson's daughter.

Thursday, August 4 I went to Drain's, and dined. He had been bitten by a hog. I go to Jonathan Crow's and lodge. Mrs. Jackson is Drain's sister.

Friday, August 5 I go to J. Crow's and remain there. It rains somewhat.

Saturday, August 6 I still remain at J. Crow's. Mr. Miller comes to see about thrashing.

Sunday, August 7 I preach at Knox Butte School-house, "Father forgive." Luke 22.34. I went to Albany and preached, Ps. 84.11. I preached at night, "As in Adam, all die." 1 Cor. 15.22. I lodged at Nathan Newton's.

Monday, August 8 I cradled oats for D. Froman's, \$1.00. I saw Parish and McFadin I lodge at Nathan Newton's.

Tuesday, August 9 I went to Corvallis and dine at Joshua Mason's. I got no letter. I see Dr. Cooms & wife. He lately was arranging for a duel. Was smart Alick, now.

Wednesday, August 10 I went to Mills, where the M.E. Annual Conference convened. I see Revs. Star, Rhodes, Deal, Miller, Rutlege, Garrison and Johnson, etc. I hear

Profs. Hodson and Lippincott lecture on the Bible cause. Meeting 5:00 in morn!

Thursday, August 11 I attend 5 o'clock prayer meeting. On my way to it, I found a gold coin worth over two dollars, \$2.50 piece. I gave it to Bible Cause, if no owner. I was introduced to Bishop E. Baker, and by him to the Conference. The conference recommended Woodward for mission to Japan. I lodge at N. Newton's.

Friday, August 12 I breakfast at D. Froman's. I go to Sublimity, and lodge, Denny's.

Saturday, August 13 I called at Kenoyer's, and fix their clock. I dined at George W. Hunt's. I start to Mr. Herald's, and lodge there. I received a letter from Susan.

Sunday, August 14 I preached at Scio, at 11, Heb. 6.11,12. Dined at Samuel Fleenor's. Preach at Ervin's School-house, Luke 19.27. I lodged at James Williams' with Silas, his nephew.

Monday, August 15 I had my horse shod at Osborne's in Scio. I went on to Lebanon and to Jackson's, and thence to Brownsville. I lodge at Father Kirk's, after a long night-ride.

Tuesday, August 16 I went on to Michael Crow's in Scienslaw Valley, via Maxwell's Ferry and Eugene City. I thought it 46 miles from Connor's. There, I found T.J. Connor and Seneca Coston.

Wednesday, August 17 We went over Calipooia Mountain, and dined Esta's Hotel. I wrote some copies for his girls. We go on to Hendrick's and lodge.

Thursday, August 18 I go on to Rev. N.W. Allen's and lodge.

Friday, August 19 I go to Oakland and thence to Camis Swail to meeting. Rev. T.J. Connor preached at 11, and I in afternoon, Hebr. 10.35, "Cast not away." We lodge at Oliver Brewer's.

Saturday, August 20 Rev. T.J. Connor pr. at 11, Luke 18.19, Rich man & Lazarus. I preach in afternoon, Gal.

6.14. Glory in cross. We lodge at Rev. C.B. Master's.

Sunday, August 21 Rev. Connor preached 2 Pet. —[lines in original] I preached from Ps. 84.11, "The Lord." We had Sacrament at 5, o'clock. We lodge at Isaac Smith's.

Monday, August 22 I preach on Baptism, and Connor baptizes. We dined at Isaac Smith's. Connor pr. "Receive not grace in vain," 2 Cor. 6.1. We stay at William Hoskin's, a brother of Dillon Hoskins.

Tuesday, August 23 We go to the widow Brewer's and to Oliver's, where we lodge. "The Scenes Beyond the Grave" were hotly discussed, I alone condemning the book. (Connor years later came into accord with me.)

Wednesday, August 24 We went to Rev. C.B. Masters', and to brother Nathan Smith's. We did design going to a place whose name I forget.

Thursday, August 25 We go via Umqua Academy, and Winchester, to a camp-meeting about ten miles up Deer Creek of Roseburg. We found the campers preparing.

Friday, August 26 Rev. N.W. Allen preached at 11. Rev. Connor at 3, Parker at night.

Saturday, August 27 I preached at 11, T.J. Connor at 3, Seneca Coston at night. One professed conversion.

Sunday, August 28 Rev. T.J. Connor preached at 11, 2 Cor. 5.11, "Knowing the terror of the Lord." I pr. at 3, Titus 2.14, "Redeem from all iniquity." A happy time, Rev. P.C. Parker pr. at night, on value of the soul, Mark 8.37.

Monday, August 29 Morning meeting. Rev. C.B. Masters pr. at 11, 1 Cor. 15.55, "O death where is thy sting." Rev. Connor pr. at 3, Rom. 12.1, "Present your bodies a living sacrifice." I pr at night, Hosea 11.8, "How shall I give thee up, Ephraim?" We have a good meeting. T.J. Connor falls (falling-exercise), James Parker is a seeker. (I fell that evening.)

Tuesday, August 30 Morning Meeting. Sister Riggs and her son join Church. Rev. T.J. Connor pr. Acts 20.32,

"I commend you to God." Rev. N.W. Allen pr. Acts 24.25. "Go thy way," at this time.

Wednesday, August 31 We were arranging shade on the Camp-ground. At three, Father Coston, Seneca's father, preached; not much preacher.

Thursday, September 1 We had a good morning meeting. There was no preaching at 11. P.C. Parker pr. at 3, Heb. 4.11, "Give diligence to enter rest." I pr. at night, Rom. 15.13, "Now the God of peace, fill you with joy & peace."

Friday, September 2 C.B. Masters pr. at 11, "What is man?" Ps. 8.4. Rev. Clifton pr. at 3, John 5.40, "Ye will not come to me." T.J. Connor pr. at night.

Saturday, September 3 Connor pr. at 11, "Dwell with everlasting burnings." Isai 33.14. Allen pr. at 3, Job 8.13. "Hope of the hypocrite." I pr. at night, 2 Tim. 4.1, "Who shall judge the quick and dead." Two conversions James Parker is one, son of Rev. P.C.

Sunday, September 4 Connor pr. at 11; Job 4.14, "Fear came upon me," etc. P.C. Parker pr. at 3, Matt. 22.5, "They made light of it." I pr. at night, Exodus 32.6, "Sat down to eat & rose up to play." Mr. Riggs was converted, and a number joined.

Monday, September 5 We met to close the meeting. We had read John 15, chapter and the last part of Ephesians 6, Chapt. We went on to Rev. N.W. Allen's, where we lodged.

Tuesday, September 6 We went to Esta's Hotel and dined. We crossed the Calipooia Mountains and staid at Mr. Conrad's.

Wednesday, September 7 We went to Coons' for breakfast, and I staid there till 4 o'clock. I then went on to Rev. M.M. Crow's. Rhodes was there.

Thursday, September 8 I staid at Crow's till after dinner, and went on with Seneca Coston to camp-meeting where Jer. Kenoyer pr. John 3.3, "Except a man be born again." At Hurlburts.

Friday, September 9 I preached. 2 Cor. 13.5, "Prove your ownelves." L.M. Sallee pr. Rev. 22.17. Senaca Coston pr. at night, Isa. 5.4, "What more for my vineyard!"

Saturday, September 10 Jer. Kenoyer pr. Ps. 32.10, "Many sorrows, to the wicked." N.W. Allen pr. at 3, "What shall I do to inherit eternal life?" Luke 10.25. I pr. at night, Luke 23.4. "I find no fault in thisman." There are two mourners, and one conversion. We have a rejoicing time.

Sunday, September 11 Connor pr. at 11, "If any man willeth to do his will, he shall know of the teaching," John 7.17. I pr. at 12, "Elect according to forekno[w]lege of God." W.H. Daugherty pr. at 4, Luke 24.46, "Thus it behoved Christ to suffer," a very happy discourse. He swayed the floor of the stand up and down! Jer. Kenoyer pr. at night, Rom. 6.22, "But now being made free from sin." There were six mourners and two converts.

Monday, September 12 Senaca Coston pr. at 12, Deut. 4.29, "Seek Lord with all thy heart." I spoke at 3, on Baptism, and several were baptized in the Lake by Kenoyer and two were sprinkled. In the evening two praying bands came in shouting, and shut off preaching. Several seekers.

Tuesday, September 14 [wrong date in original] After our farewell lovefeast, there were 14 accessions. Farewell march. I go to Corvallis with Jer. Kenoyer, Sallee, Kile. Jer. Kenoyer pr. at M.E. Church. I lodge at Joshua Mason's.

Wednesday, September 14 I go with Senaca Coston to my home at Hiram Jackson's by Slate's Bridge. It was a mile south of Peterson's, South of Washington's Butte, sometimes called Peterson's Butte. Lodge.

Thursday, September 15 I dined at Peterson's, and went on through Lebanon to Samuel Fleenor's, where I lodge.

Friday, September 16 Senaca Coston pr. at 11, at Malcom Millar's Schoolhouse, John 13.17, "If ye know these things, happy are ye if ye do them." It was the first sermon. We lodge at Malcom Miller's. Somewhat rainy.

Saturday, September 17 I preach at 11, Twelfth Cahp.

Isa. I dine at D. Harrold's, whose wife was a cousin of Dr. Wm. Kendrick's, Indianapolis. T.J. Connor pr. at night, Rich man & Lazarus. We stay at Joseph Crank's.

Sunday, September 18 Rev. Wm. H. Daugherty pr. at 11, Ps. 144.15. "Happy people, God the Lord." T.J. Connor pr. at 4:00. S. Coston pr. at night. "They made light of it." Matt. 22.5. I lodge with Jackson Kile at Dodridge Harold's.

Monday, September 19 I preached Matt. 13.44, "Treasure hid in a field." We all wept, even an old unbeliever, Mr. Pruett. It was an uncommon discourse, I was forced to preach with little preparation. I preached an hour and 30 min. Daugherty pr. at night, and I exhort with much feeling.

Tuesday, September 20 Connor pr. at 11. I baptize Susan Connor (prob. Wm's wife) and Sarah Archer. Daugherty pr. at night Jer. 8.20, "Harvest past; summer ended." Osborn and Mary Williams converted.

Wednesday, September 21 The morning meeting was most extraordinary. There were less than thirty there. It lasted all day. Much of it led itself. Everything was calm and serene. We wanted no dinner. I never saw such a meeting! I pr. at night, Luke 15.21, "I have sinned against heaven, and in thy." The night meetings were full of seekers and converts.

Thursday, September 22 We had a good morning meeting. T.J. Connor preached at night. Several joined Church. William Connor one of them.

Friday, September 23 The usual morning meeting was held. They were all extraordinary. I dined at Pruett's. I pr. at night, Col. 2.14, "Causeth us to triumph." Lodge at D. Harold's.

Saturday, September 24 Have an excellent meeting. There were ten baptized by T.J. Connor, to-day. I lodge at Samuel Fleenor's, after attending a meeting in Scio, by Rev. John Powell, a Disciple Minister. He preached and I exhorted. *Remarks:* This was one of the best meetings I ever saw. Some of the converts had been my scholars at Sublimity. I visited them some thirty years later, and found them Christians still, and very useful. Mary J.

Williams upon her conversion arose at once to the talent and knowledge of an aged Christian, and did much good. She was then receiving the addresses of Henry Follis, a Baptist, to whom she was shortly after married. Nancy Fleenor upon her conversion, from a bashful girl, became a Christian heroine. She died, years since, in the faith.

Sunday, September 25 I heard Rev. John Powell pr. a funeral discourse. I dined at Samuel Fleenor's. I start for Condit's. I have conversation with T.J. Connor on the hillside. I saw Ennis at Condit's, and he was courting Mary Condit, the widow's daughter, and afterward married her. They were students of mine at Sublimity. He was ill-contrived and unreliable. She was a choice and lovely girl.

Monday, September 26 I breakfast at Silvanus Condit's and go on by Allen Foster's to Geo. W. Hunt's and to Salem. I could not ferry the Willamette, so I lodge at Samuel Penter's.

Tuesday, September 27 I went by way of Jonathan Crow's, and Nathan Newton's and Albany to Wm. H. Daugherty's. I got there at 11, at night.

Wednesday, September 28 I go to William Pearson's. He sells my horse and saddle, while I was there, to some California traders. This saved trouble, as he had sold the horse to me, and was to take him back, and he limped somewhat. I next went to Daugherty's and to Connor's by William Wyatt's.

Thursday, September 29 I went to Hiram Jackson's through Corvallis, and Deckards. I stay that night at Alfred Wheeldon's.

Friday, September 30 Tyler Jackson goes to Brownville to get my coat. I go on by way of Lebanon to Scio and Fleenor's. I preach, "How should I give thee up, Ephraim!" Hosea 11.8. Lodge at S. Fleenor's.

Saturday, October 1 I go to James Connor's, Dillon Hoskins' and Mr. Wizner's. I pr. at Ervine's Sch. house, Gal. 6.14. I lodge at James Williams.

Sunday, October 2 I went with several to Sublimity. I

preached at the College building, Matt. 6.20, "Lay up—treasures in heaven." I dined at George W. Hunt's. I call at Jeremiah Kenoyer's. After night meeting, in which the students gave me a tender farewell, I stay at Mrs. Greenstreet's.

Monday, October 3 I go to Mrs. Childer's, in French Prairie. At George W. Hunt's, we begin to sing a farewell hymn—did not sing it through! I get to Childers' at 9:30, evening.

Tuesday, October 4 I went to William Case's. They are nearly all sick. I dine at Mrs. Childer's, and visit Goodell's, and Lichtenthaler's. Lodge at Mrs. Childers'. George W. Huntt sees me there.

Wednesday, October 5 I went with William Pearson's to Judge Matlock's below Oregon City. The Judge has a brother in Wabash town, Indiana. Edwin Cartwright's Father.

Thursday, October 6 We go on to Hanson's across the river from Portland. We dine and go over the river to Portland. I saw my trunk there. Allen and Lewis [blank]. We go back to Hanson's and lodge.

Friday, October 7 We come over to Portland again. Alex. Bennett came up in a skiff to meet me. I go down the river, rowing a little awkwardly to Rev. William Hendrickson's, Bennett's father-in-law's, on the north side of the Columbia. I stay there till 6 o'clock, when he, Bennett takes me to the Steamer Panama, at the mouth of the Willamette. We start at 8:30 Evening. He sends gold by me.

Saturday, October 8 We reach Astoria, at 9 o'clock, cross the Columbia Bar at 12, next day. Some are sea-sick. I take a nap, a little soup, & I vomited. It was my first sea-sickness. Went to bed at 7, ocl.

Sunday, October 9 I arose at 7 o'clock, morn. We are in the Strait of Fuca. Breakfast, and I pace the deck. Now, we are in sight of Victoria. Now, at Port Townsend—6, in the evening. We reach Olympia at 5:30 in the morning. Mr. Miles my room mate goes ashore.

Monday, October 10 I went ashore at 10, and spent

\$7.87. On our return, we passed Steilacoom, where Mr. E.M. Meekercame aboard, and paid \$50.00 fare to San Francisko [sic], while we had paid but \$20.00 from Portland. Mr. Meeker and I soon became acquainted.

Tuesday, October 11 The ship Panama, goes into Esquimalt Harbor, three miles from Victoria. There are some men of ships of war lying in the Harbor. I walked to Victoria saw it and returned. I see the Indians and their huts. I describe them in a letter to the *Telescope*. We leave Esquimalt at 1:30, afternoon, and sail down the coast.

Wednesday, October 12 We sail along the coast, and about sunset, enter the Columbia River (Rough Bar), anchor in Baker's Bay, and wait till morning.

Thursday, October 13 We cross the Bar about 11 o'clock, and sail down the Coast. We hoisted sail and had a race. I spent the evening in penciling.

Friday, October 14 We sailed along the Coast, with no remarkable occurrences. The sea is as dreary as the land, as we become used to it.

Saturday, October 15 To-day, we pass Point Rayes, in the afternoon. We pass the heads. We saw the rotary light-house. We arrive at the Golden Gate at dark or dusk, and are mistaken for the "Golden Age" on which General Winfield Scott was expected, and a salute was fired as we made our way to the landing, where a dense crowd had gathered to hail the "Hero of Lundy's Lane." With the assistance of the city police at the landing, we got through to Hillman's Temperance House, on Davis St. On the way, Mr. E.M. Meeker and I had formed a very favorable acquaintance, and he changed from "What Cheer?" to Hillman's, and we ro[om]ed together.

Sunday, October 16 In this morning, the "Golden Age" arrived with the very General Scott (not us) and the salutes left were given to him. Governor Weller, and all his dignitaries were out, and fine men and fine equipage graced the occasion. The General was up to overlook the San Juan Boundary Dispute. Mr. Meeker and I went that evening to hear a discourse by Dr. Scott, on the Sabbath.

Monday, October 17 I ran about town with Mr. Meeker in the forenoon, visiting wholesale stores preparatory to his purchase of goods. I wrote letters in the afternoon—one to W.H. Daugherty and one to Jer. Kenoyer. Mr. Meeker had told me that if he was not at the hotel till a certain hour in the evening I should not expect him, as a merchant had invited him to lodge with him. I waited past the hour considerably, and retired. Mr. Meeker came back, and both he and our landlord did their very best to awaken me. Said the landlord: "If this house were afire, he would burn up!" So he found another room for Mr. Meeker!

Tuesday, October 18 I spent sometime running around the city. It was then small compared with what I found in 1888. Our hotel was over the shallow water of the harbor! Plank streets with water under were quite common.

Wednesday, October 19 There was a recent opposition line of Steamers to the Isthmus, and the contention was so sharp as to publicly proclaim the "Sonora," of the regular line, "the coffin of the Pacific!" I made a careful comparison of the two steamers and preferred to drown on the Sonora rather than suffocate on the competition. I paid \$54.50, to New York on the Sonora line. To-night, I went to Music Hall, with Mr. Meeker, to a lecture on the Arabs by Bayard Taylor. It was interesting, delivered with almost faultless elocution. I cannot here attempt a sum[m]ary of its parts. But he said if the Arab knew the truth of anything inquired about, he would tell it without great exaggeration; if he did not know the truth of the matter, he would give an answer any way. One with them would exaggerate fearfully. It became a habit. He said since he quit them, the habit had entirely left him!

Thursday, October 20 I bade Mr. E.M. Meeker good by. We were near one age. He was a married man, and I was going to my bride. I learned, years afterward, that the ship on which he returned to his dear family, was lost at sea. I was very much attached to him. But to-day, I went aboard the "Sonora," "the floating coffin," which bore us safely to Panama, and my choice, I approve. We started about 10:00, in the forenoon. We saw two whales sporting about two miles distant, and throwing out of the water, about one third of their bodies—fir[s]t the head and then the tail. They appeared to be from fifty to seventy feet in length. Probably seventy feet.

Friday, October 21 We sailed on with little to break the monotony. I wrote some verses on card-playing. Our reckonings said we had sailed 280 miles at noon. We had aboard a sick man by the name of Travis. He was going home to Kentucky to die. He had consumption.

Saturday, October 22 I wrote out a subscription for Travis and put my name down for \$2.00. We soon had enough to hire him cared for. But about 9:00, a girl announced to her mistress in our cabin that "the boat has stopped!" I had just lain down to sleep. I arose and went to the quarter deck, where the crew were lowering a life-boat. A man had jumped overboard. The boat went out to sea, fired a sky rocket, but got no response, came back, and we sailed on. The man was a stow-away, found after we left San Francisco, being set to work heaving coal to pay his passage [sic], he came on deck, talked gibberish nonsense and leaped over the bulwarks into the sea just before the left paddlebox. It was his last on earth. He was evidently insane.

Sunday, October 23 Things are as usual aboard, except no card playing. I was sitting near Mr. Dodge, an Indian Agent, and Mr. Lansing Stout a representative to Congress from Oregon, when Mr. Stout said: "We have plenty of whiskey to last this side." Mr. Dodge said he did not like whiskey, but said he had "some very good wine." Joseph H. Lane the United States Senator from Oregon was aboard, and Judge Deady, and Mr. McHibben, the second of Senator Braderick of California, in his fatal duel. The first I saw of General Lane was a man inquiring for Lansing Stout, to assist him in playing a game of cards. Besides these and others, of political notoreity, we had Bayard Taylor and his wife, among our best, and least ostentatious, passengers.

Monday, October 24 To-day, at 3:00, we passed Cape St. Lucas. We saw the fish jumping in the waters. I slept in the dining saloon, finding the air too close and hot in the cabin.

Tuesday, October 25 We saw Cape Corrientes to-day. I slept on the hurricane deck to-night.

Wednesday, October 26 We sailed on, very near land, in the morning. I slept in the dining saloon, at night. It is

due that I should say that our passengers were very different from those of two years before going out to San Francisco. There were hardly any that did not at once show that they made no pretense to being religious. Swearing was common, and other behavior corresponding there too. I wore no clerical garb and made no pious pretensions, but was regularly marked as a minister. When I asked why, they replied, that I took no part in things irreligious. They were largely miners going home from the gold field.

Thursday, October 27 We sailed on, the whole way nearer shore than we went out in July, 1857. We reached Acapulco at 1:00 next morning, and left that place a little after 4 o'clock. There was a pleasant sea breeze in the evening, and I stayed on deck till late at night. At Acapulco the Mexicans were selling us "sugars" and nice bunches of coral, some of which I purchased.

Friday, October 28 The Gulph [sic] of Tehuantepec was rolling, and I became somewhat sea-sick. I went below, and slept till dinner. The sea was smoother in the afternoon. There was no land in sight. I slept in the dining saloon.

Sunday, October 30 Times were as usual. This voyage, we had no religious services on Sundays.

Monday, October 31 There was nothing unusual. I spoke to Senator Joseph H. Lane for the first time.

Tuesday, November 1 We reached Panama in the afternoon. While waiting aboard the "Panama," a gentleman from the east came in, and reported Ossawatomic (John) Brown's capture of Harper's Ferry, and his subsequent arrest by the Virginia authorities. General Joseph H. Lane said in a loud voice, "I would have hung him higher than Haman, without judge or jury!" He said he did not believe in unjudicial proceedings, but special cases required special treatment. It is to be remembered that Senator Lane was a zealous aspirant to the Democratic nomination for president of the United States. He was nominated for the vice-presidency, and ran on the ticket with John C. Breckenridge the next year, and received many electoral votes. His words on this occasion were measured in manner, and intended to be quoted, and no doubt were quoted, in the campaign which followed.

But "the soul of John Brown went marching on!" We after dark were carried, by rail across the Isthmus to Aspinwall, in the rain. We supped at Brook's Hotel. Our sick man Travis was deserted by a doctor hired to attend him, and had to hire himself carried by a man, a mile.

Wednesday, November 2 We left Aspinwall at 4 o'clock in the morning on the ship Atlantic and nothing of special interest occurred that day. We are all aboard.

Thursday, November 3 We have some head winds. The sea is monotonous.

Friday, November 4 We still have strong breezes, part of the day. In the evening, we pass near Cuba. We saw two sail vessels. I slept in my berth.

Monday, November 7 The sea is rough to-day. The waves rolled very high and the ship rolled fearfully.

Tuesday, November 8 The sea was fearfully rough and stormy. We "shipped sea" several times. Many were alarmed. The officers of the vessel looked anxious. On the way from Aspinwall an invalid died, but we took his body on to New York. He was profane, but of refined manners. He came aboard at Acapulco.

Wednesday, November 9 We get into the "purple sea" to-day, and it is more pleasant. We reach Sandy Hook, about 7, in the evening, and New York Harbor at 2:00 morning.

Thursday, November 10 We get ashore at New York at 4 o'clock in the morning. I put up at Lovejoy's Hotel through the rascality of the hack-driver, who said our hotel of 1857 was discontinued! I left by rail, by way of Albany. We are lodged at Syracuse, on account of a burned bridge.

Friday, November 11 Leave Syracuse, and reach Buffalo about 2:30, afternoon. I dined at the "International." I see there new gas lamps. I close a tedious waiting, at 9:00, afternoon, and reach Cleveland at night.

Saturday, November 12 I leave Cleveland at 4 o'clock, morning, and reach Dayton at 11 o'clock. I went to the

Telescope office. I lodged at Adam Shuey's, Wm. J's father's.

Sunday, November 13 I heard William J. Shuey pr. at 11 o'clock, and I dine at his house. I went to class-meeting in the afternoon, and go to Solomon Vonneida's. I preach at night, Matt. 13.44.

Monday, November 14 I went to Dublin on forenoon train. I dine at William Barton Witt's. I get his horse and sulky, and go home, arriving in the evening. I call at William's, and then at my Father's, where I lodge. We are all rejoiced. My mother almost overcome with joy. I had been away 2 yrs. 4 mo, & 19 d.

Tuesday, November 15 I visit Harvey's in the morning. I go in the afternoon to John G. Koerner's to see Susan. It is rainy and is night before I get there. Daniel's are at supper, and Silas Koerner and wife at the table with them. I sat down by the fire. At last Elmira came and said she believed "It is brother Wright." Daniel went to tell it at the other house. Rev. Franklin Morgan was there, and came back with Daniel and expressed great joy at meeting me. I go to the other house and greet the people; I talk with Susan till a late hour.

Wednesday, November 16 I remained at Father Keorner's [sic] all day.

Thursday, November 17 I went home by way of John Malone's. I went to Harvey Wright's, and lodged. My borrowed horse is sick.

Friday, November 18 I went to Dublin and took the horse home. It rained and it was dark, and it was as late as 8:00, when I got there. Bennett Witt and his wife were very kind. I lodged with them.

Saturday, November 19 I remained in Dublin. I saw Rev. J.K. Billheimer, the first time. I dine at Rev. John Fohl's. I sup at Wayne Smith's. I lodge at Wayne Smith's.

Sunday, November 20 I preached at 11, o'clock, Ps. 84.11. I dine at Wilson Scroggy's. I visit the Sunday School. They organized. I sup at Isaac Pearson's. I pr. at night, Rev. 22.11. Isaac was a brother of William Pearson.



*Susan Koerner Wright,
married to Bishop Milton Wright
on November 24, 1859*

Monday, November 21 I went home by Connersville. I bought a suit of Wm. H. Beck, a primitive Baptist. I rode in the rain.

Tuesday, November 22 I went to Liberty. I called at old Mr. Pierson's. I got my license, to be married. I went to Susan's father's. Saw and talked with Susan.

Wednesday, November 23 I went home by West Union, and visit Harvey Wright.

Thursday, November 24 Thanksgiving. Harvey Wright and Delila, and my brother William go with me to my wedding, which was at Daniel Koerner's, a little after 3,

o'clock. Rev. John Fohl officiated. Father Koerner pronounced a solemn blessing on us, after the marriage. Harvey, Delila, and William stay. D.K. Zeller and Caroline, and Silas Koerner and Hannah were there.

Friday, November 25 Harvey and Delila and William and Susan and myself went to my father's home, to the infair. On the way I gave Susan a gold pencil, and told her we should not go to Oregon very soon, possibly not at all. William Wright now lives at a house a half mile north-east of my Father's, but always rented the farm. William's stay with us the infair night.

Saturday, November 26 We remained together at my

Father's all day, except a I [sic] made a brief trip to Fayetteville, now Orange.

Sunday, November 27 We went to Andersonville, where Father John Morgan pr. at 11, Job 22.21, "Acquaint now thyself." We dine at Rev. Silas Andrews', joke about children. Wm. Wright pr. at 3, "How shall we escape," Hebr. 2.3. I pr. at night, Matt. 13.44, "Treas. hid." We lodge at Father Peter Miller's, at Corners.

Monday, November 28 We went to lovefeast, where John Morgan spoke so well. We dine at Elihu S. Neff's. We go to my Father's.

Tuesday, November 29 We go to Father John Gottlieb Koerner's, by Columbia and West Union. We visit Daniel Koerner's and I chat with him about Oregon. We lodge a Pap Koerners.

Wednesday, November 30 I go to Liberty and William Bennett's and to George W. Hunt's. I sup at Mr. Smith's and stay at G.W. Hunt's. He has weak knees. We talk to land trade, B. Rusk's death.

Thursday, December 1 I went through rain to Samuel Goodwin's. We have quite a long talk. I dine there, and go through Liberty to Father Koerner's. I left at Liberty the Power of Attorney to be recorded, \$2.50, in Bennett's hands. Mr. Bennett raised Mrs. Wm. Pearson.

Friday, December 2 We staid at Father Koerner's. He is a very interesting, full of wit and humor. I mend my harness.

Saturday, December 3 We go by Fairfield, Blooming Grove and Metamora, through Andersonville, to Archible Miller's. We lodge there. It was a cold snowy day. Stove-fires were comfortable. "Aunt Betty," an old colored lady, formerly at his Uncle Joe's, sung some songs.

Sunday, December 4 I preach at Andersonville, at 11, Ps. 84.11. We dine at Robert Ayers. Their children: Flora and Ira. We had a good time. Her Sisterinlaw, once Watkins, now Ritchey. We go home to my Father's, Dan Wright's, on Sand Creek, seven miles from Laurel, three from Orange. We see H. Muth, pastor.

Monday, December 5 We are at home to dinner. We went to William Wright's and lodged. They tell of Rev. William Nichols' having claimed to see Susan's letters from me, which Susan says is not true. Lively imagination.

Tuesday, December 6 There was a Ministerial Association at Indianapolis which I did not attend. He went to Father's in the afternoon.

Wednesday, December 7 I go to Orange (then Fayetteville) to visit Robert Gamble in the Academy. I dine at Rev. Dr. Heron's. I came home with the papers and a letter from Mr. Lefever, not the doctor, the man aboard our ships who cared for Mr. Travis, and at[t]ended him to Kentucky, where he left him. I never heard from Lefever or Travis afterward.

Thursday, December 8 We remain at my Father's. I chop wood afternoon. I write at night. It was a good day.

Friday, December 9 I went to Fayetteville, and received a letter from G.W. Hunt.

Saturday, December 10 We went to Quarterly meeting. We dined at John Allen's. David O'Farrell pr. at 11, I pr. at night, 1 Tim. 2.6, "He gave himself a ransom for." We stay at Archie Miller's.

Sunday, December 11 Rev. O'Farrell pr. "Sow in tears," Ps. 126.5. I introduce sacramental service, with much feeling. We dine at Dr. O. Martin's. I preach at night, Jude 14, "Enoch the seventh." We lodge at Dr. Martin's. Mrs. Martin was a sister of Dr. Henry Qillen. She was ever my friend.

Monday, December 12 I went to New Salem to see about getting a school, and return to Dr. Martin's. We went to Lewis's on a call. We call at Samuel Holmes, before meeting. O'Farrell pr. at night, "Ephraim is a cake" Hosea 7.8. We stay at A. Miller's.

Tuesday, December 13 We went by Kinion Freeman's, Luther Donald's, to Charles Harris's. We lodge there. Sarah is my sister. Little Charley's happy laugh—is seven years old. Much attached to me.

Wednesday, December 14 I got my horse shod, and went on to Hartsville. We stop at Lyman Chittenden's father's house. We see Prof. David Shuck. Prayer meeting at the old college Chapel. Jane Ready's cry. We call at Daniel Shuck's. We staid at Pa. Chittenden's.

Thursday, December 15 We breakfasted at Prof. Shuck's. Attended the opening of school. Girls read seventh chap. 1 Cor! We called at Father Canady's, and at Rev. Flora's, and Daniel Shuck's. Call at Rev. John Riley's, Father Joseph *Ball's, Lewis Mobley's, E. Pitman's, and sup at Rev. L.S. Chittenden's. I pr. at night, 1 John 3.2.

Friday, December 16 We go to John Braden's, my uncle's, who were from home; to W.S. Collier's, who married cousin Margaret, where we saw Aunt Eliza, and went to Quailton, Newburg and Greensburg to Charles Harris's, my brotherinlaw's. I went ro Smyrnia and pr. Luke 19.27. I lodged at Charles Atkinson's.

Saturday, December 17 We went to Jacob Coom's. *Joseph Ball batpized me in Sands Creek June 1847. We lost our way, saw Concord Church, I preach at Stubb's School-house, Rom. 6.14. Lodge at Coom's.

Sunday, December 18 I pr. at Isaac Umphrey's at 11, on Sanctification, 1 Thes. 4.3. We dine at Umphrey's. Hulda Morgan's greeting. She picked Susan for me—but I had picked her before. We went on to Neff's Corners' and put up at Peter Miller's. Henry Muth pr. "Awake thou that sleepest." Eph. 5.14. We lodge at John Cook's.

Monday, December 19 We went to my father's, Dan Wrights, and I went to Salem, to solicit subscribers for a school. I lodged at Thomas Mitchell's.

Tuesday, December 20 I raise subscription. I go by Samuel Frazee's and Fayetteville and Harvey Wright's, to my father's. I got a letter from D.K. Zeller.

Wednesday, December 21 I write letters to T.J. Connor and James, and a foolish one to "Oscar H. Hendrick and Co," in reply to one from him. I sawed out sleigh run[n]ers.

Thursday, December 22 I worked at making a sleigh.

Saturday, December 24 William helped me finish the sleigh. Susan and I go by Neff's Corners, to Andersonville, where we hear Henry Muth preach. I preach at Neff's Corners at 3, Rom. 6.14.

Tuesday, December 27 We went to Connersville and bought furniture, and went on to Father Koerner's, seven miles south of Liberty. We found Betsy Fry and David Fry, Susan's cousins, there.

Wednesday, December 28 We load up furniture, etc., take Daniel's wagon and team, and I reach my Father's late. It was so icy that the team could hardly climb the hills.

Thursday, December 29 I hauled the load to New Salem, and put it in my rented house and returned to my Father's.

Friday, December 30 William and I, went to Connersville and hauled two loads of household stuff, bought before, to Harvey Wright's.

Saturday, December 31 We went to New Salem with the goods, unloaded in my house, and I went home with Daniels team, arriving at ten at night.

Sunday, January 1 Susan and I go [to] Bloomings grove and dine at a hotel, had a "goose 40 years old." Lodged at Father's. It is awfully cold. We warmed several times.

Monday, January 2 Susan and I went early to our home at New Salem, Rush Co., Ind., and I began school, at 8:30. It had three rooms, and it was a very happy home.

Note January 25, 1911 We lived in New Salem till some-time in April, 1860, when we removed to Andersonville. At New Salem, Rush Carly and his sister, and the Mitchell girls, all grown, were insubordinate; others were pleasant. In April, we removed to Andersonville, Franklin County, where I taught school, beginning before May, perhaps, at Neff's Corners, where I had taught none months in 1854 and 1855. This was also a very happy home. In August, we took trip to Grant County, where my farm lay, and where we had relatives, and were there about three weeks, and bought 55 acres of land, at 15 dollars and went thence to annual conference at Sugar Grove, Wayne County, where I had joined in 1853. I

went first to a quarterly meeting at Washington (now Greensfork) where I preached for David O'Farrell, the Pres. elder. We also visited Benjamin Harris, whose sone James was at Hartsville and his sister Mattie. My wife imbibed malaria, in Grant County and was ailing at conference. After conference, sometime in September, I removed from Andersonville, to my farm in Grant County, five miles east of Fairmount, I having been appointed the pastor of Marion Circuit. Young John Freeman, a second cousin, hauled a load for me, and the night before we reached our new home, he staid at Robert Clark's, brother to his future fatherinlaw, Richard Clark of near Clarksburg. The rest of the movers staid on the state road, at Joseph Cown's, this side of Killbuck. That year I had about eight appointments on Marion Circuit, Rev. D. O'ferrill being my presiding elder, and a good friend. I farmed a little. Father Koerner and Mother Koerner visited us in May. Reuchlin was born March 17, 1861, in our hewed log home. (In my Diary of 1857, the rest is recorded.)