

- Ann. "L" -
Methodist (250-)
C. A. Minister
in St. Joseph,
Mo.
1866

- Mrs. Vineyard,
visited by R. Lincoln,
Apr 27, in
Weston, MO.

- Prochias apivola in
Weston, Kansas City,
- trip to Niagara Falls
with wife by train,
Montreal, Vt., Saratoga
Spring, N.Y., N.Y., more killed
by Indians, made in states →

- sends dispatches to
St. Joseph from
his trip to Cuba
conferance etc

v. - Oct 24 - in mood of
- despair -

- excellent content

Packet
Diary
FOR
1866.

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JANUARY.

Moon's Phases. { Full Moon, 1d. 1h. 52m. morning.
Last Quarter, 8d. 4h. 6m. evening.
New Moon, 16d. 3h. 41m. evening.
First Quarter, 23d. 3h. 58m. evening.
Full Moon, 30d. 3h. 32m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
1	1	Mon.		7 24	4 44	Ris's	8 18
2	2	Tues.		7 24	4 45	6 44	9 9
3	3	Wed.		7 24	4 46	7 46	9 56
4	4	Thur.		7 24	4 47	8 47	10 38
5	5	Frid.		7 24	4 48	9 45	11 18
6	6	Satur.		7 24	4 49	10 43	Eve2
7	7	SUN.		7 24	4 50	11 39	0 53
8	8	Mon.		7 24	4 51	Mor.	1 40
9	9	Tues.		7 24	4 52	0 36	2 30
10	10	Wed.		7 24	4 53	1 31	3 22
11	11	Thur.		7 23	4 54	2 27	4 16
12	12	Frid.		7 23	4 55	3 22	5 4
13	13	Satur.		7 23	4 56	4 16	5 57
14	14	SUN.		7 22	4 57	5 10	6 49
15	15	Mon.		7 22	4 58	5 59	7 37
16	16	Tues.		7 22	4 59	Sets.	8 19
17	17	Wed.		7 21	5 0	6 18	9 6
18	18	Thur.		7 21	5 1	7 24	9 51
19	19	Frid.		7 20	5 3	8 30	10 34
20	20	Satur.		7 19	5 4	9 36	11 18
21	21	SUN.		7 18	5 5	10 43	Mor.
22	22	Mon.		7 18	5 6	11 50	0 8
23	23	Tues.		7 17	5 8	Mor.	1 2
24	24	Wed.		7 16	5 9	0 57	2 0
25	25	Thur.		7 15	5 10	2 5	3 7
26	26	Frid.		7 15	5 11	3 9	4 14
27	27	Satur.		7 14	5 12	4 9	5 20
28	28	SUN.		7 13	5 13	5 4	6 21
29	29	Mon.		7 12	5 15	5 55	6 15
30	30	Tues.		7 12	5 16	Ris's	8 0
31	31	Wed.		7 11	5 17	6 31	8 45

FEBRUARY.

Moon's Phases. { Last Quarter, 7d. 2h. 43m. evening.
New Moon, 15d. 5h. 17m. morning.
First Quarter, 21d. 11h. 52m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
32	1	Thur.		7 10	5 18	7 30	9 28
33	2	Frid.		7 9	5 19	8 29	10 8
34	3	Satur.		7 8	5 20	9 27	10 43
35	4	SUN.		7 7	5 21	10 23	11 23
36	5	Mon.		7 6	5 22	11 19	Eve6
37	6	Tues.		7 5	5 24	Mor.	0 51
38	7	Wed.		7 4	5 25	0 15	1 34
39	8	Thur.		7 3	5 26	1 11	2 33
40	9	Frid.		7 2	5 28	2 4	3 29
41	10	Satur.		7 0	5 29	2 56	4 27
42	11	SUN.		6 59	5 30	3 48	5 26
43	12	Mon.		6 58	5 32	4 37	6 22
44	13	Tues.		6 56	5 33	5 22	7 12
45	14	Wed.		6 55	5 34	Sets.	7 57
46	15	Thur.		6 54	5 35	6 14	8 53
47	16	Frid.		6 53	5 36	7 22	9 29
48	17	Satur.		6 51	5 37	8 31	10 13
49	18	SUN.		6 50	5 38	9 40	10 58
50	19	Mon.		6 49	5 39	10 49	11 49
51	20	Tues.		6 47	5 41	11 52	Mor.
52	21	Wed.		6 46	5 42	Mor.	0 44
53	22	Thur.		6 44	5 43	1 2	1 46
54	23	Frid.		6 43	5 45	2 2	2 52
55	24	Satur.		6 41	5 46	2 58	4 0
56	25	SUN.		6 39	5 47	3 51	5 3
57	26	Mon.		6 38	5 48	4 36	6 3
58	27	Tues.		6 37	5 49	5 17	6 54
59	28	Wed.		6 36	5 49	Ris's	7 40

MARCH.

Moon's Phases. { Full Moon, 1d. 6h. 56m. morning.
Last Quarter, 9d. 10h. 56m. morning.
New Moon, 16d. 4h. 41m. evening.
First Quarter, 23d. 8h. 6m. morning.
Full Moon, 30d. 11h. 35m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
60	1	Thur.		6 35	5 50	6 17	8 18
61	2	Frid.		6 33	5 51	7 15	8 58
62	3	Satur.		6 32	5 53	8 12	9 37
63	4	SUN.		6 30	5 54	9 9	10 13
64	5	Mon.		6 29	5 55	10 4	10 49
65	6	Tues.		6 27	5 56	11 0	11 29
66	7	Wed.		6 26	5 58	11 54	Ev14
67	8	Thur.		6 24	5 59	Mor.	1 2
68	9	Frid.		6 23	6 0	0 48	1 54
69	10	Satur.		6 21	6 1	1 38	2 52
70	11	SUN.		6 19	6 2	2 27	3 53
71	12	Mon.		6 17	6 3	3 12	4 53
72	13	Tues.		6 15	6 4	3 55	5 51
73	14	Wed.		6 14	6 5	4 35	6 44
74	15	Thur.		6,12	6 6	5 13	7 33
75	16	Frid.		6,10	6 7	Sets.	8 19
76	17	Satur.		6 9	6 8	7 21	9 7
77	18	SUN.		6 7	6 9	8 31	9 54
78	19	Mon.		6 5	6 10	9 42	10 40
79	20	Tues.		6 3	6 12	10 51	11 33
80	21	Wed.		6 2	6 13	11 55	Mor.
81	22	Thur.		6 0	6 14	Mor.	0 30
82	23	Frid.		5 59	6 15	0 54	1 33
83	24	Satur.		5 58	6 16	1 49	2 37
84	25	SUN.		5 56	6 17	2 36	3 41
85	26	Mon.		5 55	6 18	3 17	4 42
86	27	Tues.		5 54	6 19	3 54	5 38
87	28	Wed.		5 52	6 20	4 29	6 28
88	29	Thur.		5 51	6 21	5 0	7 12
89	30	Frid.		5 49	6 22	Ris's	7 50
90	31	Satur.		5 47	6 23	7 1	8 25

APRIL.

Moon's Phases. } Last Quarter, 8d. 3h. 46m. morning.
 } New Moon, 15d. 2h. 7m. morning.
 } First Quarter, 21d. 5h. 35m. evening.
 } Full Moon, 29d. 4h. 27m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
91	1	SUN.		5 45	6 24	7 57	9 5
92	2	Mon.		5 42	6 25	8 51	9 43
93	3	Tues.		5 41	6 26	9 46	10 20
94	4	Wed.		5 39	6 27	10 39	10 58
95	5	Thur.		5 37	6 28	11 30	11 42
96	6	Frid.		5 35	6 29	Mor. Ev	30
97	7	Satur.		5 33	6 30	0 19	1 22
98	8	SUN.		5 31	6 31	1 8	2 18
99	9	Mon.		5 30	6 32	1 47	3 18
100	10	Tues.		5 28	6 33	2 28	4 17
101	11	Wed.		5 26	6 34	3 6	5 18
102	12	Thur.		5 25	6 35	3 43	6 15
103	13	Frid.		5 24	6 36	4 21	7 8
104	14	Satur.		5 22	6 37	Sets.	7 54
105	15	SUN.		5 21	6 38	7 18	8 44
106	16	Mon.		5 20	6 39	8 30	9 35
107	17	Tues.		5 18	6 40	9 40	10 25
108	18	Wed.		5 16	6 41	10 43	11 17
109	19	Thur.		5 15	6 42	11 42	Mor.
110	20	Frid.		5 13	6 44	Mor.	0 16
111	21	Satur.		5 11	6 45	0 32	1 15
112	22	SUN.		5 10	6 46	1 16	2 15
113	23	Mon.		5 9	6 47	1 56	3 16
114	24	Tues.		5 7	6 48	2 30	4 12
115	25	Wed.		5 6	6 49	3 2	5 5
116	26	Thur.		5 5	6 50	3 34	5 54
117	27	Frid.		5 3	6 51	4 4	6 39
118	28	Satur.		5 2	6 52	4 34	7 19
119	29	SUN.		5 1	6 53	Ris's	7 55
120	30	Mon.		5 0	6 54	7 41	8 34

MAY.

Moon's Phases. } Last Quarter, 7d. 4h. 46m. evening.
 } New Moon, 14d. 10h. 2m. morning.
 } First Quarter, 21d. 5h. 2m. morning.
 } Full Moon, 29d. 8h. 22m. morning.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water	
121	1	Tues.		4 59	6 55	8 35	9 15	
122	2	Wed.		4 58	6 56	9 26	9 55	
123	3	Thur.		4 57	6 57	10 17	10 34	
124	4	Frid.		4 56	6 58	11 2	11 17	
125	5	Satur.		4 55	6 59	11 44	Eve	3
126	6	SUN.		4 54	7 0	Mor.	0 53	
127	7	Mon.		4 53	7 1	0 24	1 47	
128	8	Tues.		4 52	7 2	1 3	2 44	
129	9	Wed.		4 51	7 3	1 39	3 46	
130	10	Thur.		4 50	7 4	2 15	4 45	
131	11	Frid.		4 49	7 5	2 52	5 45	
132	12	Satur.		4 48	7 6	3 31	6 42	
133	13	SUN.		4 47	7 7	4 33	7 36	
134	14	Mon.		4 45	7 8	Sets.	8 25	
135	15	Tues.		4 44	7 9	8 24	9 22	
136	16	Wed.		4 43	7 10	9 27	10 14	
137	17	Thur.		4 42	7 11	10 23	11 3	
138	18	Frid.		4 41	7 12	11 11	11 56	
139	19	Satur.		4 40	7 13	11 54	Mor.	
140	20	SUN.		4 39	7 14	Mor.	0 51	
141	21	Mon.		4 38	7 15	0 31	1 45	
142	22	Tues.		4 37	7 16	1 5	2 39	
143	23	Wed.		4 36	7 17	1 37	3 34	
144	24	Thur.		4 35	7 18	2 7	4 26	
145	25	Frid.		4 35	7 19	2 36	5 16	
146	26	Satur.		4 34	7 20	3 8	6 3	
147	27	SUN.		4 33	7 21	3 41	6 47	
148	28	Mon.		4 33	7 22	Ris's	7 29	
149	29	Tues.		4 32	7 23	7 22	8 7	
150	30	Wed.		4 31	7 24	8 14	8 49	
151	31	Thur.		4 31	7 25	9 1	9 32	

JUNE.

Moon's Phases. { Last Quarter, 6d. 2h. 17m. morning.
New Moon, 12d. 5h. 11m. evening.
First Quarter, 19d. 6h. 49m. evening.
Full Moon, 27d. 10h. 39m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
152	1	Frid.		4 31	7 24	9 45	10 15
153	2	Satur.		4 30	7 25	10 26	10 53
154	3	SUN.		4 30	7 25	11 3	11 39
155	4	Mon.		4 29	7 26	11 40	Ev33
156	5	Tues		4 29	7 27	Mor.	1 19
157	6	Wed.		4 28	7 27	0 14	2 13
158	7	Thur.		4 28	7 28	0 49	3 15
159	8	Frid.		4 28	7 28	1 26	4 18
160	9	Satur.		4 28	7 29	2 5	5 21
161	10	SUN.		4 28	7 29	2 48	6 22
162	11	Mon.		4 28	7 30	3 37	7 19
163	12	Tues.		4 28	7 30	Sets.	8 11
164	13	Wed.		4 28	7 31	8 7	9 5
165	14	Thur.		4 28	7 31	9 2	9 57
166	15	Frid.		4 28	7 32	9 49	10 43
167	16	Satur.		4 28	7 32	10 29	11 31
168	17	SUN.		4 28	7 33	11 6	Mor.
169	18	Mon.		4 28	7 33	11 39	0 20
170	19	Tues.		4 29	7 34	Mor.	1 10
171	20	Wed.		4 29	7 34	0 10	1 59
172	21	Thur.		4 29	7 34	0 40	2 51
173	22	Frid.		4 29	7 34	1 11	3 44
174	23	Satur.		4 29	7 35	1 42	4 34
175	24	SUN.		4 30	7 35	2 17	5 26
176	25	Mon.		4 30	7 35	2 58	6 15
177	26	Tues.		4 30	7 35	3 36	7 2
178	27	Wed.		4 30	7 35	Ris's	7 44
179	28	Thur.		4 31	7 35	7 44	8 25
180	29	Frid.		4 31	7 35	8 27	9 11
181	30	Satur.		4 31	7 35	9 6	9 52

JULY.

Moon's Phases. { Last Quarter, 5d. 9h. 8m. morning.
New Moon, 12d. 0h. 39m. morning.
First Quarter, 19d. 10h. 47m. morning.
Full Moon, 27d. 11h. 17m. morning.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
182	1	SUN.		4 31	7 35	9 43	10 33
183	2	Mon.		4 32	7 35	10 18	11 15
184	3	Tues.		4 32	7 35	10 52	Eve3
185	4	Wed.		4 33	7 34	11 26	0 53
186	5	Thur.		4 33	7 34	Mor.	1 48
187	6	Frid.		4 34	7 34	0 3	2 50
188	7	Satur.		4 34	7 34	0 43	3 53
189	8	SUN.		4 35	7 33	1 27	5 0
190	9	Mon.		4 36	7 33	2 17	6 6
191	10	Tues.		4 37	7 33	3 13	7 6
192	11	Wed.		4 38	7 32	Sets.	7 57
193	12	Thur.		4 39	7 32	7 39	8 48
194	13	Frid.		4 39	7 31	8 23	9 37
195	14	Satur.		4 40	7 31	9 2	10 21
196	15	SUN.		4 41	7 30	9 37	11 2
197	16	Mon.		4 42	7 29	10 9	11 45
198	17	Tues.		4 43	7 29	10 40	Mor.
199	18	Wed.		4 43	7 28	11 11	0 30
200	19	Thur.		4 44	7 27	11 43	1 17
201	20	Frid.		4 45	7 27	Mor.	2 14
202	21	Satur.		4 46	7 26	0 16	2 59
203	22	SUN.		4 47	7 25	0 55	3 54
204	23	Mon.		4 48	7 24	1 33	4 47
205	24	Tues.		4 49	7 23	2 18	5 43
206	25	Wed.		4 49	7 22	3 7	6 34
207	26	Thur.		4 50	7 22	4 0	7 21
208	27	Frid.		4 51	7 21	Ris's	8 4
209	28	Satur.		4 52	7 20	7 45	8 47
210	29	SUN.		4 53	7 19	8 19	9 31
211	30	Mon.		4 54	7 18	8 55	10 12
212	31	Tues.		4 55	7 17	9 30	10 54

AUGUST.

Moon's Phases. { Last Quarter, 3d. 2h. 21m. evening.
New Moon, 10d. 9h. 40m. morning.
First Quarter, 18d. 4h. 20m. morning.
Full Moon, 25d. 10h. 37m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
213	1	Wed.		4 56	7 16	10 6	11 40
214	2	Thur.		4 57	7 15	10 44	Ev31
215	3	Frid.		4 58	7 14	11 25	1 28
216	4	Satur.		4 59	7 13	Mor.	2 31
217	5	SUN.		5 0	7 12	0 12	3 39
218	6	Mon.		5 1	7 11	1 4	4 48
219	7	Tues.		5 2	7 10	2 1	5 52
220	8	Wed.		5 3	7 9	3 2	6 51
221	9	Thur.		5 4	7 8	4 4	7 43
222	10	Frid.		5 5	7 6	Sets.	8 26
223	11	Satur.		5 6	7 5	7 35	9 13
224	12	SUN.		5 7	7 3	8 9	9 53
225	13	Mon.		5 8	7 2	8 39	10 31
226	14	Tues.		5 9	7 0	9 11	11 10
227	15	Wed.		5 10	6 59	9 43	11 52
228	16	Thur.		5 11	6 58	10 16	Mor.
229	17	Frid.		5 12	6 57	10 51	0 37
230	18	Satur.		5 13	6 55	11 29	1 26
231	19	SUN.		5 14	6 54	Mor.	2 18
232	20	Mon.		3 15	6 53	0 10	3 13
233	21	Tues.		5 16	6 51	0 59	4 11
234	22	Wed.		5 17	6 50	1 49	5 9
235	23	Thur.		5 18	6 49	2 46	6 4
236	24	Frid.		5 19	6 47	3 44	6 54
237	25	Satur.		5 20	6 45	Ris's	7 41
238	26	SUN.		5 21	6 43	6 55	8 21
239	27	Mon.		5 22	6 41	7 30	9 8
240	28	Tues.		5 23	6 40	8 7	9 51
241	29	Wed.		5 24	6 38	8 44	10 35
242	30	Thur.		5 25	6 36	9 27	11 20
243	31	Frid.		5 26	6 34	10 10	Ev14

SEPTEMBER.

Moon's Phases. { Last Quarter, 1d. 7h. 13m. evening.
New Moon, 8d. 9h. 18m. evening.
First Quarter, 6d. 10h. 32m. evening.
Full Moon, 24d. 9h. 9m. morning.
Last Quarter, 30d.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
244	1	Satur.		5 27	6 33	11 0	1 13
245	2	SUN.		5 28	6 32	11 55	2 17
246	3	Mon.		5 29	6 30	Mor.	3 25
247	4	Tues.		5 30	6 29	0 52	4 33
248	5	Wed.		5 31	6 27	1 55	5 37
249	6	Thur.		5 32	6 26	2 57	6 33
250	7	Frid.		5 33	6 24	3 58	7 20
251	8	Satur.		5 34	6 23	Sets.	8 1
252	9	SUN.		5 35	6 21	6 39	8 42
253	10	Mon.		5 36	6 19	7 10	9 23
254	11	Tues.		5 36	6 18	7 42	10 1
255	12	Wed.		5 37	6 16	8 15	10 39
256	13	Thur.		5 38	6 14	8 49	11 17
257	14	Frid.		5 39	6 12	9 26	Mor.
258	15	Satur.		5 40	6 10	10 6	0 1
259	16	SUN.		5 41	6 8	10 51	0 48
260	17	Mon.		5 42	6 7	11 39	1 41
261	18	Tues.		5 43	6 5	Mor.	2 36
262	19	Wed.		5 44	6 4	0 32	3 36
263	20	Thur.		5 45	6 2	1 29	4 33
264	21	Frid.		5 46	6 1	2 29	5 31
265	22	Satur.		5 47	5 59	3 31	6 24
266	23	SUN.		5 48	5 57	4 38	7 13
267	24	Mon.		5 49	5 55	Ris's	7 57
268	25	Tues.		5 50	5 53	6 43	8 43
269	26	Wed.		5 51	5 52	7 23	9 31
270	27	Thur.		5 52	5 50	8 8	10 18
271	28	Frid.		5 53	5 49	8 57	11 6
272	29	Satur.		5 54	5 47	9 50	Eve2
273	30	SUN.		5 55	5 45	10 47	1 2

OCTOBER.

Moon's Phases. {
 Last Quarter, 1d. 1h. 13m. morning.
 New Moon, 8d. 0h. 2m. evening.
 First Quarter, 16d. 4h. 27m. evening.
 Full Moon, 23d. 7h. 17m. evening.
 Last Quarter, 30d. 9h. 49m. morning.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
274	1	Mon.		5 56	5 43	11 48	2 5
275	2	Tues.		5 57	5 41	Mor.	3 13
276	3	Wed.		5 58	5 40	0 50	4 15
277	4	Thur.		6 0	5 38	1 51	5 14
278	5	Frid.		6 1	5 37	2 52	6 7
279	6	Satur.		6 2	5 35	3 52	6 53
280	7	SUN.		6 3	5 33	4 52	7 35
281	8	Mon.		6 4	5 32	Sets.	8 11
282	9	Tues.		6 5	5 30	6 15	8 52
283	10	Wed.		6 6	5 28	6 48	9 31
284	11	Thur.		6 7	5 27	7 24	10 8
285	12	Frid.		6 8	5 25	8 3	10 40
286	13	Satur.		6 9	5 24	8 45	11 29
287	14	SUN.		6 10	5 22	9 32	Mor.
288	15	Mon.		6 11	5 21	10 22	0 16
289	16	Tues.		6 12	5 19	11 16	1 6
290	17	Wed.		6 13	5 17	Mor.	1 59
291	18	Thur.		6 14	5 16	0 13	2 56
292	19	Frid.		6 15	5 14	1 13	3 55
293	20	Satur.		6 16	5 13	2 17	4 54
294	21	SUN.		6 17	5 12	3 22	5 50
295	22	Mon.		6 18	5 11	4 30	6 43
296	23	Tues.		6 19	5 9	Ris's	7 34
297	24	Wed.		6 20	5 8	5 58	8 19
298	25	Thur.		6 21	5 6	6 47	9 12
299	26	Frid.		6 22	5 5	7 41	10 4
300	27	Satur.		6 23	5 3	8 40	10 54
301	28	SUN.		6 24	5 2	9 40	11 50
302	29	Mon.		6 25	5 0	10 43	Ev 48
303	30	Tues.		6 26	4 59	11 45	1 48
304	31	Wed.		6 28	4 58	Mor.	2 50

NOVEMBER.

Moon's Phases. {
 New Moon, 7d. 5h. 28m. morning.
 First Quarter, 15d. 9h. 11m. morning.
 Full Moon, 22d. 5h. 19m. morning.
 Last Quarter, 22d. 10h. 9m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
305	1	Thur.		6 29	4 59	0 46	3 48
306	2	Frid.		6 30	4 58	1 47	4 44
307	3	Satur.		6 31	4 57	2 45	5 35
308	4	SUN.		6 32	4 56	3 43	6 22
309	5	Mon.		6 33	4 55	4 41	7 5
310	6	Tues.		6 35	4 53	5 36	7 43
311	7	Wed.		6 36	4 52	Sets.	8 20
312	8	Thur.		6 38	4 50	6 1	9 2
313	9	Frid.		6 39	4 49	6 41	9 43
314	10	Satur.		6 40	4 48	7 28	10 22
315	11	SUN.		6 41	4 47	8 15	11 2
316	12	Mon.		6 43	4 46	9 8	11 47
317	13	Tues.		6 44	4 45	10 3	Mor.
318	14	Wed.		6 45	4 44	11 1	0 34
319	15	Thur.		6 47	4 43	12 0	1 26
320	16	Frid.		6 48	4 42	Mor.	2 19
321	17	Satur.		6 49	4 41	1 2	3 18
322	18	SUN.		6 50	4 40	2 8	4 17
323	19	Mon.		6 51	4 40	3 14	5 16
324	20	Tues.		6 52	4 39	4 23	6 15
325	21	Wed.		6 54	4 38	5 35	7 10
326	22	Thur.		6 55	4 38	Ris's	8 2
327	23	Frid.		6 56	4 37	6 25	8 56
328	24	Satur.		6 57	4 36	7 26	9 50
329	25	SUN.		6 58	4 36	8 29	10 39
330	26	Mon.		6 59	4 35	9 34	11 33
331	27	Tues.		7 0	4 34	10 37	Ev 28
332	28	Wed.		7 1	4 34	11 40	1 23
333	29	Thur.		7 2	4 33	Mor.	2 18
334	30	Frid.		7 4	4 33	0 40	3 13

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DECEMBER.

Moon's Phases. { New Moon, 7d. 0h. 29m. morning.
First Quarter, 14d. 11h. 47m. evening.
Full Moon, 21d. 3h. 38m. evening.
Last Quarter, 28d. 2h. 27m. evening.

Yr.	Mo.	Days of Week.	Weather Record.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	High water
335	1	Satur.		7 5	4 34	1 37	4 6
336	2	SUN.		7 6	4 34	2 35	4 57
337	3	Mon.		7 7	4 34	3 31	5 47
338	4	Tues.		7 8	4 33	4 27	6 33
339	5	Wed.		7 9	4 33	5 22	7 15
340	6	Thur.		7 10	4 33	Sets.	7 55
341	7	Frid.		7 11	4 33	5 25	8 36
342	8	Satur.		7 12	4 33	6 12	9 19
343	9	SUN.		7 13	4 33	7 2	9 59
344	10	Mon.		7 14	4 33	7 57	10 38
345	11	Tues.		7 15	4 33	8 54	11 19
346	12	Wed.		7 16	4 33	9 52	Mor.
347	13	Thur.		7 16	4 33	10 51	0 6
348	14	Frid.		7 17	4 33	11 53	0 54
349	15	Satur.		7 18	4 34	Mor.	1 46
350	16	SUN.		7 18	4 34	0 56	2 41
351	17	Mon.		7 19	4 34	2 3	3 44
352	18	Tues.		7 19	4 34	3 10	4 46
353	19	Wed.		7 20	4 35	4 19	5 49
354	20	Thur.		7 20	4 35	5 27	6 50
355	21	Frid.		7 21	4 36	Ris's	7 38
356	22	Satur.		7 21	4 36	6 6	8 39
357	23	SUN.		7 22	4 37	7 12	9 34
358	24	Mon.		7 22	4 37	8 21	10 22
359	25	Tues.		7 22	4 38	9 25	11 11
360	26	Wed.		7 23	4 38	10 29	12 0
361	27	Thur.		7 23	4 39	11 28	Ev 49
362	28	Frid.		7 23	4 39	Mor.	1 41
363	29	Satur.		7 23	4 40	0 27	2 33
364	30	SUN.		7 24	4 41	1 25	3 25
365	31	Mon.		7 24	4 42	2 20	4 18

Restless Mercurardus

MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 1866.

This morning I read and wrote awhile, went down town, talked with several persons who were at church Sunday and prepared to observe the New Year day by calling on ladies according to custom of the times. Dined at Gen Bapett's, after dinner went to Bro Hoaglands and took him out, I went out & made 16 calls not on those who were keeping "open house", but on the sick, the poor, the widows, the stranger. Thus we began the year. I rested soundly at night.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1866.

Read paper & wrote letters.
Pasted up my diary and
prepared for a new record.

Notified five of my mem-
bers to appear before the
official Board for dancing.

Am determined to break
it up if I have to turn
every one out of the Church
who indulges in it at all.

Went down town and
made some visits in
the afternoon. Got present
yesterday of \$20, and to day
a pocket Book to keep it in.
Bro Hedgepeth preached to night
good Sermon, good Cong, and
considerable seriousness.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1866.

In my Study, Read and
wrote, Began to prepare
a Sermon for night.

Wrote until noon.

Went down town and
to the Artists Studio.

Called on Sister M. Gibbons
for a religious talk.

Dined with her and
had a good talk after
dinner.

Went on the Street a
short time, then came
into my Study, finished
Sermon for the night.

Preached to a large Cong.
Had official Board meeting
of Trustees, 5 Ladies up for dancing.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1866.

Read Devote till ten o'clock
Went to P.O. and to Sister
Kempens.

Old Sister Gibson sent
her Carriage for us to go
out and spend the day
at her house. Sister

Purdleton went with us.
We had a pleasant day for
it and pleasant Company.
The dinner, family & Company
were all very nice.

Came home at four,
Went out and talked to some
of my members who had
done wrong. Preached at
night to good Cong. & was
receptions to the Church

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1866.

Read & wrote and entertained
Company till 11 o'clock

Went to P.O. and to Sister
Keady. Talked with the
family about the dance
they had there a few nights
ago, and for which I had
cited all the participants,
who were members of the
Church to appear before
the Official Board.

Called on four other fam-
-ilies.

Talked with Laura Lyon
another dancer who ap-
-peared before the Board.
They are all penitent.
Preached at night, Good Cong.
pen.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 1866.

Read Devote this morning
Began the preparation
of a Sermon for Sunday
morning on, "Beloved, now
are we the Sons of God" &c
Wrote till 1 1/2 and then
went to see a young lady
who was at the altar last
night. She is almost a
hard-shell Calvinist, almost a
Rationalist almost persua-
ded that she is lost & almost
persuaded that she is saved,
A bright intellect and a
heart fond of pleasure.
Received a present of \$100.
from Mr O B Buck,
Choir Meeting at night.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 1866.

Studied last night till half
past ten, did not sleep till
2 this morning.

Up as usual & studying
for morning service.

Preached at 10 1/2 to a very
large Cong. and with con-
siderable feeling. Tried to
rest in afternoon awhile
but called into S School
to teach a Class. Talked
with a number of mem-
bers after S School about
the meeting. Prepared a
Sermon in one hour and
preached to a very large
Cong. at night on "Why
will ye die?"

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1866.

Read and wrote, Had many Reflections on the work of yesterday. Wonder if the Solenn Services will not lead many Sinners to Repentance.

Went to post office and on the Streets. attended auction and purchased some articles of furniture. Obtained some Serbs for Advocate.

Baptized 5 of Mrs Browne's Children at 1 o'clock P.M. attended funeral of Old Sister Hostetter at 2, Relief Association at 3. Preached at night, 2 per.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1866.

Read lefan & wrote letters. Pasted up & prepared for the day. Had two calls to Report progress in the good work of grace sought to be promoted by the meeting. It rains and freezes, weather very bad.

I went & called on three sick ladies, one of them quite low & had sent for me. Came home and dined at 3 1/2 and began to prepare to preach at night. Felt so badly, about half sick, and it began to rain and storm. So did not leave the Church open at all. wrote letter to Gov. & others.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1866.

Read and wrote letters.
Posted up and finished a
letter to Gov. Fletcher asking
him to procure the passage of
an act suspending the pro-
-secution of Ministers of the
Gospel for not taking the oath.
With Rev Mr Manton and
Ledy & May, I went out
to Sister Reynolds and spent
the day. A goodly number
of persons were there and
the day passed off pleasantly
except Rain & Mud. Good dinner
good Company & good cheer.
Came in and preached to
Small Cong. at night.
2 per. 2 Con. & 2 Acceptors.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1866.

Read & wrote in my study
till 11^{1/2} AM. Went to
P.O. and on the Streets talking
with gentlemen.
The weather is very bad,
Rain & Mud, Mud & Rain.
Remarkable weather for
this time of the year, and
Mo. The prospect is for
a general thaw out.
Read papers, wrote
letters and straitened up
my papers in afternoon.
Got buggy & went down
to College after Ella. She is Sick.
Heard lecture at night on
"Mosaic Tabernacle" by Rev
Mr Starr, with Representations

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote,
Went to P. O. & market.
Began my preparations
for the coming Sunday.
Wrote on sermon for
Sunday night until 12^h.
My great desire is to
awaken sinners and
lead them to repentance.
For this I labor, pray
and write & preach.
Visited a little in
the afternoon and
transacted a little business.
Rev Joseph Manton preached
for me at night to a
good Cong, a good sermon
& acceptance.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1866.

Read and wrote, after
the ordinary morning
duties, I began again
my preparation for the
Sabbath. Had numerous
interruptions, but wrote
on until 1.0 clock.
My subject for Sunday
night is "Ephraim is
gained to idols; let him
alone." Pray God to direct
it, so that some may
be led to repentance.
Got a buggy & went to
the College after Mrs Porter.
Done some little business,
and attended Choir
Meeting at night.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14, 1866.

In my study early,
and studying for the
morning service. Desire
to remove the impression
that the success of the gospel
depends upon the manner
the, learning or the ability
with which it is presented.
But the demonstration and
power of the holy Ghost,

Preached to a good Cong. for
the weather (if snow) and
2 joined the Church,
Bro Frame formerly of
Kansas City, dined with me
Taught Clap in School
Preached at night to fine
Cong, and very serious.

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1866.

Read Overate Went to P.O.
and Market, Done some
shopping for Mrs L.
A heavy Snow storm is
raging all day, and the
wind lays heavy & carries
fiercely over the earth.
Read the Nashville and
St Louis Advocates.
and studied the Scriptures
for some time & then
went out to transact some
business on the streets
Took Ella to Peter College
and talked with Julia
Devore. Preferred if preached
at night to a small and
a Cold Cong, not much good
visible

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote
Had several members
to call and consult
about the meeting. We
are by no means satisfied
with results. Would that
we could discover the
cause why the work of
God does not prosper
more. Talked a great
deal about it.

Visited in the afternoon
several families, some
sick, some old, some peni-
tent. Preached at night to a
fine Cong. Some feeling.
Called on the members
to talk after sermon

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1866.

Went to market & P. Office
Read lesson and studied
the scriptures. Pasted up
and wrote letters.
Had some calls and sent
out Sister Kay & Sister Hoag-
land to do some pastoral
work for me. It was
very cold but they went
cheerfully. Am satisfied
that they can do good in
that way. Went out
after dinner & visited
several families. Tried to
find some who had joined
the church. Came home
and preached at night, 2 accep-

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1866.

Read lesson and posted up
Read papers and studied
nearly all the forenoon

Fel rather discouraged
about the success of the
meeting. Not much
interest manifested
by the Church. Some
little by the unconverted.

Went out in the after-
noon and visited several
families 5 or 6, although
the weather is intensely
cold. Began to preach
at night, when a fine
snow storm at Cappills snobs
and interrupted the services.

FRIDAY JANUARY 19, 1866.

This is fast day in the
Church. My own personal
devotions were interrupted
very much by the failure
of the sexton to make fire
and ring the bell for prayer
meeting, which I had to do
myself. There was a fine
snow storm but the room
was too cold for the meeting
to be very interesting.
However we had good time.
Several calls & one periton.
In afternoon the storm
continued so terrible that
I could neither visit nor
have church at night.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 1866.

Thermometer at 7 o'clock
was 12° below zero.

Read paper and could not
write for my ink was
frozen. Went to market
and P.O. at 10 1/2 a.m.

Bro Bird preached a good
sermon, and several of
the members got very
happy. Bro Hedgepeth P.E.
was present. I attended

the funeral of Bro W. W. Mead,
child at 2 1/2 West from the
Cemetery to Mr Landis's

See Miss Coral Landis, Sick.

Bro Hedgepeth preached at night
Bro Serr, 3rd Cong, 3 receptions

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 1866.

Read & wrote and tried to
prepare my own heart for
the Communion Service day
Bro Hedgepeth preached an
excellent sermon in the morning
and we had a profitable
Communion Season. The
Church was a little cold,

but the service was warm
Taught class in S. School
and had an interesting time

Read an incident in the "Advocate
& Journal" about a "Nobleman's
daughter" and forthwith prepara-
red a sermon on "He was despised
and rejected of men" and preached
at night to a large & very serious
congregation.

MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1866.

Went to P.O. and Market,
Read and wrote, and pro-
ted up the events of the
Quarterly meeting.
Good Congregations, good
preaching, much serious
rep. good Sacrament,
and a profitable time
generally.

Visited several places
in afternoon, found
some sick and some grived.
Quarterly Conference at
H. P. M. and one of the
best Love Feasts at night,
Quarterly Conf. after service
Bro H Devoree applied for letters

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1866.

Read and wrote, received
some letters from the
P.O. which required
attention. The snow
fell all day & the wind
blew and the weather
was very disagreeable.

In the afternoon went
out with Evans in a
sleigh, but it was too
st rough & cold to
enjoy the ride and
we gave it up, I went to
see a poor widow who
was about to be thrown
out of her house, Bro Hodge
preached at night, 2-Com,

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1866.

Went to market & P. Office.
Read and wrote, and re-
mained in my study
all the morning.

About 11 A.M. a wedding
party came in from the
Country ten miles for me
to marry them. It was
Kay & Miss Emma Samuel.
In afternoon I got a sleigh
and took Mrs L down to
the College to Mrs Partens
Musical Review. Then rode
around a good deal. Made
one call, took the children
out. Seraph Mrs Porterhouse
Hedgepeth preached at night
3 sermons

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1866.

Read & wrote, studied and
wrote an article for the
Gerald on Patee Female College.
Spent the morning till
11- in my study, then
went out on 5th St to Mr
McIntocks & married Mr
Alex B M Cornell and Miss
Fannie M Walker. Stayed
there till after dinner.
Went out and visited
several persons and several
families. Paid out \$11.90 to
the poor & directed the Com-
to a poor family in Patee town
Prepared & preached a sermon
at night. 2 per. 2 Con. & 1. accp

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1866.

Read lesson & wrote
Talked with visitors
in my study from early
this morning till 1 P.M.
Some were persistents
and others were on other
business. My interview
with persistents was
very encouraging to me.
It seems that God will
revive his work yet.

Wrote for the Herald, and
went down to College for
Miss Kate Baker & Ella

Preached at night to a good
congregation. 1 pen, 1 con-
and 1 accession.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote, went
to Market St. office

After reading awhile went
to work to prepare a sermon
for Sunday morning.

Wrote till 4 P.M. and after
dinner wrote an article
for the Herald on Pathe's
College & the Camps of Tenbury
Loafed an hour and rested
from my labors to recu-
perate for the Sabbath.

Wrote again at night on
my sermon for Sunday
and attended Choir Meeting
in which the new organ
was well tried.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 1866.

In my study early with my preparations for the pulpit. The morning is damp & disagreeable but a good Cong. came out.

Many doubtless attracted by the new organ, but I gave them as good a sermon as I can, and there was considerable seriousness.

Taught Class in School in afternoon, and rested an hour.

Studied my sermon for the night, and preached to a fine

congregation, considerable seriousness, 1 accession

I talked to the Church.

MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1866.

Read lesson and posted up. Meditated upon the labors of yesterday. My heart was sad all day yesterday & today.

I feel more than ever the responsibility of my work.

"We unto me if I preach not the gospel," and the whole gospel without fear or favor.

I rejoice that I have the promise "So I am with you always".

Visited several families in the afternoon & talked to penitents and sinners.

Had experience meeting at night. Good time, 2 penitents, 4 conversions & 5 accessions.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1866.

Went to Market P.O.
Read lesson and posted up.
Feel much better about
the meeting and much
encouraged. Read & wrote
till 11. Went to P. office again
and called on some of
the converts of last night.
Had a good dinner, profited
talk and service with two
of the converts.

Went to a fair auction
and bought a little set for
Lillie at \$2.00. Got a horse
and visited 4 or 5 sick fam-
ilies, one old lady blind & sick,
Wrote an article for the Advocate

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1866.

Read lesson & wrote. Had
some company and spent
the forenoon in my
study, except one visit
to Dr Chambers. His
family are all sick. his
wife very sick.

In afternoon went
down town, visited
Miss Maggie Harris, and
then got a horse & went
out and visited four fam-
ilies. Brought Miss Lanning
Keedy home with me.

Preached at night, good
cong. 1 per. & 4 acceptions
to the church, at Kay's after
church.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1866.

Read and wrote, spent
this forenoon in my study
Had some company, and
talked and read & wrote.

Feel more encouraged
about the meeting. God is
reviving his work and sinners
are being converted to him.
The Church is waking up.

Called on Henry Mitchell,
He wishes to join the Church.

Talked with him & others.

Got home and went to see
sister Rank she is quite ill.

Went to Hoaglands, he is sick.

Preached at night, Good congregation.

6 penitents, 6 conversions and
3 accessions to the Church.

3

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1866.

Read upon and wrote

Began to prepare the
Sermon promised to young
men for next Sunday night.

Wrote and read until one
o'clock, dined and went
out looking up the flock.

Feel much encouraged
with the meeting. Find
in many places evidences
of a genuine work of grace.

Visited some sick also,
Came home and prepared
and preached out night to
a very fine congregation.

Hard to move but at least
some 8 or 10 came to the altar,
& proposed Con. & 2 joined the Church.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1866.

Road & wrote, Had Company all forenoon.

One poor, heartbroken woman came to complain of her husband's neglect and get advice what to do.

I promised to see him.

Others interested me, also. But felt a deep sympathy for the poor creature whose husband's neglect is driving her to despair.

Wrote a Sermon for the Young men in afternoon and night. I get no rest scarcely day or night. But if God will only bless my labors with success it is pay & rest enough.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1866.

In my study early and deeply & soberly preparing for the service of the day.

Expect crowds & feel the responsibility of my office. At 10^o the church was filled and I preached on the "Character & destiny of the guest."

Had liberty & good was accomplished in the name of Christ.

Taught My Class in S. School. Met Teachers Association after S. School dismissed. Talked to them.

Finished my Sermon to Young men and preached to a crowded Church at night. Many Young men out & very attentive & serious. I joined the Church

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1866.

Read lesson & posted up the labors of Sabbath. Feel still encouraged. The Services and even Salem Crowds that attended Church yesterday ought to furnish much material for the labors of the week. Had good deal of Company this morning. Talked with the husband of the distressed lady who came to see me Saturday. I hope with some effect. Talked with many others.

Relief Association met in my study at 3. I proposed the establishment of the "Home of the Friendless". Preached at night to good Cong. no movement, & accession.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1866.

Read lesson & posted up. Studied the Condition of the meeting and tried to divine the Cause of so much backwardness on the part of those who really desire to be saved.

I am afraid the Church depends too much upon human instrumentality & not enough upon the power of the Spirit.

Went down town and talked with a number of gentlemen on the matter of their souls. Went to see a lady about dancing.

Preached at night to good Cong. on pray & faith, and penitence & one Conversion.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1866.

Read & wrote for 1 or 2 hours
Had company all the
ballance of the day till after
1 P.M. Many interesting
matters developed and some
very sad ones. Have wondered
often if other preachers
have as much to do with
other peoples domestic and
social relations as I have.
Must be as "wise as a serpent
and as harmless as a dove".
Out on the street visiting
and talking to people, and
getting acquainted with
strangers who attend Church.
Preached at night, Good Cong.
but some forward 2 Con. 1 accms

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1866.

Read and wrote, Duster
Came to ask me to write
to Jeff City for him, to
Gov. Fletcher to have his step
son released from the Penitentiary.
Kidesbaugh came
and talked on the subject
of religion for two or
more hours. Haven't much
hope of him. God pity & save
him. Dined at Mitchell's
with Mrs. L. and a number
of ladies.

Went down town and
talked with Kidesbaugh
again & others.

Read & wrote at night
and talked to Johnson

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1866.

Read lepro and wrote, post
and talked for there were a
number visitors this morning
One young man came
to tell me that himself
and others would join
the Church tonight. I saw
Lamer what more encour-
aged them for some days

Glad that young men are
"cleansing their way" according
to Gods word.

In afternoon went with
Mrs & Mrs Hoagland to call
on strangers & members.

Preached at night, good Cong
considering the wind.

2 per. and 3 acceptions.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1866.

Read lepro and wrote for some
time. Wrote on lecture to
young men for Sunday
night. Glad that I had no
company, or at least, very
little. My time was all put
in, and I feel encouraged
because 3 young men joined
the Church last night.

Continued to study for some
time in the afternoon and
then went out on the streets
and attended to some business.
talked to men on the subject
of their souls salvation

Wrote a little at night and
attended choir meeting in
my study.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1866.

In the Study early and busied with preparations for the pulpit. Tried to fix up a sermon for the benefit of those who do not believe in the divine appearance of Christianity.

Very fine congregation and very considerable feeling - 1 accession.

Taught class in Sunday School and talked to the school.

Finished my lecture to young men in a very crowded house even to the gallery. Had the best of attention. Had liberty and lecture had fine effect.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1866.

Went to Market St. Office. Wrote, Read & posted up, and spent the forenoon in my study. Had several persons to talk with me.

Reviewed the labors and events of the Sabbath, and find much to encourage me in this good work.

Such crowds of serious, attentive people cannot but be hopeful of good.

On the Street I talked with a number of gentle men about joining the Church. Some hope.

Prayer & Experience meeting at night. 2 accessions.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1866.

Read and wrote. Went to Market and P. Office.

Talked away the forenoon with Company in my Study much to my annoyance, as men sometimes seem to suppose that I have nothing else to do but to entertain them.

I did get time to write two or three letters.

Reorganized my Bible Class at 3 o'clock composed of young ladies. 8 or 10 present. Went downtown.

Had the young men of the Church together at night to talk of a Christian Association.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1866.

Read & wrote. Began the preparation of a "Lecture to Young Ladies," as promised for next Sunday night.

It was too cold to write or read much as the last night was furious with a terrible Snow Storm, and the only abatement is in the Snow. The wind blows furiously & the thermometer is 10° below 0, at 8 P.M. The afternoon was spent partly at home and partly downtown.

At night I got the Committee together & we prepared a plan to organize the young men's ^{Liberty} Association.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1866.

Read lesson and posted up
Went to market & P. Office.

Began my preparation
for Sabbath by writing
on my lecture to young
ladies. My mind dragged
heavily and worked clumsily
and it require quite an effort
to produce or arrange ideas.
All this was explained
when about noon I was
taken with head-ache, and
all through the afternoon
felt worse & worse, until
night, when I preached with
a chill on me to a good
congregation and suffered
all night with high fever.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1866.

Laid up in bed this morn-
-ning, good fashion, with
an attack of biliousness,
Took medicine last night
and feel very badly to day.
I now recall the many
kind admonitions of
my friends, not to labor
too hard, and the advice
so often given to close
the meeting. But I ap-
-prehended nothing of dan-
-ger to my health, and even
can't see now how my
labors could produce this
little affliction. It will
however not last long, and
be of spiritual profit to me.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1866.

Still sick in bed, not much improved by medicine. Have to take more. The Dr thinks I will be well by tomorrow. Now come again upon my mind the responsibility of the Sabbath Service. I hope I will be well enough to occupy the pulpit for the good of the many farming Conventions of the Church.

My very heart is drawn out after them. Two or three of them came to see me this afternoon.

I selected the Hymns for the Choir.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1866.

4 Felt somewhat better when I arose and began to think of the pulpit. Spent an hour in my study and began to feel too sensibly my inability to preach.

But the bell rung & the people poured into the Church until it was well filled.

I was barely able to open Services and call on two or three brethren to pray. Made a few arrangements and dismissed the audience for the day.

Went home and to bed. Did not go out again.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1866.

Feel somewhat improved and able to spend an hour or two in my study this forenoon.

Walked down to the P.O. and stood on the street a short time. Came home very much exhausted and had to go to bed.

Up again in afternoon and essayed to go on the street. Could not stay long. Returned read awhile eat a little supper and wrote off the plan for the organization of the "Young Men's Libian Association" which met at night. Admitted.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1866.

Read and wrote for some time and spent most of the forenoon in my study. at 10 o'clock went over to the Baptist Church and attended the Union prayer Meeting.

It will perhaps be a success, got them to change the hour to 11 a.m.

Felt a little improved over yesterday, but not much. Rested awfully after dinner. Then had my Bible Class at 3 - Laid up, rested & read at night, at home.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1866.

Read lesson and papers.
Wrote awhile on my Ser-
-mon for young ladies.
Had company nearly all
the forenoon and did not
leave my study. Talked
with Hoagland on the state
of the Church, and his trip
East from which he has
just returned.

Went with Miss Harris
in a buggy down in Tate
Town to see a young Mr
Pines in the last stages
of Consumption. Had an
interesting visit.

Prayer Meeting at night.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1866.

Read lesson & wrote on
Sermon for young ladies.

Read and wrote nearly
all the forenoon as I
had very little company.

It began to rain about
noon and I remained
at home until late in
afternoon, when I went
down to P.O. and stood
on the streets awhile.

Got in Bro Heaton's
buggy and went down
to Tate College with
Mrs & Miss Stibbs to the
Musical Concert. Had a
very fine concert. Came
home in a Buggy

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1866.

Spent the forenoon in
my study reading & writing.
Had very little company,
and could read & write
without molestation.

Wrote an article for the
Herald on the Concert of
Pater Female College.

Was invited to dine at
Sister Keedy's, but preferred
to spend the afternoon
in visiting the sick, the
blind and the news mem-
bers of the Church.

Was in my study at
night writing an article
for the Nashville Advocate.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1866.

In my study all the mor-
ning. Read lesson and
finished my Sermon to
Young Ladies, and, also,
my article for the Nash-
ville Advocate, about the
persecution & imprison-
ment of preachers in
Mo. Rested and read in
afternoon and went
down town. Spent some
time in Mr. Thompson's
Studio. Spent an hour
or two with my family
and then came into
my study. Read & wrote
till choir meeting.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1866.

In my study early trying
to study for the pulpit.

At 10¹/₂ had a very good an-
-dience and preached a good
sermon for me. At least,
there was much attention
seriously feeling.

taught class in S. School and
had a profitable talk with
them. Much interest and
curiosity manifested in the
sermon at night to Young
Ladies, Church was crowded
from the pulpit to the top
seat in the gallery & many
went away & such attention.
Think it done great good.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1866.

Spent the forenoon
in my study reading
writing and posting
up generally. Feel satis-
fied with the labors of
the Sabbath. There were
so many people at Church
morning and night
and such attention
that surely good was
accomplished.

Wrote a letter to Gov. Hetch-
er and took it down
to Prof Robinson,
Lectured the Young Men
at night. They elected of-
ficers of the Library Assoc.
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1866.

Started last night at 12
for St Louis on the Hann
St RR, with Mrs Porter
Miss Bell, Prof Robinson
daughter & sister in law,
a gay party,

Talked awhile and
then turned into our
Sleeping Car, and I slept
soundly till 8. Took
breakfast at Macon City,
then on North West RR to
St Louis, Lost my hat,
Mr Dummer gave me another
Arrived at St Louis at 7 1/2
P.M. and stopped at the
Southern Hotel.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1866.

Slepped late, Breakfasted
well and out in the city
to see friends & attend to
business. Went to Pinckard,
to Chick's Grubby, the
steamer "Agnes" for Nash-
ville. Back to Southern
for dinner.

Drove to Chick's, and
then to Pinckard's and
then at 5 1/2 went to
Dr Hobbs' at 7 1/2 went to
St Johns Wesley Chapel
and preached, 3 per and
2 conversions. Back to
Hobbs, where I stayed all
night.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1866.

Up early, Service and
breakfast over, I went
to Henry Chicks, fetched
my trunk and off to the
"Southern". Met with a
number of old friends.
Then to the Boat & Chicks
and Brubbs, & Richards
Back to the "Southern",
and took Mrs Porter out
to my place "House Flat".
Back to the "Lindell" when
we had been invited to dine
After dinner to H Chick
Up to see my place, Fege
at Shrelkelds Head Gough
at Mercantile Library Hall,

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1866.

Last night at the "Southern".
Bid Mrs Porter farewell
at H. Prayers with her and
talked to her about being
a Christian. She wept
very freely. Saw her a few
minutes this morning.
Started on the N. W. train
for home at 9 A. M.
with Capt Weaver.
Travelled well, and came
through to Mason City and
to St Joseph on good time
Slept well all night
and got here at 6 in
the morning.

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1866.

Landed at home at 6 am
found my wife quite ill
been sick for a week
Hope she will soon be well
She was rejoiced when I
presented her with a Photo-
graphic Family Bible and
very handsome Velvet Hymn
Book. She seemed to be as
much delighted as little Harry
over his first Birth or all
the children over their
Oranges & Candy. Found Mrs
L. Complaining. Staid with
her all day except occasionally
in my Study. Choir at night

SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 1866.

Woke very Study early and pre-
-paring for the pulpit.
A delightful morning and
a very fine Cong. was out
I preached on the "mystery
of Evil in the world" and with
considerable feeling.
A young lady joined the
Church
Attended S School & taught a
Clap. My Clap is becoming
more interested. Had one of
the best Concerts of prayer and
experience telling for the S.S.
I ever saw. Much good was done
My wife quite sick. Preached
at night to a crowded house.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1866.

Remained in my study
all the forenoon reading
writing and posting up
generally. Had several calls
and wrote some letters.
Mrs L is not well and
I staid with her from
1 to 3 P.M. At 3 the
Relief Association met and
did not adjourn till
after 4. I went to P.O.
and to stores. Met Com.
at 6 and drew up By
Laws for the government
of "Young Men's Library
Association" which met
at 7 1/2 and adopted them.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1866.

Read and wrote this
morning after returning
from Market & the P.O.
Had some company
of course. Two young
ladies came to join the
Church. Both converted.
Two Negro Women came
to get help. One of them is
certainly on the "list" and
will soon furnish some
doctor a case of "Obstetrics"; but
she has no husband. Gave her
a good talking & dismissed her.
Very interesting Bible Class
at 9. Opened Young Men's
Library and spent the evening
with Mrs L.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1866.

Went to P.O. & Market.
Read and wrote the most
of the forenoon. Had very
little Company and rem-
ained in my Study till 11.
Then with Sister Houghton
I called on some Strangers
and others.

Went down town
and procured a buggy
from Mr Richardson
Then took Mrs L and
visited several families
in Patee Lane & the
College. Came home and
had one of the best prayer
meetings I ever attended
Large number out.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1866.

Went to P.O. and Market
Came back and remained
in my Study till 11 a.m.
Went to see Sister Rank
and other families till
half past 12.

Am suffering much
with cold and laid up
for two or three hours.
Went out in town and
talked to some gentleman
on the streets.

Visited old Sister Lyon
and talked & prayed with
her. She may not live long
and her husband was
drunk. Came home & wrote
at night without interruption.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1866.

Suffering much from
Cold, I remained in my
Study till 11 A.M. and began
my preparation for the
Sabbath. Wrote & read for
some time. Went to P.O.
and stayed on the streets
till noon, attending to
some little business.

Read awhile in afternoon.
Wrote letters & prepared a
report of the state of the
Church for the Advocate.
Visited two or three fam-
ilies and spent the evening
in my study and with
my family, reading & writing.

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1866.

Went to market 9 P.M. early.
It is a bad, gloomy day,
and I am suffering dread-
fully with cold. Came home
and read and wrote till 12 1/2.
Continued my preparation
for Sunday and sent word
to Sister Black that I was
going to preach on the
subject she furnished me
Sunday Morning.
A Hack called for me at
1 1/2 to attend the funeral
of young Mr. Pines in Patee
town. Came back and
went to P.O. & downtown.
Attended Choir meeting
at night.

SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 1866.

Gloomy morning. In my study early, and preparing with all my might for the pulpit. Five come for the day. Preached on "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God."

Administered the Sacrament to a large number of Communicants, Sent for to see Sister Rank, She is very low,

Attended S. School, taught and then gave up my class. Not able to stand the Sabbath work. Rested & suffered from cold. Prepared & preached at night to a very large and very solemn congregation

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1866.

Went to P. O. and Market, Read and wrote and entertained company all the forenoon

Spent the time till 1- in my study, dined and fixed up bedstead for the servant girl. Went to P. O. with letters, and attended to some matters on the streets

Went out to see Sister Rank not much better, then to see Sister Brown a widow

was just going to the country. Came home to tea. Wrote the minutes of last meeting of Young Men's Library Association. Lectured to the Association in the Library &c &c

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1866.

Read Devote for some time
Went to Market & the P.O.
Came to my study again
and had company till 11.

Then went out and made
three pastoral calls on the
sick, Dined at Judge Spence's.
They are clear people.

Came home & rested an hour
then met my Bible Class.

Not so rainy out, weather bad.
Went down town, went
visiting. Looked at Sister
Kedys, with Mrs. S. and two
or three other ladies.

Pleasant social interview
with the family & solemn
evening service.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1866.

Read upon & posted up
Went to market & P.O.
Remained on the streets
till noon, talking with
gentlemen about the
Church & the library.

Begged a number of good
books. In afternoon had
a talk with Judge Spence.

Rested at home & read awhile
Went to the Court house
and had Marriage Certificates
Recorded. Visited three
or four families with
Mrs. S. and found a number
of books. Had an inter-
esting prayer & speaking
meeting at night. Of 12.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1866.

Went to market & P.O.
Read Lefan & wrote. Read
Remans life of Christ which
in my humble judgement

is a very pernicious work
It holds Christ of divinity
and yet makes his excellen-
-cis Superhuman

It is elegant and dangerous
Went down town. Raised
money for Bro Rank whose
wife has been sick for 4 months.
Poor fellow! Cant leave her.

Notable to work too proud to ac-
-cept a charity. Went to Sister
Kedys then to see old Dr
Galich. The old man will
die. at home with my family.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1866.

Went to P.O. and Market.
Read and wrote. Staid in
my study till 11 in prepar-
-ing Sermon for Sunday.

Then went out to Bro.
Isaac Owens to dinner.
Met a number of ladies
had a good dinner & a pleasant
chat afterwards.

Visited in afternoon in
North St Joe. four or five
families. Miss Nancy Cooper
very ill. Looked at the
Sounding Horse with
Mr & Mrs Morgan. Came
home and gained the verdict
of the court which the Grand Jury
found against me for preaching

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1866.

Read lesson & posted up.
Had some company and
staid in my study all the
morning. The Deputy Sheriff
for this County called and
served a writ on me issued
on an indictment found by
the grand jury of Buchanan
County for preaching the Gospel
without taking the oath prescribed
by the new Constitution
of the State. I would not give
bond & he would not put me
in jail. So we parted. I went
to see four or five sick. Wrote
an ang sermon, and attended
Choir meeting at night.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 1866.

In my study early and
busied with my manuscripts
and preparation for the
pulpit. Met a very fine
congregation at 10^{1/2} and preached
on the "Perfect Man" and
there seemed to be a fine
state of feeling.

Attended S. School & taught
class. Got Mr. Gibbons to
take the class.

Wrote on sermon for the
night. Had company.
My church was crowded at
night. Preached on "If our
Gospel be hid" &c. Never had
better attention or more
salute people. Good done.

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1866.

Went P.O. and to Market early.
Read & wrote until 10 1/2.
When Rev Mr Keller Epil Clerg
Called to accompany me to
the Court House where both
of us had to answer to an-
swers to an indictment
found by the last Grand Jury
against us for preaching
the gospel without first taking
the oath. We met the two
Catholic Priests in the same
condemnation. My case was
continued to September term
& visited & baptised a sick
woman Anna Green. Visited
Washburn. Library Association
at night. Dr Leach lectured.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1866.

Went to Market P.O. early
Read & wrote and wrote.
Posted up and wrote letters
and suffered myself to be
"bores" for two hours by a fellow
who has as little brains as
manners & will never be
killed by too much of either.
Called on Mr Honeman
and Bro Hoagland, both
quite sick. Bro Honeman
very sick of flux.
Taught my Bible Class in
the afternoon at 3. Had
weather shut few out. Had
a dispatch from Chillicothe
and started there at 12 at
night to assist the preacher

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1866.

Arrived at Chillicothe
this morning at 4 1/2.
Went to the "Harry House"
and slept till 9. Sent
Card to Bro J. D. Vinick and
got breakfast. Vinick was
glad to see me. Took me
around to see the brethren
of the Church. Dined at
Bro Hearn's, nice gentleman
and extra nice lady.
Attended prayer meeting
at 3. Not many out.
Took tea at Bro Mills.
Preached at night to a crowd
all civility and attention
audience serious but no
more any way.

6 THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1866.

Stayed last night with Bro
Mills, nice man, with a
nice home and a nice wife
in it, and kept well.
Read the papers and talked
with Rev A. Deper, my old
P. Elder, who I fear has
been crippled during the war.
Dined at Bro Saunders,
an old Virginia gentleman
a widower, with six children.
Elegant and warm hospi-
tality.
Rained the prayer meeting
out this afternoon, No one
came. Preached at night to
a fine crowd. Very solemn
but no more meeting closed.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1866.

Look Lee & stayed all night at Ben Vincils. He is a fine fellow, talented, eloquent & polished. With a nice, good, preacherish wife and six well behaved children. A decidedly pleasant family, well ordered and well conditioned.

Dined at Dr Williams, where I met a number of Methodist ladies, among them the wife of Rev Rabit Austin. Nice time, nice dinner. Vincil & I drew up a circular asking for facts in regard to the arrest of preachers in this state. Started home at

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1866.

Arrived at home at 10th last night. Look my wife by surprise. She was not expecting me till 6 this morning. Found her suffering with cold, but the children well.

Read Lapon & posted up as usual in my study this morning.

In afternoon, visited Sister Rank. She is still sinking. Went down on the street. Saw several persons.

Had Mr & Mrs Grubb, Sister Keedy and Anna Kay to tea with us. Attended choir meeting

SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 1866.

Up early & in my study.

Preparing for the pulpit.

Had been absent during
the week, and not time

to prepare for the pulpit.

Had a good congregation

Preached on the "Recognition

of Friends in heaven"

People very attentive and

Solemn. Many wept freely.

One man joined the church

Rested and read in afternoon

and prepared for night.

Fine congregation at night

Preached on the Parallelism

between Ancient
Israel and this Country.

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1866.

Went to Market & P.O. early

Came home and remained

in my study till 10^{1/2} reading

and writing as usual.

Found that no one had atten-

ded to the digging a grave for

Mrs Green, a pauper. Got

and order from the County Clk

Sent it to the "potter's field."

Attended the funeral with

Religious Services at 3. Took

hold of one end of the Coffin

and Mr Walker the other end.

Carried it out. Visited Miss

Nancy Casper, very low. Meeting

of "Bonne Mens Library Association"

at night. Bro Vanier lectured.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1866.

Read lesson & wrote.

Prepared to spend the day
at the Court House listening
to the argument on the
demurrer to the writ
against Mr. Weller & others
for preaching the gospel
without taking the oath of
the New Constitution.

But the case was stayed off,
and it will perhaps, not
be argued at all.

Bro. Burnett & others called
to see me. Went with Mrs.
L. through the rain & wind
up to Sister Keeley's to have
a parting service with her child.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1866.

Went to Market P. O.

Returned and read & wrote
as usual until Company
called. Dr. Leach spent the
most of the morning with
me and interested me
with his odd comparisons
and cute illustrations.

Read in Kenans life of
Christ and get affected
every time I read it and
yet it is interesting.

Felt badly all day and did
not visit any. Went down
Street. A gentleman gave
me a box of Cigars. Prayer
Meeting and Official Board
at night.

Saturday Mar 31-66

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1866.

Went to market & P.O. early
Came home to my study
and what with Company
a good part of the morning
I made some little progress
in my preparation for
the Sabbath. I read and
wrote a little in the after-
noon, but my little Harry
required some of my time
and I spent a portion
of the day down town.
After tea Mrs L & I walked
over to Mr Collins' and
sat a while. They are very
pleasant people.
Attended Choir at night.

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1866.

Read & wrote in my study
all the forenoon. Had no
Company and began my
preparation for Sabbath.
Wrote about an hour on
the "Cause & Cure of Unbelief"
preparatory to a course of
Sermons on the "Unbelief
of Professional men."
Went to P.O. and got a letter
from Mrs Porter.
Visited several new
members & families in
the afternoon. Visited Miss
Cowley's School. Went with
Mrs L. to Ben Hestons at
night. Wrote in my study.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1866

Read lesson and posted up.
Continued "Kerran's life
of Jesus" and can't help
but like it though I am
all the time disgusted with
the almost profane liberties
with the character, teachings
and motives of the ever blessed
Son of Mary

Mr & Mrs Snyder, Miss Sam
Lyon & Rev Mr. Miller and
others called. Went to P.O.
and for the Dr for little
Harry, not sick much
I hope. Visited Rev Mr. Lane
-man & 4 of my own Church
families. In my study at
night

SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 1866.

Up early and in my study
preparing for the services
of the day. Rev Mr. Paxton
Presbyterian and Agent of
the A. S. School Union preached
for me at 10^h to a fine
audience a good sermon
and asked a Collection for
his Cause, he got \$152.00
He lectured the S. School in
the afternoon very appropri-
ately. I attended Concert of
prayer for the benefit of the
S. School - interesting meeting
Finished my preparation
for the night and preached to a
fine crowd on the "Cause & Cure
of unbelief"

MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1866.

Warm & Windy. Went to work trimming my trees, making a scaffold to sun beds & other little matters about the yard. Felt that I needed the exercise, and kept out of my study on purpose to work physically. Went down town. Heard of a poor woman who died last night ~~by~~ having no one to care for her or bury her. Went to see about it.

It was so blustering & stormy that I did not go out much. Went to Kidenburg's, Met Board of Managers & School Com, at night.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1866.

Read & wrote for some time. Went to P.O. & Market.

Heard a good deal of talk in regard to the election to day. Was asked by Mayor Permick if I ever voted, said "no. Not since I voted for Bell & Everett in 1860." Don't know that I ever will vote again in this County till I can vote without swearing - taking an oath.

Went to Old Dr. Hayward's office and received from him a present of a full set of Clarke's Com. So windy that had no class. Prepared for a hunt tomorrow. Spent the Evening at Harris.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1866.

Up early. Service & breakfast
over, prepared for a hunt.

Rev G. D. Hoagland, H. H. Winkler,
Harry Mitchell & myself in two
buggies, went to the lake 4 miles
below the city to shoot ducks.

So windy & cold our hunt was
not very successful. I killed
two ducks & a rabbit, all the
game we brought home.

Three of us crossed the lake
twice in a little skiff, over
which the waves would frequently
dash. Did not know what
moment we would swamp.

Came home very cold. Got lost in
the woods 2 hours. Prayer Meeting at
night

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1866.

Read & wrote without the
interruption of ranch
company. Wrote a polite
note to Dr Howard ack-
nowledging the receipt of
a complete set of Clarke's
Commentary's translation.

Began by reading, and
writing a sermon for
aid to lawyers, regarding
"how far the profession is
responsible for unbelief"

Went down town & talked
with several lawyers.
Visited several families, some
of whom are sick.

In evening study at night with
Carlyle's "Gostor Rescuer"

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1866.

Read & wrote in my Study
all the forenoon without
much interruption.

Studied in earnest my Sub-
ject for Sunday night.

Found the young mens library
a great help to me in my
investigation & reference to
authorities. Wrote & studied
until noon, then went to
the Stone & to the P. O.

In afternoon read the church
papers for awhile & then
went calling with Mrs L,
called on 8 families, and
had a very pleasant time.
Went also, to see Sister Rank
in my Study at night.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1866.

7 Read & wrote without much
interruption. Heard of the death
of Robt Coleman by the hands
of Bro Evans. Went to see the
latter. At the jury of inquest
said it was in self defense.
Wrote on my lecture to Lawyers
"Inquiring how far the profes-
-sion is responsible for un-
-belief." Spent an hour on
the Street.

In afternoon had a call
from Judge Woodson. He
sat and talked 3 hours, a very
intelligent, interesting lawyer,
but skeptical. On the Street an
hour, Choir Meeting. I heard
Prof. Ryan lecture, An Electionist.

SUNDAY, APRIL 8, 1866.

In my study early prepar-
-ing for the pulpit. Revised a
Sermon to Probationers. Preached
to a very fine Congregation
with good effect. Baptized 7
probationers. Very solemn
and impressive service.

Attended the funeral of Robt
Coleman at 2 1/2 O'clock.

Good many people out, and I
tried to impress upon them
the certainty of death & the uncer-
-tainty of life, as forcibly as possible.

Finished up my lecture for
night & delivered it to a crowded
Church. Had unusual liberty.

Talked one hour and hope I suc-
-ceeded in convincing some lawyers.

MONDAY, APRIL 9, 1866.

Read upon & posted up. Feel
pretty well satisfied with
the service of yesterday.
and feel somewhat jaded
with the constant mental
effort of the day.

Walked out to see Miss Nancy
Cooper. She is very low.

Came home and rested in
the afternoon for several
hours, and read the papers.

Went down town and
heard a good deal said about
my lectures to lawyers last
night. Some object on one
ground, some on another, & some
approve. Young Mens Literary
Association at night & Carter ^{did}

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1866.

Read Devote, In my study
all the forenoon writing a
letter to Rev Henry Kay, a young
preacher of the Louisville Conf.
at the solicitation of his father
on the habits & style, the man-
-nerism & Character necessary
for a young preacher to form
A lady and gentleman came
in my study to be married.

Mr Joel Prickett & Mrs Nea-
-lissa Bradshaw of Ky. Had
but one witness, Henry Mitch-
-ell. Had Bible Class at 3 P.M.

Went down town & talked
with Physicians. Attended
Prof Ryan's lecture at night
Not much good in it.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1866.

Read Devote, Finished reading
the Bible through regularly
by reading five chapters
per day. This is about the
8th time I have read it throu-
-gh in that way, besides once
when a boy at College, and
my devotional reading and
study for the pulpit.

Began to study my sermon
to the Medical profession.
Read Devote. Went down
town to the P.O.

Assisted in putting up
shelves in the Class Room
for the Young Men's Library.
Went to Dr Leaches, Preached at
night. Trustees Meeting.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1866.

Read Lefson & posted up.

Read, studied & wrote a little
on lectures to the Medical
profession. This subject re-
quires more study than any
thing I have yet had occasion
because my attention has
been called to it so little.

I intend, however, to inves-
tigate it as thoroughly as our
discourse can show its tenden-
cies to unbelief. Procured
a horse at the stable and vis-
ited 8 families in different
parts of the City. Sister Cooper
was dying when I was there.
Preached at night on "Forgive
us our debts &c Good Covey,

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1866.

Funeral of Sister Nancy
Cooper in afternoon

SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1866.

Read upon Devote. Devoted a portion of the forenoon to the preparation of my lecture to Physicians.

Feel the importance of the subject, and desire to prepare well for the occasion.

Bro Hedgketh preached at 10 1/2 to a small Cong. Why don't the people turn out to quarterly meeting on Saturday?

Visited three or four sick persons in the afternoon. Two of them very sick. Wrote a little. Read a little & attended Choir meeting at night.

SUNDAY, APRIL 15, 1866.

Woke nearly an hour earlier this morning & in my study with my preparation for the night service.

Bro Hedgketh, P.E. preached at 10 1/2 to a small Cong, a good sermon and administered the Sacrament.

It rained hard just at church time and very few could get out. There were about 40 Communicants.

Rested & read in the afternoon, and familiarized myself with my lecture to the Medical Profession which I delivered to a crowded house at night. With good effect.

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1866.

Read & wrote for some time in my study.

Went to P.O. and stayed on the street an hour or more.

Attended the funeral of old Dr. Sanlich in the Baptist Church at 10 1/2 o'clock.

Went out to the Cemetery with the Masonic Fraternity and acted as Chaplain in the Ceremony. Bro. Manton preached an excellent Sermon in the Church.

Had Company in afternoon. Visited young Mr. Hunter who is yet quite sick. Had a good love-feast at night.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1866.

Read & wrote in my study for the most of the forenoon.

Had some Company.

Went to P.O. and to Miss Katie Beaches for some butter. Planted out trees

and worked about the yard in the afternoon until it rained, O. G. heard

Wrote letters and read papers, & talked with Hodge & Beth Gathers about the Gen. Conf.

Get the "Gen. Conf. Daily". Had Quarterly Conference at night. They always pray up. Talked over matters and things in general.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1866.

In my study Reading & Writing
Had a good long talk with
the Presiding Elder and some
others. Went to Market & P.
Prepared list of books for
Rev Henry Kay of Louisville
Camp at the request of his
father. Went to see Sister
Rank. She is still suffering
very much, and will hardly
recover. Planted out some
trees in the afternoon.
It began to rain again very
hard & I could not visit
but read the "Person of Christ"
by Dr Philip Saff, a very able
Reply to Strauss, Kenan & others

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1866.

In my study Reading & Writing
all the morning till 11 o'clock
Went to Market & P. O. Prave
= chased more fruit trees and
put them out in the yard.
Worked hard till 1 o'clock
and then it began to rain
hard and continued the
balance of the day, so that
I could not visit any.
I spent the time resting,
Reading & writing letters.
At night I wrote on Sermon
in answer to the question
"How much intelligence a man
must have in order to be a good
Christian?" asked by a Physician.
Read & wrote till 11 1/2 o'clock.

FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1866.

In my study reading & writing
as usual, writing particularly
on my sermon to the
"wise, the Scribe, the disputer
of this world," Wrote until
11 o'clock, went to P. Office,
and tried to find some
one who could sod my garden.
Settled up grocery bills,
Afternoon I went down
to Paterson visiting and
talking about building
another Church, saw a num-
ber of the leading citizens
who are anxious to have a
Church in that part of the city.
Read & wrote at night till
10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1866.

Read & wrote. It did not take
me long to finish up my
preparation for Sabbath.
Studied & read awhile, then
went down town and
talked with some gentlemen
about building a new
Church in Paterson.
Came home and worked
an hour or two protecting
my trees in my garden.
Visited some in the after-
noon and begged about
20 good books for the library.
Went to see H. O. S. families.
Came home selected
Hymns & attended Choir
Meeting at night.

SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 1866.

In my study pretty early preparing for the morning service.

Had a fine Congregation at 10¹/₂ and preached on the Moral delusion of men who "depart from the faith & give heed to seducing spirits & doctrines of devils." Asked Collection for repairs on the Church & Insurance. Got \$150.00, attended S.S. and lectured on "Thought Vices" Class. Studied a while and rested till night. Miss Margaret Hayflick came from St. Louis to dine with us. Preached at night, Good Cong. for

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1866.

8
Read and wrote as usual. Went to P.O. and attended to some business on the streets.

Worked about the yard and helped to fit up the reading room of the Young Men's Library Association. Looked down Staves &c.

Visited one or two families, one very distressed widow, and made arrangements to clean up the house & had the yard. Presided at the Meeting of Young Men's Library, Speech by

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1866.

After reading & writing
and doing up a little work
in my study, charging Books
to make walks, I went to
the internal Revenue office
and examined my Express
Receipts, stamped & cancelled
them. Got a lunch and
started for Weston Mo to
assist in a protracted
meeting. Got there at 2 1/2
and was conducted by Bro
Hedgepeth & Arrist to Sister
Gillespie. Spent the after-
noon talking and preached
at night to a fine congregation
in the old Episcopal Church

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1866.

Up pretty early, although
sat up late last night, talk-
ing with Mr Davidson &
Hedgepeth. Weather very
good.

Preached this morning
at 10 1/2 to a small Cong
on prayer and there
seemed to be the very best of
feeling.

Dined at Sister Gillespie's
Read & rested in the afternoon
until 4. Then strolled
over the hills overlooking
Weston, the River & Country.
Preached at night to a
good Cong, 5 penitents.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1866.

This is "Fast Day" by
Proclamation of the Gov.
of Mo, and I am fast
making preparation
to preach an appropri-
ate sermon. At 10^h
met a good congregation
and preached on "practical
Atheism" asked for the
sermon for publication
but declined. Dined at
Bro Reeds, Good plain relig-
ious family. Looked in at
Bro M. Schooley, formerly
a Northern Methodist preacher
preached at night, 5 penitents
and 2 Conv, 2 conversions.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1866.

Stayed in my room at
Sister Gillespies, until
church time. Preached
again at 10^h to a small
Cong. on "Evilings".
One penitent forward.
Dined at Dr Beaumonts,
with Mrs Davidson Mrs
Vineyard (once courted by
Mr A Lincoln,) Miss Williams
and others, Pleasant family
and party. Attended fune-
rial of Mrs Burns Child at
3^h. Looked in at Bro New-
shams, Preached at night,
6 penitents, 2 or 3 conversions,
and 2 conversions, fine Cong

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1866.

Last night closed my
services, here but the
Meeting goes on. Made
arrangements to start
a S. School here tomorrow
Got a good many inter-
ested. Visited several families
Dined at Sister Gillespie's
and started home at 4 P.M.
When I arrived at 6 1/2,
found my family well,
and a call for me to
see Sister Lyon, very low.
Wrote my Dad, selected
Mr. Harris, and went to
Sister Lyon's. She is indeed
very ill, will not recover,
I fear

SUNDAY, APRIL 29, 1866.

In my study early try-
ing to prepare for the
pulpit. My absence dur-
ing the week prevented
me from preparing
for today.
Met a fine Cong. at 10 1/2
and preached from the
text, "Is thine heart right?"
Good attention, good effect.
Rested & read & prepared
for the night service.
Put my arm out of
joint Canelesley & easily
from which I suffered
a good deal. Preached at night
to large Cong. on "Where is the
wise?"

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1866.

Am again in my study
as usual settled down
to work and with time
and inclination both
to review the past day & week
through which I have been
so hurried & crowded with
the constant labors. Feel
satisfied that good has been
done for the Worcester
Kingdom. Visited Doctors
and Lawyers who seem con-
-cerned about their future.
Visited Sister Rank (still sick)
and two other families.
Went out & took tea with
Judge Woodson & Mrs Jones,
wrote at night.

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1866.

8
Read and wrote, went to P.O.
and remained on the street
an hour. Came home and
wrote awhile. Then made
a call on Sister McGibbons
Went down town again.
Assisted Mrs L, a little in
taking down curtains and
preparing for "house cleaning".
Read "Across the Continent"
Went out calling. Visited
4 or 5 families, and some
very sick. Had a very pleas-
-ant and profitable time.
Came home and spent
the evening in my study
Reading, writing & talking.

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TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1866.

Read & wrote for some time
and went to P.O. & Market.
Remained on the Street an
hour very much interested
Called on Sister M. Gibbons
to spend an hour ~~partly~~
visited Mrs. L. a little in
her house cleaning work.
Read "Across the Continent"
a most charming work of
travels. Rested awhile.
Went calling. Visited 4 or
5 families. Some sick, some
recently bereaved, some going
away. Had a very pleasant
& profitable afternoon.
In my study at night reading
writing, talking

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1866.

In my study writing
early, Went to P.O. & Market
and the Peoria City to see
Sisters Keedy, Jane & Athens
Stout forky, assisted Mrs
and Mrs Key a little about
papering the lower rooms
of the Parsonage, and went
to work protecting my fruit
trees with frames. This took
me till 3 P.M., when I was
sent for to see Sister Brown
whom I found quite sick.

It began to rain & I did
not visit any more, But
settled some bills & attended to
other business on the streets.
Prayer Meeting at night.

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1866.

Read Devote in my study
for some time during the
forenoon, Went down
to the Dentists. Had a tooth
plugged & Athens fixed.

Remained on the street most
of the day till noon, Had a long talk
with Mr Richardson on the
Subject of Religion. Wish he
would become a Christian.

In afternoon I assisted a
little about house cleaning
and then visited 4 or 5 families.
Sister Lyon not expected
to live all much distressed.

Came home and heard the
papers at night. Feel very
much fatigued.

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1866.

In my study this morning. Reading & writing till 10 A.M. when I went to P.O. and to Market. Also to see old Sister Lyon who is a little better, not much. But she enjoys religious service so much, and has no fear of death, the grave or judgment. "All is well"

Put down two carpets for Mrs L after dinner and then went calling. Looked at Sister Evans and came home. Watered my grapes & trees and read the proceedings of the Gen Conf at New Orleans.

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1866.

In my study early. Read & wrote. Went to P.O. & Market. Came home & married Aaron P. Shallcraft & Mary E. Shallcraft. Both of Philadelphia in my study & got \$20.00

Wrote on my sermon for the morning & supping with a dreadful tooth-ache. Went to the dentist, & had it treated. Hurt me all the afternoon until just before night I had it extracted.

Went up with Mrs L to see Sister Lyon. She wasn't last many days. Helped the young man put down matting in the Reading Room.

SUNDAY, MAY 6, 1866.

In my study early this morning working on the sermon from which my text took me away yesterday. Prepared it and preached to a good congregation at 10¹/₂ on the Hill of Peter.

The people seemed considerably affected. Many joined.

Rested awhile in afternoon. Two gentlemen came one of whom was Jount Ketchum, for me to transact some business. Which I promptly declined. Attended at 4. Monthly concert of prayer. Talked with Jim Owen & Landis, & preached at night to fine congregation.

MONDAY, MAY 7, 1866.

After reading & writing and meditating in my study I went down town to the P.O. Sent a dispatch to Kansas City. Wrote to Weston, talked with Ketchum, tried to get him out of his trouble. He succeeded. Broke some money and done up other business preparatory to my journey. Went to see my sick, and found Sister Lyon very low. Rested & read. Went down town. Made several calls for books. Young Mens Library association at night. Debate.

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SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1866.

Read and rested to day
and wrote a letter to
the advocate, Slept in
afternoon and walked
out and talked to the
men on the streets

Found that there is
very little interest in
the meeting. Fear that
that the meeting wont
amount to much.

The members are
backslidden & cold and
wont be interested
it seems, Kansas
City is not as it was
once. Rained so that
we could not have church.

SUNDAY, MAY 13, 1866.

This morning dawned
bright & beautiful upon
Kansas City. and surely
the people will come to
church to day. Met a good
Congregation at 10 o'clock
preached with more
liberty than before good
impressions made.
Took dinner at Sister
Johnson's.

Preached at night to
quite a crowded house
and had good liberty.

The people were sober
and attentive, and the
impressions were made
for good. No more,

MONDAY, MAY 14, 1866.

This morning made
some calls on old friends
with Mrs. L. Stayed at
Sister Johnsons last
night. Talked with a
number of gentlemen
on the streets and felt
much encouraged with
the prospects of the meeting.
Some men talked very
favorable to joining
the Church. Took dinner
at Safflengers.
Lear at Drinkards
Preached at night to
aged Cong. for
penitence & acceptance
to the Church.

TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1866.

This morning I spent
in talking amongst the
gentlemen on the sub-
ject of Religion. Some
seem to be interested
about their souls, and
others are more anxious
to secure my services
next year as pastor of
the Church in Kansas City.
It rained this afternoon
and I spent the time
in writing a letter to
the Advocate.
No service at night
because of rain, and I
continued to write.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1866.

Today is bright and beautiful. Spent the morning as usual talking with gentlemen. Dined at Birkles in McGee's addition and had a pleasant time with many old friends. Called on Sister Holmes. She is looking up and expect to start away to Richmond Va.

Preached the funeral of little Nannie West at night, who got drowned about a year ago, in the Mrs River, Longe Ardine and deeply affected.

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1866.

This morning we had prayer Meeting and 5 or 6 penitents. Really a good time. It begins to look & feel like a revival. May God give it power.

Dined at Doffermeyers and read at McGrisins.

My time is drawing to a close and one more day I must be at home.

Preached at night to a good congregation 6 penitents and 3 conversions. Several accepting to the Church. Many wept as I bid them adieu.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1866.

Last night, or rather this morning at 1 O'clock A.M. Mrs L got on the train of the Pacific R.R. and started for Sedalia. I got on the Packet and started for home. By noon today we were 150 miles apart and traveling in opposite directions. If we continue thus we may meet on the other side of the globe. I got to Leavenworth at 11 o'clock. I got to Weston at one. Dined at Mrs Gillespie's. Took train at 3 1/2 and got home to St Joseph at 6 P.M. Read up my mail & talked at night.

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1866.

St Joseph Mo
Every thing is in confusion about the church as the ladies have been giving it a thorough cleaning. I can do but little more than write a few letters and read the papers. Called to see Miss Annin Kay's Father. A nice old gentleman. Tried to rest and sleep a little in afternoon as I have lost so much sleep lately. It rained. Wrote letter to Mrs L. Took tea at Mrs Kay's. No choir at night for the rains.

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 1866.

Up and in my study
early preparing for the
pulpit. Remodeling
an old sermon for
this morning on the
element of peace & recon-
ciliation with each other
taught in the Gospel.
Very fine congregation
every thing went off well.
Took dinner at Lockwood's
Superintended S. School.
in afternoon, & prepared
for night by remodeling
again.

Met a very fine audience
at night and gave them
a good sermon for me.

MONDAY, MAY 21, 1866.

Felt very much wearied
this morning, and not
much inclined to do
any thing. Went to Mar-
ket and P. O. Talked on
the streets awhile, and
then went out to see
Laura Lyon. Found the
family all broken up by
the death of the old lady.
Rested in afternoon
and went out on the
streets. Got breezy
and took Mrs Greenleaf
out riding. Took her
down to College.
Lectured to the Young
Men's Literary Association

TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1866.

Feel refreshed. Went to market & P.O., read the "Republican" & some letters. Pasted up and wrote letters during the forenoon.

This was a fine day for me as I had so many letters accumulated unanswered during my absence.

I could not call & it rained so much that no one could call on me, I wrote till 4.

Then went to the College and talked with the Brethren elect, Miss Robinson Pastorally, attended Concert at Baptist Church at night. Good thing.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1866.

Still raining this morning and I spent some time writing. Wrote to Mrs. L. Brit feel lonely & sad.

Went on the streets and visited one or two families. Talked to several gentlemen on the streets and spent the time as best I could.

Afternoon I lay down and read & slept. Got up and visited several families, Ridenbaughs, Kiley, and others. Dined at Dr. Chambers. Brilliant wedding at night at the College. Mr. V. B. Cook Miss Eliza Robinson. By W. W. Winton.

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1866.

Went to P.O. and Market
this morning early, then
to Mrs Lewis' to see Mrs
Ketchum. Her husband
is under arrest for obtain-
ing money under false
pretences. Went to see
W.W. Weth who had him
arrested. Got the trial put
off till tomorrow and
went to Atchison with his
wife to receive the money and
have him released. Satisfied
that the charge is not true.

Saw Col Chivington, got a
note from him. Came home
at 6 - don't know what will
be the result. Baptist Congreg
at night.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1866.

Went to Market P.O. and
read the "Republican" in
Dr Ellingwoods store.

Went out to see Sister
Rank and others.

Locked myself up in
my study and wrote a
long letter to Mrs L.

Had to devote some time
to study and could not
be interrupted. Hence
the lock up.

Dined at Kidenbaugh
and stayed there or talked
to the family awhile.

Bro Barnett called in
my study. Tea at Witches

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1866.

Before I got up Mrs Ketchum
called to see me and I had to
go out on the Streets for
her as soon as I got my
Breakfast. Succeeded in
getting her husband released
and returned to my study
by half past ten. I then
settled down and tried to
prepare a sermon for
Sunday. Feel very little
like studying and less like
preaching. Went out on
the streets attended to busi-
ness. Took tea at Dr Elling-
woods. It rained dreadfully
attended choir at night.

SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1866.

Up not quite as early as
usual but in my study
early preparing for service
studied hard until 10:15
and preached Sister Lyons
funeral to a large and
a Salem Congregation
on the destruction of death.
In afternoon I attended
S School and superintended
in the absence of Bro
Hoglan.
Studied awhile and pre-
pared for the night.
Preached to a large Cong,
on the "intermediate
state". People seem interested.

MONDAY, MAY 28, 1866.

On the train of the H. and St Joe R.R. Left St Joe at 12^{1/2} last night on a sleeping car. Waked up near Brookfield, where I breakfasted.

Travelled on without incident until 1 P.M. Reached Palmyra. Dined and got to Hannibal at 2 P.M.

Went to Vanderentens saw him & Barnland. Got on the Packet "Aridy Johnson". Met old Dr Sargent. Bro and Annie Kay. How pleasant trip down the River at night.

TUESDAY, MAY 29, 1866.

Arrived at St Louis at 8 A.M. Went to the "South Side Hotel" thence to the Back Room. Got letter from Mrs. L. Went to Grubbs office & Chicks Store and Presbyterian very abundantly. Heard a rich debate. The proceedings were quite animated. Went back in the afternoon. Heard Dr W. L. Buckenridge, Dr Humphrey & others. Went out to Kirkwood at 5:30 with Mr Grubb & Annie Kay. Met Mrs. Keedy, Emma & Mrs. Grubb. Attended a School Concert.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1866.

Stayed all night at Mr
Erubbs, and started this
morning at 7 1/2 to St Louis,
Met Prattman & others
attended to some business
and tried to sell some prop-
erty. Was busy all day
dined at der Moughs,
where I met a good many
Kansas City friends.
Witnessed the great Masonic
procession. Went to the
Boat with Mrs Keedy & Laura
and Annie Kay.
Went home with Pinckard
Called on Vinul at Hurstons.
Stayed all night at Pinckards

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1866.

Left St Louis on the Pacific
R.R. at 7 1/2 A.M. Travelled
up through the country
of my former labors and
called up many incidents
of early ministerial life as
place after place was passed
Arrived at Sedalia at 7 1/2
where I met Mrs L, her
Mother & Sister and Cousin
Sallie Major and many others
who had come 15 miles to
see me. It was a joyous
meeting of 20 minutes
when the train moved off
leaving Mrs L. & myself.
Arrived at Kansas City at 2.
P.M.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1866.

Arrived at Kansas City
this morning at 2 and
took the packed M. Gill
for Leavenworth City.

Arrived at Fort Leaven-
worth at 8^{1/2}, debarked
and took the Coach for
Weston, arrived at Weston
at 10^{1/2} A.M., stopped at Mrs
Gillespies, dispatched home
and went back to Kansas
City. After a good dinner,
went to sleep. Got up at
5 P.M., & at 8 started on
the train for St. Joe, when
we arrived at 11 in the
midst of a terrible rain
Storm.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1866.

Glad to find myself in the
dear old passage home
this morning and all my
family again at the dear
family altar and in good
health and safe. How much
gratitude I owe to the giver of
all good, I can neither express
or adequately praise.

Went to Market & P.O. and
began again my regular
routine of duties.

Brought Ellen up from the
College, attended to some
irregular business and
attended choir meeting at
night, & read papers.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 1866.

In my study early pre-
-paring for the pulpit.
Met a fine Cong. and tried
to preach a good sermon
in vindication of the wis-
-dom & goodness of God in
-permitting Sin to exist in
the world.

In afternoon I attended
S. School and taught class
afterwards attended prayer
meeting for the benefit
of the S. School

Met a good congregation
at night to whom I talked
nearly an hour on the changes
in our Church Economy pro-
-posed by the late Gen. Cong.

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 1866.

Went to P.O. & Market.
Read the papers. Took
Ella & the children to the
College, and Mrs L, out
to Ellingwoods. Got some
strawberries.

Wrote communication
for the Advocate, and a
few letters. Rested in the
afternoon and read the
proceedings of the General
Assembly of the O.S. Presby-
-terian Church. They will
split wide apart in about
a year. It rained hard.
H.M. Varies Esq. delivered a
fine temperance lecture

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1866.

Read Orate awhile
Went to Market & P.O.
Wrote letters and sent
Masonic Address to the
P. G. W. M. of St. Louis.
See from the papers
that I have been elected
Grand Orator for the Grand
Lodge of the State of A. T. M.
Read Dr. Brack's address
before the Gen. Assembly
of S. Presbyterian Church.
Wrote Poetry for three
little Tombstones for
Sister Penney. Went out to
See her. Spent the evening
with Bro. Bush at Evans.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1866.

Up early and off to Market
and P.O. No Mail today
and I felt disappointed.
Came home and wrote
a letter to the Advocate
and read the papers.
Went down town where
the ladies were getting
a lunch for the widows
and orphans of the South.
Got my dinner.
Went out and heard
Frank Blair speak to a
very large crowd upon the
political questions of the day.
Took tea at Washburn's Prange
Meeting. Married Jas. G. Dye
and Della Harmon.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1866.

Felt a little badly this morn-
-ing. Went to market
early, and got my mail
later. Learned that a good
many of the Members of
the Church went to the Me-
-atse last night. What must
I do with them? It troubles
me. It grieves me. What is
best to do I can't tell at present.
May God direct me. If the
rules in the discipline are wise
they should be corrected by the
proper authority. If right,
we should live up to them.
Heard part of Gov. Stoves speech
and a part of Blains speech at night.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1866.

After market & Post office
appeared, came into my
study and read the papers,
and began to study.
Had a call from two
strange ladies for help.
Gave them the help of good
advice. Also a call from
a young man.
Just as I began to pre-
-pare a sermon for Sun-
-day was sent for to go
to the Patee College and
spend the day. Went with
Mrs L. Had a pleasant time.
Made one call, came home.
Saw a boy walk by. Read
papers, went to bed.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1866.

Went to market & P. O.
Came home and began
again my preparation
for the Sabbath. Began to
write on my sermon
and about 10¹/₂ o'clock a tele-
gram came from Atchison
Kansas requesting me to
preach the funeral of Wm
P. Lawrence in my Church
at 10¹/₂ o'clock tomorrow.
This upset my calculations
somewhat, but I consented.
Began preparations for
the occasion. Went down
on the street in afternoon
and attended choir meeting
at night.

SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 1866.

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Up and in my study
early preparing with all
my might for the pulpit.
At 7 it rained hard & at 8-
at 10¹/₂ about 50 Masons
Came up from Atchison
with the Coops of W. P. Law-
rence, and the family
I preached the funeral
to a large crowd of gentlemen
and many ladies on account
of the wind. Services solemn.
In afternoon I went out
to a school house 3 miles and
preached to a good congrega-
tion. Came in & Rev Jos-
H Pritchett preached for
me at night.

MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1866.

This is a dull, rainy day
and my feelings are much
in keeping with the day.
After market P.M., I came
home to read and write.

Wrote a number of letters
and read letters & papers.

In afternoon rested and
read Albee's "Diversity" or

the Comparative age of
the world, An interesting

book. Went to school and
notified official members

to attend the board at night
but it was so rainy and

dark that we did not get a
quorum. Talked matters over.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1866.

Went to market & P. Office
as usual. Came home
and read papers & letters.

Wrote letters and mailed
them. Prof Robinson sent

his carriage up for me to
go down to the Examination

at the Patee College. Mrs L
went with me and we

remained till 1/2 P.M. It
was a very fine and did

credit to the Primary De-
partment. Went out in

town in afternoon.
Married Mr Joseph Dozier
and Miss Martha Dineen.

Nice wedding. Went to the
concert at the College, very good.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1866.

Went to Market & P. O.
Returned and read & wrote
Was sent for to go to the
College Examination

The Clases done finely ex-
cept one or two, who
got Composed. I got very
tired, staying there till after
2 P.M. Came home, eat & slept.
got up & wrote an article on
the Examination and the
exhibition at night.

attended the Exhibition
at night & acted as Chaplain
to the "Choir Society". They
spoke & sang well & B. K. Vine-
yard's Speech was one of the
best I ever heard on Sabbath Occas

THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1866.

Went to Market & P. O.
Returned and read & wrote
a while and the Carriage
Came for me to go to the
examination again.

The Clases in the higher
branches were examined
and very creditably, as
much so as any examina-
tion I ever attended.

Came home at 2 P.M.,
was again very tired. Eat
and slept, felt better. Got
up and wrote again an
account of Examination &c.
Attended the grand Cantata
at night. Splendid - & such
a Crowd

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1866.

Went to market & P. O.
Got my mail, went to
the river to see about the
boat on which we wish
to send Ella to Basenville

Came home and con-
-menced writing on my
Sermon for Sunday,
Wrote also some letters.

Rested in the afternoon
and read the papers.

Felt quite fatigued over
the labors of the week, the
excitement and lack of sleep.
Walked out in the evening
and stopped at Sister Kealy's.
Came home & read.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1866.

After market & P. O.,
the "Bellow-Stone" came
down and a goodly num-
ber of young ladies from
the College going down the
river. Put Ella on board
and sent her to Basenville
and thence to her Grand Ma's in
Pattis to spend the summer.
Came home & wrote again
on my sermon and wrote
another letter or two.

Rested a little in afternoon
when Robinson came
and talked truck-horns. Went
on the streets, Livery Stable
&c. Chris Meeting at night.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17, 1866.

Up early preparing for the pulpit at 10¹/₂ had a very full house preached on the Carnal mind and after the congregation was dismissed, I talked to the Church on their going, dancing and gambling, I think with good effect.

Went out to Walnut Grove in afternoon and preached to a very large congregation on "What will it profit a man" Came home very much fatigued and preached at night to a very large audience on "Be thou faithful unto death & I will give you a ^{crown}"

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1866.

Felt very much fatigued from the labors of yesterday. But my reflections found a great response in an approving conscience. I have done my duty, and leave results with God.

Went to Market & post O. as usual. Talked awhile on the streets, came home and rested & read. Went down town again, and a number of members confessed their faults. Visited a little in the afternoon and at night listened to a grand Temperance Lecture by Hon. Henry M. Vanis, to the Library Association

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1866.

Read papers, Went to Mass
- K. & P. O., where I had a
letter from the Committee
of invitation at Chillicothe
asking me to deliver a Mas-
- onic Address there June 23.

Accepted the invitation
and at once went to work
preparing. Read & wrote for
that purpose until 3 P.M.

Rested a little & read papers
Went down town & then
dined for 4 families.

After tea got in a hack and
went up to David Miller's and
Married Frederick J. Case
and Jennie Abrah.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1866.

After Market & P. O., and a
good Masonic Chat with
Judge Weimer. I came
to my study and read
and wrote and talked to
Company until dinner.

I am at work on
my Masonic Address
for next Saturday.

Feel somewhat embarr-
- ased for want of time,
but will do the best I can.

Rested awhile in after-
- noon. Then went with
Mrs. L. three miles in the Coun-
- try & Married John H. Hegner
& Miss Bettie Blackwell, P. M. at

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1866.

Went to Market & P. O.
Came home & read and wrote
Continued my preparation
of the Masonic Address.

Had considerable interrup-
tion of Company and other
matters, wrote a few letters
and spent the day principally
in my study.

Went to the Court House in
afternoon and recorded six
marriage certificates.

After tea went with Mrs
L to see Sister Rank. Talked
with Dr Adams a Skeptic,
and attended the Baptist
Festival at night.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1866.

Went to Market & P. O.
Talked with a number
of Masons on the street
about the trip to Chillicothe.
Came home & read and
wrote as usual on my
Masonic Address. Got along
without very clearly, because
I suppose I am trying to
make a good thing of it.
Rested in afternoon & how
it rained! Went out to Dr
Ellingwoods to tea with Mrs
L, and had the spicy Straw-
berries. Came home & finished
my Address. Selected Hymns
for Sabbath & prepared for the
trip tomorrow.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1866.

At 7 this morning started
on the #1st Co train for Chil-
dwick. Was & several other
ladies, aged 30 or 40 Masons
with a band of music to en-
liven the occasion, arrived
at Childwick at noon. Met
by Masonic procession. Conducted
to the grave where were assembled
3 or 4 thousand people waiting
for me. After washing the
dust out of my eyes, I spoke to
them for 40 minutes under
the pressure of a very high
wind. Then we partook of a
barbeued dinner & returned to
the train to get off by 8 P.M.
So much fatigued

SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 1866.

Up early & preparing for
the Sabbath services in the
pulpit. Feel very much
weary by the travel & labor
of yesterday. Had good Cong.
at 10 A and preached, I think
with good effect. Good deal of
feeling manifested. Two excep-
-tions to the Church. Felt fatig-
-ued and rested awhile in the
afternoon, then went into
the S. School and talked about
the picnic. We got up a good
deal of interest in the School
about it, I hope to make it grand.
Studied and wrote & read and
preached at night to a small
Cong. It is so hot.

MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1866.

Felt very much fatigued
from the labors of yesterday
Went to Market St. C. Came
home wrote & read a little.
Met the Com. on music
for the pie-eating tomorrow
Saw the leaders of two
bands, but neither could
be obtained on reasonable
terms, and declined to have
music. Fixed up sewing
for the children, and hair-
=mens for the Pie-eating, and
and spent afternoon and
Evening in preparation for
the coming festivities of
our S Schools.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1866.

12 A bright, beautiful morning
at 7^{1/2} o'clock the S Schools of
the Presbyterian (O. S.) Baptist
and Methodist, South, formed
procession. Marched to the
depot, filled a train of 10
Cars, went up to Southwold
in real holiday style. Got
out in Mrs. Smith's Grave.
Enjoyed two hours hugely.
Broke up by a terrible rain
storm. Sheltered in the
house & Cars. Wrote Com-
=plimentary Resolutions.
Came home read them from
an Orator at the depot.
One thousand people present.
Wrote notes for papers, Went to
see Mrs. Smith's Grave.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1866.

Felt fatigued to day from the excitement & labor of yesterday. Went to Market and P.O. Read & wrote articles. Stayed in my study till 10 o'clock then went to see Lucy Nixon, still sick and deranged. Called at one or two other places. Went down town and talked to several parties. Rested in the afternoon and visited a little. Went up to see Sister Weaver. Preached at night to a small congregation.

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1866.

Went to Market & P.O. and returned to my study. Devoted a few hours to study and then went out calling. Saw Miss Lucy Nixon. No better. Made arrangements to spend the day with a number of ladies at Bro Willis'. Had letter from Jennie announcing the death of my eldest sister Mrs Lizzie Porter Brown. Died in great peace and triumph. My heart was sad & peaceful all day. Had little taste for company. Went over to dook woods after tea. Bro Hedgeforth preached at night.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1866.

This is fast day and I did not leave my study to go to Market or the P.O.

Read the Scriptures, meditated and prayed more than usual. Feel sad any way on account of the death of my dear Sister, and my own unrighteousness. How far short of the standard of true piety I fall.

We had an excellent prayer meeting at 10. Good many out.

Rested awhile in afternoon. Called on Lucy Nixon and others. Talked to Mr. Whitt about joining the Church. Preached at night & he came to the altar as a penitent.

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1866.

Went to market, P.O., Read and wrote in my study until 10. Went to see Lucy Nixon. She is better. Mrs. David's son and Miss Gillespie came up from Weston to visit us.

Bro. Hedgepeth preached at 10 1/2 to Small Cong. a rather ordinary sermon for him. Assisted Miss Annie Etliche in putting down Matting in the basement aisle.

It rained but I visited a little. Talked to some of the members who are doing badly. Attended Choir meeting, and concert at Brady's Hall for the benefit of Library Association.

SUNDAY, JULY 1, 1866.

did not have to study much to day. Mr Hazell came in and talked to me about joining the Church, Capt Davidson also arrived from Weston.

Bro Hedgepeth preached a good sermon to a good congregation, about one hundred joined Communion to day and it was a solemn & an interesting occasion, two joined the Church on probation.

Attended School & taught class rested awhile and fixed up a sermon & preached at night to Father Slim Corey, on account of rain, it rained all night.

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1866.

Went to P.O. & Market. Read and frosted up, was down on the street with the ladies from Weston & Mrs. L. in the Gallery of Mr Mitchel and other places. Came home and wrote a long letter and overhauled papers &c.

It rained several times, but I worked a little about the yard and then visited and talked to some of the probationers.

Came home and had a good love feast at night. Baptized one child & 1 adult.

TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1866.

Went to Market & P. O.,
on opening my mail, I found
to my astonishment, a
letter from R. L. Todd Sec of
the Board of Curators of the
University of the State of Mo.,
announcing that the Board had
conferred on me the honorary
degree of "D. D." What right
have they? Why did they do it?

I am now to be in Western
parlance a "Dead Duck."

Took the Ladies to the College
and out riding. Worked awhile
and visited in the afternoon.

Spent two hours overhauling
the Church Register. P. E. held
4th Quarterly Conf. at night.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 1866.

This is our great national
day and many people are
out trying to celebrate
it in various ways to fire
up their patriotism.

After getting my mail
I came to my study where
I spent the day, mostly writ-
ting letters and overhauling
my correspondence.

Wrote letter in answer
to the "D. D." also to Bishop
Daggett, Uncle Ella, & others.

Remained in my study
and house together till
nearly night. Got some
fine works for the children
and had prayer meeting at
night.

THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1866.

Bright & beautiful day
Weather getting quite warm
Went to Market & P. O. and
Came into my study and
began preparation for Sabbath
by reading "Riches of Bazaar"
Went down town, and
made arrangements to
go out to Col. Ashtons to-
morrow with a party of
ladies & gentlemen to spend
the day. In afternoon I
visited 3 or 4 families, one
lady quite sick. Went with
Mrs L. to spend the evening
at Sister Cowders. Had a
very pleasant time.

FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1866.

This morning at 6 o'clock
drove up to take Mrs L. to
the country. A large party
of ladies and gentlemen
had been invited to spend
the day at Col. Ashtons. I
attended the funeral of Mrs
Baxter at 9^o and then took
Mrs Mitchell to the College, and
Miss Maggie went with me
to Ashtons. We had a very pleas-
-ant time. One of the finest
dinners ever gotten up in this
country. Wit, humor & good
cheer without wine, reigned.
Came in at 7 - Ordered Lun-
-cher from the Mill. Spent the
Evening at Morgan's pleasantly

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1866.

Went to work early on a
Sermon for Sabbath after
going to Market as usual
I read and wrote till one
P.M. then Bro Hoagland
and I went out to Sister
Richardson's to dinner and
to spend the day.

Had a pleasant, nice
time, good dinner, good
Singing, good Service, good
feeling, both Social Religion
and good Rain. Came home
through the Rain.

Read, Selected Hymns
and attended Chur Meeting.

SUNDAY, JULY 8, 1866.

It rained this morning
and I did not rise early
but from 7 to 10, I fin-
ished my Sermon but
preached another to a
Small Cong on account
of the Wind.

Preached in afternoon at
3 1/2 at School House good
Cong, and good State of
feeling. Rode out horseback.

Preached to a fine Cong
at night. More than
I have seen out for some
time. The weather is a
good thermometer of Religion
feeling in town.

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1866.

Went to P. O. & Market.
Felt much fatigued from
the labors of yesterday.

Preparing to go over to
Kansas, I visited several
sick persons and one or
two new members.

Transacted some business
at the Insurance office
for Prof. Robinson.

Rested after dinner till 3
and then prepared for
Kansas. Started over to
Yanthena at 4 with Mr.
Kidenbaugh, Mrs. L. and the
children. Stayed at Ben
Creels. Had toothache.

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1866.

After Breakfast I went
to the Woods with Mrs. L.
hunting Serpents. It was
so hot, Mosquitoes so bad,
and grass so wet with dew
that we did not leave the
road much, and did not
find any game. I felt
badly with toothache and
was not very well and did
not go out much during
the rest of the day.

Made one visit to a Camp
-le I married about a year
ago. Preached at night to
a very large Cong. for a
small school house.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1866.

I rested some better last night and feel better this morning. With old Bro Creel I walked up to Belmon to see Sister Clark. Her daughter was quite sick, but we would not see her. Sister Clark wished to join the church. Our family worship was quite interesting as she rarely gets to church or sees a preacher. Came back to Bro Creel and left at 3 1/2 for St Joe. Got home at 5. Had good prayer meeting at night. Reviewed the Probationers in the Official Board.

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THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1866.

After breakfast I felt quite sick and went to the drug store for medicine. I laid up in bed all the forenoon and part of the afternoon. A portion of the time I was quite unwell. The medicine made me feel very badly. Not much relieved by the medicine, I have relied up the resting of fasting. This is the best remedy for ordinary ailments. I felt a little better and rested a little better at night.

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1866.

This morning I feel very badly and I thought it best to take Grimine pills I laid up again all day and took medicine and read papers, The Grimine and other things made me feel wretchedly bad & so I could not study anything or read any thing with profit. But certainly passed one of the gloomiest days of my life. I slept very little and had very little satisfaction in any thing. Bro Hoagland came in and talked to me good after class.

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1866.

Feel very little better to day but my tooth hurt me so that I went to the dentist with it. Soon came home and laid up for the day. Improved gradually as the effects of the medicine wore off until late in the afternoon I went out on the streets to the dentist and P.O. Came home at 6 and married Mr Myron Pinkerton & Miss Gertrude Bineat in my Parlor. Heard George Francis's discourse at night, on Eccentric, erratic, prosaic, practical speech.

SUNDAY, JULY 15, 1866.

Up tolerably early and felt much better today. After a good hearty breakfast, I came into my study, lunched out & prepared to work preparing for the pulpit.

Met & preached to a fine congregation at 10:30.

Intended to preach 30 min but my feelings betrayed me into 45 minutes.

Laid up and rested in the afternoon. Did not attend S. School or preach at night. Went to hear Mr. Foreman of the Presbyterian Church.

MONDAY, JULY 16, 1866.

Went down on the street but felt so much prostrated that I came home.

The sun is extremely hot and my system is far from being recovered.

I lay by during the hot part of the day and that was nearly all day resting & reading.

"D. L. D. Intensity" by Albee. It is a singular book but very readable, and in many things instructive.

Had a talk with Mr. Hiett and proposed to take him to my house to reform him.

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1866.

Went down town
and made some pur-
chases to fit up a room
for Mr. H. G. G. Got breezy
and took Mrs. A. down to
the College to see Robinson
who is very sick. Mrs.
A. got some of Elias things
and brought them home.
Laid up & rested & read
in afternoon.

About 5 - We had one
of the hardest rains I
ever saw fall. The weather
has been intensely hot
for ten days, and it con-
tinued to rain nearly all
night.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18, 1866.

It is still raining slightly
and continued so off and
on the whole day and part
of the night.

After visiting M. D.
Morgan who is quite sick.
I spent the forenoon
hunting up Probationers
on the streets in the stores
and found generally.

Some of the young men
are not fit to be taken into
full membership but fit
to be left out. Don't know
what to do with them. Visited
5 families in afternoon and
held prayer Meeting at night.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1866.

Went to market & P.O., attended to a little business on the street, and then went to a funeral

of Sister Bigelow's grand child. Went out to the Cemetery and came in at noon.

Rested and slept in afternoon awhile, then went out and visited a number of the

proliferous. Am very anxious to take them all into the Church on Sabbath.

Found some ready & some not, some fit & some not, after Lee & Sister Kempfer

came, he and I went to see Morgan awhile.

FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1866.

Went down town and to Dentists. Remained on the streets till 9, then came home perfectly exhausted.

Went to bed and did not get out again till late in the day.

Felt quite unwell.

Visited a little and at night had company, Bro & Sister Kempfer.

Went out to Langris' to Lee & had a pleasant time.

SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1866.

Was out early this morning trying to find Probationers.

Have a great deal to do to day to get ready for tomorrow, and began to visit quite early.

It is very hot and I am afraid of the result.

Got a horse in the afternoon and rode out to

See a goodly number of Probationers.

Must get them ready for tomorrow.

at Church at night.

SUNDAY, JULY 22, 1866.

Up pretty early in my study preparing for the pulpit. I hope my strength will be sufficient for the day.

Had good Cong. at 10^{1/2}

Preached with liberty but physical weakness.

3 accessions to the Church

In afternoon, attended S. School and field at 4-

"A Regular Church Meeting

Received about 25 into full Communion and

baptized about 7.
Was exhausted and had to lay down as soon as it was over.

MONDAY, JULY 23, 1866.

This morning determined to take a trip to Niagara Falls, and had free passes granted & handed me by J. P. Hampe Esq. Agent of the C. B. & N. R. R. I attended to some matters of business preparatory to the trip, and wrote letters, and posted up generally. Went out to Col. Ashtons in the afternoon to get him to take care of part of my family while Mrs. L. accompanies me. Came in after supper by moonlight.

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1866.

This day I have been busy fixing for my contemplated journey. Got a buggy and took the children to Col. Ashtons and Alice to Mr. Langis. Fixed up business matters a little. Wrote letters and filed away papers. Went to Dentists & the bank, and made final preparations for departure. Got Mr. W. K. H. to keep the passage, started from home at 12 1/2 AM,

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1866.

Found myself sleeping
along the canal and
St. Joseph's this morning
towards Quincy.

The weather extremely
hot and we were out
on the train.

Was with Mr. Bailey, Mrs.
L. and myself through
the party.

We reached Quincy at
3 1/2 P.M. and left at
5 for Chicago.

Had a splendid sleeping
car and a fine run.

Slept all night.

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1866.

Woke up just in time to
see the Sun rise out of
Lake Michigan and
drop for Chicago.
Stopped at the Tremont
Hotel and spent the day
seeing the sights.

Traveled around pretty
extensively and gathered
up all the information
I could and wrote a
letter to the Herald.

Started at 6 P.M. on
the Michigan Central for
Detroit.

SUNDAY, JULY 29, 1866.

A lovely day, but
lain up all day with
the exception of Church
hour. I went to the
Presbyterian Church and
heard a very good sermon
from Rev. Woodgett.

I lay the ballance
of the day

Took rest & see at
night & felt better.

MONDAY, JULY 30, 1866.

Walked down to Prospect
Point to get a last look
at the Falls.

Left on the N.B. Central
at 9. for Lake Ontario
and the St. Lawrence
River & Canada

Took Steamer at Elizabeth
Town, the "Royal Mail Line"
for Toronto Canada.
At Niagara City Mr
Mason vice Confederate
Minister to England
got aboard.

We Reached Toronto at
3 1/2 and took Steamer for
Montreal.

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1866.

Waked up as we entered
the St Lawrence River.
All night on the Lake.
We passed Kingston and
began to wind among
the "Thousand Islands"
at an early hour.

How beautiful! How
delightful!

We passed down the
St Lawrence to day
furnishing the most
beautiful Romantic
Scenery. The Rapids are
terrific "Victoria Falls"
is grand and then
Montreal

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1866.

We spent this day in
the City of Montreal Canada.
Stopped at St Lawrence
Hall. Visited Cathedrals
Monasteries Churches
Gardens, Colleges, Streets
Reservoirs and many
places of note.

The day was spent
pleasantly and profit-
ably. And the night in
writing till late.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1866.

Left Montreal at 6 A.M.,
thundered through "Victoria
Bridge", passed down
into Vermont. Examined
by the Custom House
Officer. Two Engines
gave out. Reached Bur-
lington Vt. at 11.

Took splendid Steamer
on Lake Champlain.
Passed down the lake
to White Hall thence
to Saratoga Springs
where we arrived at
6 P.M.

It is the best formed and
most interesting place of America.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 1866.

Visited the Springs early
this morning and drank
of the Congress Water.

Walked through the
Park and spent the
day in sight seeing
and in rambling.

We stop at "Leland's
Union Hotel.

There are fifteen or
twenty thousand people
visiting here now.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1866.

Spent the day pretty
much as the day before.

Only becoming a little
more fond of the water.

Met Revs Mepes Wells
and Hancock, old
acquaintances.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 1866.

Attended Methodist Church
in the Morning and heard
a good long sermon
by Rev S. M. Chipman. He
is a good gospel preacher.

Attended "Leland's Opera
House" at 4 and heard a
sermon or discourse by
Rev Dr. Hagon of Albany,
an able man.

Attended Presbyterian Church
at night and heard a good
sermon by Rev Mr Kellogg
of N. Y.

MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 1866.

Started at 9 - this morning for N.Y. City.

Traveled down the banks of the Old Classic Hudson, and reached N.Y. City at 4 1/2

Stopped at the Old Metropolitan.

While the others of the party were viewing Broadway at night I was writing for the papers.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1866.

Called on Northrup and Chitt, and other old acquaintances,

and spent the day irregularly.

In afternoon went over to Brooklyn and stopped at Northrup's accepting the hospitality of his estimable lady.

Rest good at night.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1866.

Went over to the city
in the forenoon.

In afternoon got a
hack and drove thru
Broadway out Fifth
Avenue and through
Central Park

Spent the day pleasant
-ly.

Rested and wrote
at night

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1866.

Went over to the city
to see artists.
Then to Bismarck
Museum.

Then to Dr Deen's
Office, Nassau Street.

At 4. We started over
to New Jersey with
Mr Chick to visit his
people.

Stayed all night at
Bro. Sexton's, and had
a pleasant time.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 1866.

Came in from Jersey
in the morning at 8
and went up on
Trinity Tower.

In afternoon

Wrote for the papers
and rambled about
Brooklyn.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1866.

Visited several places
of interest.

Spent the day in
New York & Brooklyn
very pleasantly
and began to feel worried
with the sights.
Visited Greenwood Cemetery.
Went over to visit a
gallery of Fine Arts at
night but found it
closed.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12, 1866.

Went over to Trinity Church to worship with Queen Emma of the Sandwich Islands.

Crowds of people numbering by thousands were unable to gain admittance. I was fortunate enough to get with Mrs L within the length of a Pig of her Majesty and had a good side view.

There was a pathos in royal tears for Vinton's ^{discom} ~~discom~~

Heard a plain gospel sermon in Hanson Place Methodist Church at night.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 13, 1866.

It rained all day to day and kept us indoors for the most part.

There is very little Cholera in either N York or Brooklyn.

Had a long talk with Dr Deems, Editor of the Watchman in the afternoon.

Went to Dr Hutchison's at night.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1866.

Went over to N York
and then with several
ladies to Cape Henry
to see and bathe in
the Atlantic Ocean.
The sea was so rough
that I had to go in
alone.

Came back at 5- and
in great haste got
ready and left on the
Anderson River train
for home at 7, in
company with Mrs
Hutchinson & daughter,
slept well at night.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1866.

En Route for
home
Paper Suspension
Bridges at 1 P.M.,
Arrived at Windsor
and Detroit at 8 1/2

Took Sleeping Car
and slept over the
Michigan Central
line.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1866.

Arrived at Chicago
at 11^{1/2}. Despatched
home. Stopped at the
Adams House.

At 3 in Company
with Mrs Carter and
My S. went out in
a Steamer on the lake
to the Crile ^{two} miles
the end of the tunnel,

Delightful Ride,

Took Tea with Bro & Sister
Carter. Started at 10
on C B & R Road,

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 1866.

Arrived at Quincy
at 11^{1/2} took Lunch
and started for home
on H & J R R. at 1^{1/2}

Weather pretty warm

Began to feel weary
but every thing passed
off pleasantly. The
whole trip.
Arrived at Joe at
2^{1/2}, at home.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 1866.

Oh how Spid. First at
8 AM had to preach
the funeral of my
beloved Sister Kidenbaugh
Church crowded
largest funeral process-
ion I ever saw in
St Joseph.

Got the children
in from the Country

Had Choir meeting
at night.
Tried to sleep well

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 1866.

Began preparation for
the pulpit early
and preached at 10 AM
to quite a large Congrega-
-tion. Took up Whiston
-ary Collection don't know
how much

Attended S. School in the
afternoon and wrote
my obituary of Sister
Kidenbaugh

Prepared Sermon
and preached at night.
Very fine Congregation.
Favorable reception to the
Church.

MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 1866.

Read papers and wrote
letters and prepared
for another trip.

Read up a little, Pur-
chased "Eccle Horns" and
some Albums.

Visited Sister Taylor
who is very Sick,
and some others.

Spent the evening
at Ridenberghs and
in my study till after
10 finishing a letter
to the Advocate.

Left home on Platte Co
R.R. at 12 at night.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1866.

At Sun up road at
Leavenworth City,
Detained there 2 1/2 hours

Kansas City at 8 1/2

Left at 2 P.M., where
I got dinner, and a
buggy.

Went out to Ben Mayson
and Henderson Smiths. 16 Mi's
found Elie all well.

Stayed all night with
Charley, Henderson, Mollie
and Bethie.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1866.

Called at Jim Ham-
monds, Saw Capt H,
and Aunt Alice and
Sallie.

Took dinner at
Sallie Mayors, and
started home at
2 P.M. with Ella.

Arrived at Sedalia
at 5 - Found Mrs Shaw
formerly Sallie Finster
and took tea with
her. Left Sedalia on
the Pacific R.R. train
at 7 1/2 for Kansas City
and Leavenworth.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 1866.

At Leavenworth City
at 2 1/2 this morning
Stopped at the Brewster
house. Got on Boat
at 9 1/2 for Weston.

Left Weston for St Joe
at 11 A.M. and arrived
at 2 P.M. at home
again full safe and
slept but very much
fatigued.

Called on old Sister Hut-
chison at the R Smiths
after tea.

Spent day fixing up
new S. S. library.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1866.

At home again with
all my family around
me and feel grateful to
the Author of all mercies
that we have been pre-
served and reunited.

Posted up Drang, and
wrote nearly all the
forenoon.

In the afternoon I
visited several sick fam-
ilies.

Had official meeting
at night, after which
was sent for to see
Capt Weaver who was
scared very badly & sick.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1866.

Began to write of pro-
-pense for Sabbath but
went up to Weavers.
He is better.

Returned and found Rev
Dr Deasdale of Mississippi
Came to advocate the
claims of the Oppressed
of his State. Took him
to see Mrs Snyder Pres.
of Relief Association
Called on Mrs Adillors
in afternoon whose hus-
band was killed by Indians
a few weeks ago.
With Mrs L called on
Mr & Mrs Bryck
Choir at night.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 26, 1866.

Went at work this morning preparing for the pulpit.

Feel very deeply the importance of the time and subject. "His Second Coming without sin unto Salvation". Very fine Cong. and good deal of feeling.

Met and talked to S. Sefton
Met and talked to probationers in my study at 3.

Had Regular Church meeting at 4. 2 baptisms and 3 taken into full membership.

Dr Leasdale preached for me at night: a good sermon

MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1866.

Read and prayed up this morning, and then called on some of the new members.

Went down on the street attended to some little business and went calling.

Rested and read in afternoon.

Rev Jesse Bird was brought down from Savannah and lodged in jail. I went to see him. Went after Woodson, and got Bird out. Sent for Henry, judge, and Leasdale.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1866.

Read and wrote. Went to P.O. Wrote a letter to Gov Fletcher about the Moles in the State who murder and beat, and imprison and run off our preachers. Ask if it received the sanction of the State authorities.

Wrote an article for the Herald about Patee Female College.

Went with Mrs L. visiting. Called on 6 families, two of whom were quite sick.

Had Company at night. Went home with Mrs Hutchins.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29, 1866.

Read and wrote. Went to P.O. Attended the funeral of Mr Straffs Child in North St Joseph and visited 3 or 4 families. Came home nearly exhausted with the long walk through the heat and dust.

Laid up and rested in afternoon. Bro Hedgepeth came and talked awhile. Wrote a little and then went to the Dentists and on the Streets.

After Tea walked down to Evans. Met Bird & Hedgepeth. Had good prayer meeting.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1866.

Read and wrote. Went to P.O. and several places down town.

Had company the most of the morning. Went to Riderbanck, & Mitchells.

Then to Hoaglands to dinner with a good large party of friends.

District Stewards held a meeting in my study at 2.

I wrote an article for the paper about Pater Female College. Had company.

Made one or two calls. Met Com. of Young Men's Library association at night.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1866.

Read and wrote. Did not leave my study until afternoon. Mind much perplexed. Never so troubled in spirit in my life. Don't know what to do about returning to this Church next year. Scribed the Case to the Head of the Church and my P.E.

Took dinner at Capt. Heavens or Bro Owens.

Visited several sick persons in the afternoon and wrote an article for the Herald. Talked with Bro Hedgepeth at night.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1866.

Spent the forenoon
in my study talking
with friends and pre-
paring for the Sabbath.
Began to write on my
Sermon for the morning
and felt quite badly in
view of many little an-
noyances of the past few
days. What must I do
about returning to this
Church? Will leave the
whole matter in the hands
of the appointing powers.
Went down to see Robinson
in the afternoon.
Met choir & wrote at night.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1866.

Feel somewhat relieved
in my mind and could
think and prepare better
for the pulpit.
It rained a little and I
had but a small Cong.
Preached and Boro Bird
Closed with prayer.
Lectured to S. School on
the picture of "Moses and
the burning bush"
Rested and Read until
Supper. Preached to a
good Cong. at night on
the functions of a Prophet
Look up Conference Collec-
tion. Got about \$100.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1866.

After a little time in my study I went down town. Got up my bills for settlement. Had a settlement with the Stewards when they had paid me \$2100, as during the year. They are a clever set of people in St Joe, and I parted with them with great reluctance.

I finished up my papers - arations for Conf.

Straitened up my Church Register and made up Statistics for Conf.

Delivered lecture to the Young Mens Library association

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1866.

This morning at 2 1/2 I left St Joseph on the H & St Jo R.R. for the session of the Wm Conf at Richmond in Ray County. At daylight was at Hamilton where I met over 30 preachers on their way to Conf. After a good breakfast we got in 3 Stage Coaches and traveled to Knoxville where we got dinner already prepared. Got to Richmond at 5 P.M. and distributed to our homes for the time Boardland & B at the "Planters House". Heard Cape preach at night.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1866.

Wrote early, wrote letter
home, and at 9 A.M.
Bishop D. S. Daggitt called
the Conf to order. The Religious
Services were peculiarly
Solemn and impressive
After nearly an hour
spent in singing & prayer
the Conf. proceeded to
organize and appoint
the Regulars Committee.
I am Chairman of
Com. on Education and
on the Com. on Missions.
We had no afternoon
Session and Bro B. H. Spencer
preached the Conf Sermon
at night. It was good.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1866.

After a letter to Mrs L,
I repaired to Conf room
where I have a table assign-
ed me as Reporter to
the Advocate, and where
I do a general Clerking
business for any Deacon
body and in any & every
thing I have just as
much business as I can
do. Called Com. on Education
to meet at my Room.
in afternoon when we
had a general Consultation
over our work.
Preached at night to a
Crowded Audience.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1866.

Sent off yesterday to the St. Joseph Herald an account of our "Stage Ride to Conf." Another letter home and repaired to Conference Room. The Bishop confines the Conference to the Examination of Character, and the business is a little monotonous.

Had meeting of Com. on Education in afternoon and prepared some Reports.

Brs Vandewenter preached at night a most Excellent Gospel Sermon, with power

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1866.

Another letter sent off home this morning and also my reports to the Advocate. Conf. convened at 8, and proceeded with the election of Deacons & Elders, and preparation for their ordination tomorrow which occupied the morning Session. Com. on Education met again, and also Conf. Miss. Society. Miss Mary Annier sang at night. The Bishop was sick and I had to do all the speaking. Stakenup the Col. which was \$275.00

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1866.

This morning was very
raining and muddy. The
Bishop preached to a large
crowd at 10^{1/2} one of the
finest sermons I ever
heard. It was rich in
thought, elegant in diction
and succinct in power.
Scarcely ever excelled in the
pulpit. "The Epistle of Paul."
He ordained five Deacons.
Bro Monroe preached at
3 and the Bp ordained ten
Elders. All the services
were solemn and inspiring.
J. A. Murphy of St. Louis Conf.
broke a rainbow over the
Cong, at night. He left its fragments

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1866.

Another letter went
home & another to the
Advocate. Conf. convened
at 8 and the morning
Session was taken up
with miscellaneous bus-
-iness, and the finishing
up the regular minutes.
The Record of the Kansas
Conf. was disposed of.
Com. on Education met
and finished up our
business, and got all
our reports in reading.
We are approaching
the end. W. B. M. Farland
of St. Louis Conf. preached
at night. Good sermon

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1866.

Another letter home,
This is the great day of
the Session. The Bishop
presented the action of
the late Gen Conf on the
change of name from
M. E. Church South, to
"Episcopal Methodist Church"
for the Concurrence or non-
concurrence of the Conf.

After a long & able debate
running to a late hour in
the afternoon the Conf.
Voted for 28 - Against 30.

Also on "Lay Representation"
Conf. voted largely for Concurrence.
Presented reports of Com. on
Education, till late at night.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1866.

Conf. Convened at 9 -
Finished up the business
-ep. and got our appoint-
-ments and Adjourned
at 12 - amid the deepest
Religious Emotion.
The Bishop is a great and
a good man.

We filled 6 Coaches
from Richmond to Ham-
ilton, which latter place
we reached at 8 P.M.
I preached to a good Cong
got my supper and
got on the train at 11 o'clock
for St Joe which I reached
at 1 1/2 A.M. All right.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1866,

Arrived at home this morning at 1 1/2 or 2 - and found my family well and all right.

Felt very much wearied after the labors & travels of the day and night and glad, truly glad to get home. I am reappoin-
ted to St Joseph Station and come to enter upon the labors of the 3^d year. What will be the result God only knows.

Attended the funeral of Bro Hemphord's Child,
Went to Putee College, Home at night.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1866.

Cut up some grass in the yard. Came into my study and began to review the situation. My feelings were very peculiar. I aim to make the experiment of the third year at the same Church. With God's help or aid thus sanctioned this change in our economy? or will it fail? Wrote "Up North No 5" for the Advocate. Dined at Bro's seatons. Went on the street. Visited Maddings Sister Callinan, Went to Depot to meet Vinel and to Putee J. College.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1866.

This morning I went to Market and P. O. for the first time in weeks. It was raining & windy. Came home and began preparations for the Sab. Began to write a sermon on the Character & Trials of the Apostle Paul. Feel much better today in my spirits than I did yesterday.

Read, wrote & rested awhile in afternoon. Went on the street. It rained. Went to Ridenbaughs after tea, and then attended Choir Meeting at night.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1866.

In my study and finished my sermon for today. It rained last night & today and I did not have a large congregation. "Preach the Word" was my subject and the people seemed quite interested. Four joined the Church amid a good state of feeling. Rested awhile and then went to S. School & taught Class. Had good deal of company after S. School. Studied awhile for the night and preached to a good congregation on the Character and Trials of Paul.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1866

Read wrote & posted up.
Went to P.O. and Market
Staid on the Street talk-
ing with gentlemen
about Patee College, nearly
all the morning.

It rained nearly all
day, and I could not
get out much.

Read and rested. Came
into my study and
wrote letters and again
Sallied forth through
the Rain on the Streets.

Mrs Laird & called
on Mr & Mrs Keller at
night. Rainy & dark as it was.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1866.

Very gloomy & windy
I went to market
and P.O. Came home
and wrote and read
awhile, and then went
out through the Rain
to attend to the Re-
newal of Subscriptions
for the Advocate. Got
a good many Renewals
and some new ones.

Read and wrote after
noon. And attended
funeral of Mr & Mrs
Bigelow's Child. Went
to Burleighs after Tea and
Came home and Read.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1866.

Rainy and cold to day
Spent the morning
in getting subscribers
for the Advocate and
in getting old subs re-
newed. Was successful
and began to make
preparations for my
departure for Conference.
At 3 P.M. started on
the train for Weston
in company with
Judge Woodson and
others. Had an unpleas-
ant trip. Arrived in
Leavenworth City too late
for the train. I stopped all
night.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1866.

Stopped all night at the
Planters House in Leav-
enworth City. Started
on the Pacific train
at 7. Reached Kansas
City at 9.
Arrived at Warrsburg
at 12 $\frac{1}{2}$. Got dinner
at Mings Hotel and
then went to Rev Mr
Bells.
Called on all the
Southern Methodists
I could find.
Looked in at Col Crit-
tendens and stayed all
night with Mr Ball.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1866.

Started at 7 A.M. in
the stage with 8 other
passengers for Lexing-
ton the Seat of the St.
Louis Conf.

Traveled all day till
3 P.M. when we reached
Lexington in good order.

Bro F. A. Mann of
St. Louis was preaching
the funeral of Mrs. der
Bull, at the Church.

I went by special
invitation to Judge
Bylands and took
up my abode. Called
on the Bishop and heard
Adkison preach at night.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1866.

Am much pleased
with Judge Bylands
family. Bob Pirek
and wife are
also here.

Attended the Conf. Ses-
sion this morning
and looked over some
upon this old body of
ministers with whom
I was separated 16 years.

Many of them have
passed away.

Met Committee on
Education in afternoon
in regard to Central
College. Heard G. M.
Proctor preach at night.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1866.

This morning I stayed
in my room and
prepared to preach in
the Episcopal Church.
Who ever heard of such
a thing before? Preaching
by invitation of the
Vestry in the Episcopal
Church! Well, I had only
a small Cong. but I
preached the best I could
and the people paid the
very best attention.

Heard Frank Morris
in the afternoon and
Rev Jacob Ditzler at
night. And such a con-
trast. The latter a learned

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1866.

In the Conf. Room early
this morning after
an interview with
the Bishop.

The Conf is becoming
more interesting.
I wrote the Report of
the Committee on Edu-
-cation. Bishop Doagett
dined with me at
Judge Rylands.

I went out to the
Cemetery with some
ladies. Saw the graves of
my two precious babes.
Took Tea with Congingum.
Made speech on Bible
Cause at night.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1866.

Attended Conf. early.
found that the Com.
on Education after
accepting had torn up
my Report & written
another, which was
averse to the action I
wished them to take.

I had a sharp debate
over it in the Conf. Room
principally with Bro
Finney. I gained my
point but not exactly in
the shape I wanted it.

Heard Prattman preach
the funeral of J. S. Headlee
at 3. Also Dehon make a
Missionary Speech at night.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1866.

This morning Session
was occupied in the
discussion of the change
of the name of the Church
from M. E. Church South
to Episcopal Methodist
Church. The discussion
was quite exciting because
it took a wide range
and the Speakers were
often called to order.

No action was had up
to 3 1/2 P.M., when I left
on the back for Richmond
where I preached at night
and stayed all night
at Bro Procters.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1866.

Called to see a very
sick lady at the Hotel.
Wrote until 2 o'clock
and then started on the
stage for Hamilton.

Travelling all day with
good weather and good
company. Read news
papers and talked till
we arrived at Hamil-
ton at 6 o'clock P.M.

Had good supper. Tried
to rest & sleep but could
not. Got on the train
of St. Joe R.R. at 11 P.M.
and reached St. Joseph
at 2 A.M.

Glad to get home.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1866.

Found my family
well and my wife un-
-easy about me but
all glad to hear of me
the family after again.
Read up my mail
and finished a Com-
-munication for the
Baltimore Episcopal Meth-
-odist.

Felt a little sick in
the forenoon but rested
and slept until I got
over it.

Called on two families
one of whom had been
bereaved of a child.
Rested well at night.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1866.

After reading and talking with Compsans till ten, I began my preparation for the Sabbath. Began order upon on Evs, omniscience. Read and wrote until 1 1/2 when I rested a little and then called on the Sick.

Went down on the street and attended to some little business.

Read at night, attended Choir meeting and wrote on my Sermon for the Sabbath.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1866.

A bright & beautiful day. Locked myself in and studied for the pulpit. Had a very large congregation and preached with liberty. 3 receptions by letter.

attended S. School made lecture and taught Class.

Had Company after S. School

Bro Wm Kersh P. E. preached at night a good, common-place practical sermon.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1866.

Read & wrote this morning until 10 A.M. Went down town. Talked with gentlemen on the street, and went to Sister Hoagland's to make arrangements for visiting in the afternoon. At 2 1/2 P.M. Mrs Hoagland & myself started out, and made ten calls before night. Some of the persons on whom we called were sick. Rev Mr Hargman delivered a lecture before the Young Men's Library Association at night on "Death"

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1866.

Read & wrote this morning. Went out in town for awhile. Attended an auction sale of furniture. Made one call and came home very sad. Heard on the street that Mr Nelson Smith, a young man just married three weeks ago, was taken this morning with Cholera. He died at 5 1/2 P.M. how sad. & how sad. With Mrs L. I made 6 calls, and spent the evening at Capt Cox's aided Barber in a debate.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1866.

In my study, reading
and writing in the
Morning. John L. Warren
and Miss Chloe Baldwin
came in and got married
at 10-A.M.

I attended the funeral
of Youngville Smith
at the Presbyterian Church
at 10 1/2. Assisted Mr. Foreman
in the Service. Bro's
Bird, Vinell & Robinson
called. Made 4 calls, one
on the bereaved family of
Smiths, Led Prayer Meeting
and Married Mrs. Chas. M.
Ryan & Miss Mary Foreman.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1866.

Read Leper and wrote "Up
North No 6" for the St Louis
Advocate. Remained in my
study all the forenoon.
Had some company and
two gentlemen who wanted
me to marry them.

Continued to write in
the afternoon till 4.
Then with Mrs L. made
two calls & went down
town. After tea went
out to Old Joe Davis and
Married Mr W. E. Embrey
and Miss Elizabeth Davis. Came
back to John C. Evans & married
Mr. Jos. H. Huntzberg & Mrs. Hettie
Huntzberg. Had nice time.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1866.

Read upon Devote. Heard of the death (suddenly) of old Mr. Cornell a member of the Baptist Church and as his preacher was absent from the city I went up to see the family. He passed away without a struggle at 2 o'clock a.m.

I went down to the College to see Bro. Vincil's daughter sick. Found Sister Vincil. Called with Mrs. L. & Mrs. Hoagland on 6 families. Called on Mrs. M. Gibbons after tea and set up preparing sermon till near midnight.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1866.

In my study early writing on sermon. Went up to Mrs. Cornell. Preached the funeral of Mr. Cornell in the Baptist Church at 10 a.m. Mr. Manton, the preacher had arrived & assisted in the service.

In the afternoon I stopped about in the stores and talked to gentlemen for two hours. Went to see Mr. Cornell sick. Attended choir at night and read Shakespeare Richard III. till 10 o'clock.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1866.

In my study early
preparing for the pul-
pit. Had some difficulty
in settling my mind on
any special subject, but
the course of the Bride-
groom suited me the
occasion. Preached to a
large congregation
3 joined the church,
attended S School, and
afterwards read Eccl. 12
Led the meeting for a
concert of prayer for
the S School at 4 P.M.
Bro Rush preached at
night to fine congregation

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1866.

Read and wrote for
some time and then
went on the street, to
see some gentlemen
about lots in Patee town
to build a church on.
Called to see the Hoagland
Sick.
Came home and wrote
letters on various subjects
rested and read in the
afternoon, and then
went out calling.
Found one family in
deep distress about their
neighbors. Called in the
evening on Mrs Smith and
Sister Creal in affliction

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1866.

Read and wrote this morning for an hour or two, then went down on the Street and was invited into a Photographers Gallery and sat for my picture, and went also into another for the same purpose.

Came home and wrote a letter or two, and wrote "Up North No 7" for the Advocate.

Visited 7 families with Mrs L. Some of whom were sick. Had official Board at night. They fixed my salary at \$2,000 for this year.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1866.

Read & wrote this forenoon, and sat again for my picture at Mitchells. Came home and finished my "Up North No 7" and sent it off to the Advocate. Read for some time and rested awhile in the afternoon and wrote letters. Visited also, and talked to gentlemen on the Street and in the Stores.

The prayer Meeting at night was well attended and quite interesting. The P. Eleler was present. Read an hour after the prayer Meeting.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1866.

Read and wrote this forenoon and sent again for my picture. Hope the Artists will be satisfied and let me alone.

Went with Bro Cape of Chilliwothe to the College and to see the P. E.

Recorded four Marriage Certificates.

Dined at Walter Mitchell's with a pleasant party.

Made a few calls.

Took tea at Prof. Bryants with Mrs L. Met Bro

Bush & Bro Cape at night and talked over a plan for a Church Extension Association.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1866.

Read Devote and had company until 10 1/2 A.M. when Prof. Robinson sent for me to come down to the College. I had a long talk with him about the future of the College, and then visited several new members of the Church, and, also, called on Mr. Carpenter to see about a lot upon which to build a new Church.

Came home much fatigued. Rested awhile & went down town. The same people had a Wite Society at my house for the Library Association.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1866.

Read & wrote this morning
Commenced & wrote on
Sermon for Sunday morn-
-ning until 12. Feel much
interested in my subject.

Rested and read the papers
a while in the afternoon
Called on Sister Rank
She is much worse,
Will not live long, I think
Called on several other
families and spent
some time on the street
with friends. Attended
Choir meeting at night
and wrote an Sermon
afterwards.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1866

In my study early prepar-
-ing for the pulpit. Interrupt-
-ed several times but got along
and had a very fine Congregation
Preached on the Conversion of
Zacchaeus with good effect,
Lectured to S. School in
the afternoon and taught
Clap. (Mrs Hoaglands) Expected
them to come for me to
attend a funeral in the Coun-
-ty but they did not, and
I prepared for night.

Had a fine Congregation at
night and preached on the
Murder of Abel. It was a
Revised Masonic Address.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote
for some time and then
went down town.

Came back and went
with Mrs to see Mrs
Ranch and take dinner
with Judge Spence.

We had a good dinner
and enjoyed the Society of
the Judge and his wife
very much. Walked out
and made several calls

At a meeting of the
Young Men's Library of
we had an interesting
debate & a splendid oration.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1866.

This morning I was
up before 5- Arrived
to Bro Kay's to breakfast
preparatory to a squirrel
hunt with J. Deery, Hannal
Kay & Mitchell. Went out
in haggis, about 6 miles

Hunted & shot Squirrels
nearly all day, had
a fine sport, a good dinner,
with good luck, broke
down in the leg and we
all came home at night
satisfied and well pleased.

Assisted the young men
at night in selecting a sub-
ject and preparing for a
debate.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1866.

Feel very sore & tired from my hunt yesterday and laid up and read papers. Read lesson and posted up in the forenoon. Went out on the street long enough to attend to a little business and then came home and laid up and rested till 3 1/2 when I went to work preparing a sermon for the night.

Made arrangements for some ladies to sit with Sister Ranzek.

Preached at night to a small congregation on "Seeking these things which are also"

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote went down town and attended to some business. Came home and read and wrote.

After dinner rested & read Advocate and other papers. Then went to see Mrs Ranzek and found her growing worse. Spent the balance of the afternoon trying to find some one to sit up with her at night. Bro Ranzek preached for me and I went to a wedding and married Mr. Bensons & Miss Elicka Edmondson, at Mr Maxwell's

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote.
Spent the morning
in religious devotions.
Fasted & prayed & read the
Bible until 10 o'clock
and then led prayer
meeting. Had a good
turnout and one of
the best meetings I
have attended for a long
time.

Settled some bills
and made some purch-
ses in the Store. Prepared
a sermon and preached
at night to good congre-
gation. Good effect.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1866.

Read lesson and wrote.
Went down town, and
attended to some little
business. Came home
done some little work
and attended church.

It is the first Synodal
meeting, and Bro Bush
P.E. preached to a tolerably
good congregation. He had
District Stewards meet-
ing at 3 P.M.

Went to see Mrs Rank,
and then to get some one
to sit up with her at
night. It rained here,
had no choir meeting.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1866.

Read lesson and prepared for services at Continey to Rain, but Bro Kush preached to a fair congregation a very good sermon. The Sacrament was deferred.

Attended S. School in the afternoon and made lecture to them on the Commandments.

Went to the Calaboose and married Mr Samuel Devlin & Miss Nancy Kenedy, at the residence of the Calaboose keeper. Bro Kush preached at night, good Cong. and administered Sacrament. One joined the church.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1866.

Read lesson and posted up. Went out on the street and attended to some little business.

Hunted up a gentleman with some difficulty to get him to endorse a note. Went with Mrs L. calling in the afternoon on some strange ladies.

Went to see Sister Rank she is drinking, and cannot last long. Procured some ladies to sit up with her. Had a most excellent Lane feast at night.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1866.

Went to market & P.O.
After much trouble I
succeeded in fixing up
my stove in my study.
Read lesson and wrote.

Had a long talk with the
Rev Henry Kay, son of our
good Bro Jos Kay. Henry is
a Member of the Louisville
Conference, and a nice young
man of much promise.

Read papers after dinner
and made several calls.

Recorded two Marriage Cer-
tificates. Came home and
preached at night to a
small congregation.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1866.

This morning remained
in my study with a very
gloomy state of feelings for
me, for it is not usual
for me to give way to de-
pressions of the kind but
this was one of the darkest
days of my life. Will God
be merciful and cause his
countenance to shine upon
me again? I read Gods word
and prayed through the whole
forenoon without relief. O
God, do not abandon me!
Called to see Sister Rank, & Henry
Kay, went out to Ashtons and
preached at night to small
congregation.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1866.

Read lesson after coming home from Ashtons when I had stayed all night after preaching at the school house in the evening.

Found that Sister Kamek had died this morning at 5 o'clock. Went over to see the family about the funeral. Hunted up Bro. Rush, P. E. to get him to excuse me from the Quarterly Conf. to night.

Went out to Sister Garding to sea and to the school house where I preached to a crowd. 200 penitents. Stayed at Ashtons all night.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1866.

Came home this morning and made fires, opened the Church & rung the bell for the funeral services of Sister Kamek. A good thing got and I preached with liberty. Came back from the Cemetery by one. Eat dinner, I read & wrote until time to go to my appointment in the County.

Wm. L. went with me. We took sea at Sister Gibbons and stayed all night with her. Had a glorious meeting. 18 penitents, 13 - Con, & 13 acceptings.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1866.

Came in town early and after going to P.O., went to work preparing for the Sabbath. Began to prepare a Sermon for Sunday night on the life & character of Nelson P. Smith.

Feel smartly worn by the services of the week.

Got Bro Hoagland to go out to the School house & preach for me at night. Attended to a little business down town. Wrote my Sermon and attended Choir meeting at night. Continued my preparation till nearly 12 o'clock.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1866.

Up and at work with some symptoms of weariness and confusion, preparing for the pulpit!

At 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ had a good congregation and preached on the false religions of the heart.

At 3. Rev Henry Kay, preached for me at Spring garden School House, a good, practical sermon, which was a credit to him as a young man.

I exhorted and we had 8 p.m. Came in, and at night preached to a very large congregation on the life & character of young Nelson P. Smith, deceased.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1866.

Read lesson & preached up
Went out on the street
and attended to some little
business. Talked to some
gentlemen and made
preparation for the meet-
-ing of the Libany as-
-sociation at night.

Wrote letters & overhauled
the Church Register and
got B. K. Vineyard Esq. to
assist me in copying the
names of all the members
for the Stewards.

Went out to Spring Garden
School House, Bro Haman pre-
-ached 25. per. 10. Con. & 10 accep-

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1866.

Came in from Mrs
Reynolds this morning
and felt very much fa-
-tigated by the first few
days labor.

Read, wrote & tried to rest.
but so many calls upon
my time & service that
I could do neither with
much satisfaction.

Took Mrs A. with me
to the Country & I preached
at the School House at
night. 10 or 15. per. tent
5 or 6 conversions and
6 accessions to the Church
Stayed all night at Auntions

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1866.

After some preliminary
arrangements, Bro Ashton
and I went hunting.

Found but little game,
Had good luck with what
we saw, and came home
at 12-M, very much fati-
gued. Rested after dinner.

Shot some birds in the
field, killing 5 at one
shot on the wing, and
went over to Mr Garding
to see to stay all night.

Preached again at the
School House, 10 or 12 pm.
55 Con. & 50 offerings, for giving
Society raised \$80, to fix the
house.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1866.

Rode in home this mor-
ning in Mr Garding's
Wagon. He brought with
me a fine present of apples.
Attended to some little matters
at home, got directions
and at 2 P.M. with Bro
and a fine span of fast
horses we started for a
Wedding 15 miles distant.
Got lost, but arrived at 5-15
and married Mr Isaac J. Adams
and Mrs Alcind Keyes.

Drove home in two hours
starting at 6 ^{at 8} and married
Mr Geo. M. Donald & Miss Lou
Shepherd. Both fine weddings.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1866.

In my study pretty early and busy with my preparation for the pulpit.

at 10 1/2 o'clock had a very large congregation & preached to them on the language of Christ at the gateway - "The cup which my Father hath given unto me, shall I not drink it?" with good effect, I hope.

Rested in the afternoon and prepared for night. My labors through the week have prevented my usual preparation. Preached to a large Cong, on "What will a man give in exchange for his soul."

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1866.

Went down town & got some men to repair the guttering on my house, and came home & went to work repairing my cellar & some other things about home for the winter.

Prepared for a trip to St Louis borrowed \$5.00, of Willis & Craggett and drew on Johnson collector of the church for \$3.57, and got ready to meet payments on my property in St Louis. Bought a pair of boots, settled some bills, wrote letters, reviewed & abridged notices & started for St Louis at 2 1/2 A.M. tomorrow.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1866.

In my study all the morning, Reading & writing trying to catch up with my regular study routine.

Went with Mrs. & Mrs. Howland & Bay Kish to dine at Sister White's. Had quite a pleasant time.

Came home, wrote & prepared to go to Country.

at 4 P.M. Started out and at 5 - baptized Mr. Knight's child, Charles Addison F. 23's old.

Preached at the School House, five Cong. & from 4 Conversions & 2 acceptances.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1866.

Came home from Ashton's this morning. Went with him to several lumber yards to buy lumber to seal the School House & fit it up for winter use.

Came into my study and after reading & writing a while anxiously began my preparation for the Sabbath.

Feel quite badly for several reasons. Wrote a little in the afternoon & after choir meeting sat up and wrote till quite late on my sermon for Sunday morning.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1866.

Was on the wire this morning on the H & O T Co train for St Louis.

The weather was fine and we got along smoothly. Breakfasted at Brookfield. Connected with the North Mo Road at Mason.

Met several parties on board the train from different parts of the State whom I knew and it made the trip very pleasant.

Arrived in St Louis at 8 1/2 PM & stopped at the Southern Hotel.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1866.

Arose & breakfasted at 8 and went out in the city first to Pinchards, then to Holmes & Co's my agents then to Chick, Craycraft & Co and to Mead & Swisher attending to business.

Dined at Dr Maugh's. Saw Mrs Dyking, Pres. of the Asylum Home of Mo. Wanted me to take a general Agency of the institution. Declined. Went to see my property with my agent. Looked over at Mrs Fields. Went back to my Hotel. Called on Dr Brooks.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1866.

Felt a good deal fatigued
to day but was out by
9 - and trying to attend
to business.

Took dinner at Bro Geo
Robinsons, and was much
profited by his talk on the
deep work of grace going
on in Christ Church.

My own soul was much
much moved to seek a
deeper spiritual life.
about which I have felt a
deep concern for some time.
Took tea with my Uncle Wiley
Strattan, & went back to the
Hotel.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1866.

This morning I started
home on the North Mo R.R.
at 8 1/2 A.M. Had no trouble
on the route. Read the mor-
ning papers first and
then filled up the day read-
ing "Lephams Interior Life".
and when wearied would
give myself up to meditation.
Talked with no one except
occasionally to answer some
ordinary traveling question.
Feel more deeply than ever
my need of a holier heart and
believe I made some good ad-
vance to day in that life.
Got home at 11 1/2 tomorrow.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1866.

Arrived at 2 this morning and was glad to find my family all well. God has been very merciful to us in all the past. May we serve him better in the future.

Read letters, papers &c, and began my preparation for the Sabbath. Had so many things to call off my attention to day, that I made but little progress in my preparation.

Attended choir meeting and continued my preparation till late at night.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1866.

In my study pretty early preparing for the pulpit. At 10^{1/2} had a fine congregation and preached with unusual liberty on "What do ye more than others?" Felt very well.

After dinner went out to Spring Garden School House and preached to a good Cong. from the text, "If ye do these things ye shall never fall," one joined the Church. Baptized ten.

Three to be immersed. Came in and Rev Henry Kay preached to a very great crowd. a good sermon for a young man. He will make a preacher.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1866.

Read lesson and posted up
wrote letters and attended
to straightening up my
affairs generally.

Went down town a few
moments. Had a good
long talk with Rev Henry
Kay and others.

Feel badly from cold and
the labors of Sunday, and
rested awhile in the after-
noon. Prepared to go to
the Country to preach to
night but no one came for
me. Met the Board of Mana-
gers, & attended Library Association
at night.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1866.

Remained in my study
until 10^{1/2} when I called
on Sister M Gibbons and
began with her an inves-
tigation into the doctrines
of the Methodist Church
on the subject of experi-
mental Religion.

Went over to Mr Bentley
to dinner with a num-
ber of good friends.

Started to the Country
at 3^{1/2} Called on Sister
Pasagute. Stopped all
night at Browns. Preached
at Hydes School House.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1866.

at Mr Barrows, Watched
for the Meteoric Shower,
but it did not come.
Came in town by 3.30 p.m.
Read and wrote until
noon, and went over
to Heaters to dinner.
Had game Company in
the fore and the afternoon.
Went down in Pater
Lawn to see some sick
and make other calls.
Left calling till night.
Had good prayer meeting
at night, Watched again
for the Meteors.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1866.

Read, lepen and wrote letters,
Pasted up and read papers.
Went to see Sister Chapman
at her request to talk to her
about the condition of her
family and their relation to
the church. It is an unpleasant
and affair and I went down
town and talked to other
parties.

Wrote letters and at 3 P.M.
Mrs & I got in a buggy
and went down to Bro Browns
We then took a stroll I went
to the top of King Hill, and viewed
the landscape. Sermon preached
at night at Hades School House.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1866.

After church last night, I went out with others about 1/4 of a mile from Browns and shot some wild turkeys on the coast. I killed one Mr Hyde and other, but again at daylight this morning, saw the turkeys but did not get a shot.

Hunted for other game today and spent a good portion of the day in the woods with no luck however in getting or seeing game. I wanted the day for recreation & relaxation.

Preached at night at Hedges S.H. Never saw the people so solemn when they would not move.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1866.

Came home this morning from Bro Browns and found a call immediately to go and see Sister Wanner. It was too late to converse with her.

She was nearly gone. Stayed with her until she died. Tried to comfort her daughter Mrs Hish, my only child.

Thus another good Christian has exchanged the church below for the church above.

Came home & read & rested. Attended to some business down town. Called on Rev Mr Hopkins Episcopal Minister. Attended choir at night. Studied for Sunday.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1866.

In my study this morning at an early hour preparing for the pulpit. Had a good congregation at 10 1/2 o'clock and preached on the text, "O God, my heart is fixed." There seemed to be a good state of feeling.

In the afternoon preached the funeral of Sister Warren at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr Fish, to a large crowd.

Was sent for immediately afterwards to see Miss Ella Evans, very low, thought to be dying. Rev J D Vincil preached to a large crowd at night.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1866.

Read & wrote. Remained in my study till nearly noon. Went down town, left my watch at Mr Edwards to get it fixed. Tried to find the Commissioners who were appointed by the government to pay for negroes that went into the army.

Came home and rested a while. Wrote obituary of Sister Warren for the Herald.

Went with Mrs Hoagland & Mrs L to see Miss Evans, also, to the College to see Ellen, Came back & called on Mrs M G Fish. In my study and with my family at night.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1866.

In my Study this morning till 10^{1/2}, when I was informed of the death of Miss Evans.

Went out to get a buggy, took Mrs & Miss Harris down to a priest in preparing her for burial. Came home and went out to see several gentlemen for Mrs Evans.

Felt quite sick in the afternoon, but did not exactly lay up.

Witnessed the Reception of the Eastern R. R. Educasionists and heard the speeches.

Laid up at night & took medicine.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1866.

Took medicine again this morning and kept quiet in my Study.

At 3 P.M. went with Rev Mr Hopkins to the funeral of Miss Evans. He performed the Service at the house, and I at the grave. Good many out.

I came home feeling quite badly and tried to rest until prayer meeting and indeed tried to get some one to hold the prayer meeting for me but in vain. Held it myself and they went to bed and slept well.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1866.

In my study this morning
reading, writing and posting
up generally.

Had a number of letters
to write declining in-
vitations to visit several
places.

Laid up the most of
the day from the effects
of medicine taken last
night.

Felt better at night.
Had company and walk
home with Mrs Ann
-diff & Mrs Kedy.
Had a good talk with sister
Kedy, rested well.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1866.

At nine o'clock in com-
pany with Messrs Britain
and Hutton I started for
Forest City in Holt Co in
a hack.

The day was quite cold
but the road was good
and we made the trip
by 4 P.M. 30 miles.

I got quite hungry
and cold but had a warm
reception at Ben's Patten-
sons and a good supper.
Met Bro M. Evers and
preached at night to a
small congregation.
Door barred up with wood.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1866.

Stayed at Bro Pattersons
and had a good comfortable
room. Bro M Erue, the
P.C. of Oregon Circuit.
Slept with me, He arises
at four in the morning
and resumes his studies.

Preached to a small
congregation at 11 and
took dinner at Bro Patter-

sons.

Took tea at Bro Sedwick
and had a much better
congregation at night.

Preached with some libe-
rty and there seemed to be
some interest.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1866.

Studied during the morn-
ing till 11 - and then
had a fine congregation
for a small place.
Preached to them on
"Beloved spouse and the
Sons of God" &c.

Good state of feeling,
dined at Bro Sedwick's
and went up to my room.

Took tea at Pattersons
Had a still larger cong-
regation at night, and very solemn.
Five persons came forward
as penitents and two
joined the church,
lights brightening.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1866.

Found it raining when I rose this morning and the prospects of the weather discouraging to the meeting. Bro M^r Even preached to a pretty good congregation considering the weather. Two penitents forswore who were converted I think.

Went to Bro Pattersons and laid up for it. Continued to rain all the afternoon and increased about night so that but few came out. Preached and baptized one young man Ben W Sedwick.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1866.

Waked up this morning a little after day light to get on a boat. Dressed in a hurry and walked down to the river.

Got on the Steamer "Cynthope" and had a pleasant run down the river till one o'clock P.M. when we reached St Joe, and after an hours delay in landing I reached home cold and hungry.

Read my letters & papers and straightened up the affairs of my home and study and rested well.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1866.

After a good deal of miscellaneous reading & writing I went to work on my thanksgiving Sermon for tomorrow.

Went down town in the afternoon and had a long talk with one of my Representative members, and others on the condition of the Church.

Notified the members of the official Board of a meeting to night.

Had prayer meeting and informal Official meeting.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1866.

Read & wrote my thanksgiving Sermon. It is a National Thanksgiving day, and the Baptists, C. S. Presbyterian & My Church all were gathered together in the Baptist Church. Good Congregation and I tried to preach a good Sermon.

Took dinner at Pate Female College with a number of invited guests. Had a good dinner & several short & spicy Speeches after dinner. Came home, and had a good talk with Rev Mr. Hargman. Pastor wife & I went to bed.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1866.

In my study reading and writing until 10 o'clock. Went down town to the picture gallery. Had my photo taken. Called for Judge Woodson but he was out. Went to P. O. and other places.

Woodson & Rev Mr Rogers of Ky. Called for me to go with them to drive at Dr Hedens. Had a pleasant time with them.

Called at Dr Chambers. He is sick. Went down to Sister Evans. Her family are still sick. Had long talk with Bro Bush. Spent a little while at the Mite Society at Mrs Kay's.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1866.

Waked up this morning at 4 by my wife. She was quite sick. In half an hour she had a miscarriage. I went for the Doctor and he was sick, but Mrs L got along very well.

In my study during the most of the forenoon preparing for Sabbath. Two gentlemen came to get me to perform a marriage ceremony for Mr Walter Oyster & Miss Cora Leach, which I did at 3 P.M. Family opposed to it.

Attended choir meeting and wrote on my sermon till late.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1866.

Up in my study early
preparing for service.
Had a good congregation
at 10¹² and preached to
them on the "life of faith".
There seemed to be a fine
state of feeling.
Attended S School in the
afternoon, and had a
Regular Church meeting.
It threatened rain so soon
that there were but few
out. Heard a good deal of
talk about my morning
Sermon. Some for & some
against. Preached at night
on Abraham as the finest
illustration of a life of faith.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1866.

After some preliminary
arrangements I started
on the train at 10⁴⁵ for
Weston to begin a series
of meetings to night.
Arrived at Weston at
2 o'clock P.M. was
met at the Depot by
Bro Perry who conducted
me to Coakens Stages
Capt Davidson then
took me up to Mrs
Lillespies where I was
assigned a room for the
week. The preacher Rev.
H. St Austin Sizer called
& preached at night in
the Christian Church.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1866.

Started a Subscription
last night to build a
Church and went down
town this morning early
to see after it among the
gentlemen.

Preached at 11 to a small
congregation, some little
interest.

Was on the street again
in the afternoon looking
after that Church subscrip-
tion. Preached at night
to a much larger congrega-
tion than the night before
on the "Fall Restoration of
Peter: 6 Penitents & three
Conversions. God be praised.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1866.

Rev K A Austin preached
this morning at 11 a good
Sermon. Several penitents
forward, and a good meeting.

In the afternoon we
with Sister Austin went
out to Mrs Vineyards
and Ben Perry and took
tea at Charles Perry's.

Had a pleasant & a prof-
itable time.

at night I preached
again to a still larger
crowd and had a number
of other penitents at the
alter. Several Com, & 1 accep-

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1866.

This morning I preached and the Lord converted two penitents & we had a good meeting.

Dined at Mr. Brown's a penitent view, but an old hardened sinner.

After dinner Bro Austin and I went out in the country to Bro Moore's.

Came in and took tea at Bro Newhouse's.

Preached again at night to a large crowd and had new penitents and conversions, and three or four conversions.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1866.

It began to rain and after talking round awhile, got on the train at 11 and came home, arrived at City Joe at 1 P.M. in the rain.

Found my family in better health than when I left. Grateful for every mercy, but specially for this one.

Had my mail to read and several letters to answer, after which I spent the evening with my family & then light in refreshing repose.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1866.

Found myself once more
in my study, synon-
id by perusing books
and many things required
to prepare for the services
of tomorrow.

Had good many calls and
interruptions but found
my preparation far
advanced by night.

I attended the choir
meeting and then with
a number of the choir
attended a musical
concert, given at the
Academy of Music.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1866.

It is very cold to day
yet, I put in two
hours in study, and
then went I preached
to a good audience at
10¹/₂, A.M. The church
was very cold & the people
could not hear to advan-
tage. I went out in
an open buggy to Spring
Garden School House and
preached at 3- to about 25.
Came very near freezing
coming home.
Preached again at night
on the character of Moses.
Felt very dull.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1866.

At 10 o'clock the Association for the Relief of the Poor of the City met in my Study. Had a good turnout. The report was read only distributed and the Committee went out through the city in search of the needy.

I made some few calls and attended to a little pastoral duty.

At night I attended the Meeting of the Library.

Association I heard a lecture from Prof. Bryant. Went to Presbyterian Festival

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1866.

Mrs L. Sick to day and and Lillie, and consequently I am detained at home. In my Study a portion of the day, and on the Streets. Sometimes for one thing and then for another. Trying to trade off my Cook Stone for a new one, and seeing the Doctor.

Sat an hour in the afternoon for my portrait to be altered by J. D. Thompson.

Got prescriptions filled and staid with Mrs & Will & A. M., then spent an hour at the Mite Society at Haglands.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1866.

Mrs L. is quite ill this morning, and I spent the most of the morning with her.

Traded off my Cook Stove and Stone pipe about the Church for a new Cook Stove. This consumed some time.

Went down town, settled some Stone bills, and sat for my portrait again.

Came home and Dined; Went out after dinner to look after the poor of our district.

Had good prayer meeting at night & Official Board.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1866.

Went to Market & P Office Read & wrote. Spent a good portion of the day assisting on my Sick family. Think they are a little better. Sent a load of wood to a poor Widow in our district.

Went out in town and made some purchases and preparation for my trip to Richmond to dedicate a new Church.

In my Study at night assisting Bro Hammett make out a list of Books for the Young Mens Library Association. Watched my Sick family all night.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1866.

Spent most of the morning
in my study reading & writing
letters. Packed up and pre-
pared for a trip to Richmond

to dedicate a new church.
But the weather is quite
cold and my family are still
sick enough to require my
constant attention.

I should have started this
morning, but every mem-
ber of my family seemed
to require my attention
last night. I attended
to some little business.

Waited on my family
through the night and

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1866.

Was up at 3 this morning
to make ready to start on
the 4:30 train for Hamilton.
It sleeted & snowed and
seemed to threaten severe
weather.

Arrived at Ham-
ilton a little after day light.
I declined to risk a stage
ride of 40 miles to Richmond

in such weather. Sent a
note & remained at the
Hotel all day. The snow
storm was terrible. I got

on the train at 5 P.M. for
home. Had to plow through
the snow, requiring 3 hours to
come the last 12 miles. Reached
home at 10:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1866.

Fortunate that I am not
in Richmond to day. The
Snow is at least 15 inches
deep, & the weather would
defeat the Dedication of the
Church any way.

Did not have the Church
open this morning. The Snow
was so deep, and but few
know of my return.

Had S. Schrad at 2 P.M. I gave
them a lecture on Melchisedec
= eek blessing Abraham.

Prepared Sermon of preacher
at night on the character
of Elijah, as illustrative
a life of faith. Small Cong.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1866.

Went to market & P.O.
Got Capt. Chazette's Sleigh
and took Ella to the College.
Tried to find the Dr for
Alice. Shovelled Snow for
one hour, and then came
into my study, I read and
wrote. Studied and read
until dinner.

In the afternoon I went
out on the Streets and in
the Snow. The Snow is so
deep that I could not get
out to visit any, except
to see Dr Chambers who
is sick. Attended the
Young Men's Library Association
at night.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1866.

After going to Market
and P.O., I came to my
Study where I remained
reading & writing until
Bro Madeline came in to
get me to go out to see
Old man Compton. He
has lived in Sin nearly
80 years. Bitterly opposed
to Religion, and is such a
blasphemer that he cannot
talk even now that he is
near his grave without
swearing. Said in reference
to a future State that a "dam
Rascal would be punished." He
cannot live many days. Stayed
with him 2 hours & came home.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1866.

Felt quite unwell last
night with cold & tried to
rest. Feel better this morn-
-ing. Some gentlemen
here from Forest City deman-
-ded my time in hunting
up a speaker for them
for the 27th at a Masonic
Celebration.
Had a long talk with my
friend Woodson. He starts to
Ky. tomorrow night to
get married. I hate to see
him go. But what is that to
me. Had good prayer meeting
at night although the streets
are so slippy, that few
could be out.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1866.

It is still thawing & sloppy
and difficult & disagreeable
to get about. Went to P.O.
and Market. Received an
invitation to deliver a
Masonic Address at Weston
on the 27th. Answered it.
Remained in my Study
nearly all day reading and
writing.

Began to prepare a lecture
for next Sunday night
on the Claims of the Ministry
Compared with other learned
professions.

Called on Sister Creel.
Mr & Mrs Morgan called
to spend the evening.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1866.

After going to Market and
P.O. I spent the forenoon
mostly in my Study, part-
ly waiting on my sick
wife. She suffered very
much all day & night.

Wrote on my lecture.

In afternoon I went down
to the College on the Street
Rail way, (the first trip the
cars ever made) to see Vignat.
Had a long talk with him
about Masonry & the Church.
Came home and divided
the evening between my
lecture & my family.
Finished the former.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1866.

After going to market and
P.O., and attending to some
little matters on the Street
I came to my Study and
began the preparation
of a Sermon for tomorrow
morning. Wrote on it un-
til dinner. Then went out
again on the Street. Was
called to see a dying woman
at Mr Stars, her name is
Buckstone. She professed
Conversion & seemed very
happy. Poor woman her
Sufferings & pains are great
but the Lord is merciful.
Staid in my Study writing
at night.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1866.

While writing & preparing
for the pulpit was sent
for in haste to see that
poor woman again. Her
Mind was clouded & she had
fallen into delirium. But
the Lord gave her a full as-
surance and she was made to
rejoice exceedingly. O how
she thanked me! It was good
to be there. Came home & preached
to a small Cong on the Valley
of dry bones. "It is so quiddy"
I called to S. Schrad about a
Christmas festival. Lectured
at night on the "Claims of
the Ministry Compared with
other learned professions".

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1866.

After going down town to Market P.O. and talking to a number of gentlemen I returned to my study to read & write as usual.

Feel somewhat fatigued from the labors of yesterday.

In afternoon went out to look up "Santa Claus" for the little ones.

Rarely ever saw so many people on the streets.

At night had quite an interesting meeting of the Young Men's Literary Association a number of good short speeches & a warm debate.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1866.

Waked up very early this morning by the children looking to see what Old "Santa Claus" brought them. Had a hard time.

Went out on the streets to make preparation for to dress up a veritable Santa Claus for the S.S. children to ~~at~~ night.

Dined at Mrs. Keedy's with Mrs. L. & others.

Out again getting trinkets & toys to dress up old "Santa Claus". Had the Lecture Room crowded at night and Santa Claus gave an splendid success.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1866.

Went down town and resumed my work more regularly to day.

Read & wrote in my study in the forenoon. Dined at Mrs Morgans with a number of others.

Had a very pleasant time and went down town again, and settled some bills which had been pending for some time.

Began to prepare a speech for tomorrow.

Had a good prayer meeting with but few out. Had a good meeting Sunday at the church.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1866.

Started on the train to Weston at 8 A.M., arrived there at 10-40. Went to Mrs Gillespies and had a cold lunch at 12. Went to the Masonic Lodge at 1- P.M., joined the procession. Marched to the Christian Church. Delivered a Masonic Address. Marched back.

Left Weston on the train at 4 P.M., arrived at Rushville at 6. Got on a Perry. Rode 6 miles to Dekalb.

Married G. F. King & Miss Lillie F. Withers. Visited the Masonic Lodge. Made a speech. Stayed all night at Dr Gaslees.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1866.

Got up late as I felt quite fatigued after my travels and labors yesterday. It is quite cold. Started at 9^o on my pony to Bushville with two gentlemen.

Arrived at 11. Stopped with Bro J C Davis. Dined at his house.

Delivered a Masonic address at 3- to the Lodge & Citizens with what I consider good effect.

Got on the train for St Joe at 6- Arrived here at 7. and went to Walter Mitells to Lea, where I met Col Ashton & Lady & others.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1866.

After going to market & P.O., I returned to my study to begin my preparations for the Sabbath.

Began a discourse on the Claims of the Ministry. Compared with other learned professions. Feel dull and heavy and can scarcely study at all. But continued until 3- when I went to see Bro Shannocks who is very sick, & then to Mr Dalphs to dinner.

Choir meeting at night. After which I applied myself to my studies for some time.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1866.

Up and out it again,
trying to get ready for
the pulpit.

Had a good Congregation
at 10^h and preached on
the Subject "Eggs hath not
seen nor ear heard" &c.

After dinner I continued
to write on my Subject
for the night. Had several
of the brethren in to con-
-sult about the meeting for
the week.

Had a fine Congregation
at night and delivered my
lecture on the Claims of
the Ministry. One young
Man joined the Church this evening.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1866.

Went down town to
the P.O. Got a letter from
Weston enclosing \$50, and
asking my address for
publication in pamphlet.

Came to my Study,
Wrote and posted up,
Went with Mrs D & a
number of others out to
Mr Willis' to dine to day
had a pleasant time.

Returned at 5- P.M.
Had meeting of the Young
Men's LibRARY Association
at 7.

Watch-night Service began
at 9^h & continued to 12-
Good turn out & good meeting

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St Joe Station Sept 4-1866

CASH ACCOUNT. AUGUST.

<u>Statistics</u>	Received.	Paid.
Members	301	
Probationers	27	
Inf. Bap ^{ts}	14	
Lolal Preacher	1	
S. Schools	1	
Surp ^{ts}	2	
Officers	5	
Teachers	15	
Scholans	180	
Vols in Liber	6 00	
Money Collected	150.00	
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CASH ACCOUNT. SEPTEMBER.

	Received.	Paid.
From Bro Jordan for Bro Kemper to pay taxes		10 00

Morries Raised

CASH ACCOUNT. DECEMBER.

	Received.	Paid.
Church property	\$ 35,000.00	
Insured for	20,000.00	
Paid debt		1500.00
Expenses & repairs		500.00
S. School Union		150.00
Miss Mary Col		121.32
Cent. Collection		100.00
Bible Cause		55.00
P. E. Salary		200.00
P. C. Salary		2,000.00

SUMMARY OF CASH ACCOUNT.

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W. Ellen Mary Chick 3.00

MEMORANDA.
 Acceptions to the Church

		Dollars.	Cts.
Mar 6	Cleopatra Warren	4	00
" "	Sallie Hunt	1	00
	Jarvis Lovell		
	B. F. Wilson	2	00
	Plum Good		
	Kennedy		

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Dollars. Cts.

International Hotel
 Niagara falls N.B.

New Bank Central
 Hotel Suspension
 Bridge New Bank

Semmons heard.

- July 27. Rev Mr Daggett Niagara
- Aug Rev S. McHenry Saratoga
- " Rev Dr Ed Mason of New Haven
- " Rev Mr Kellogg Pres. Church

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Dollars. Cts.

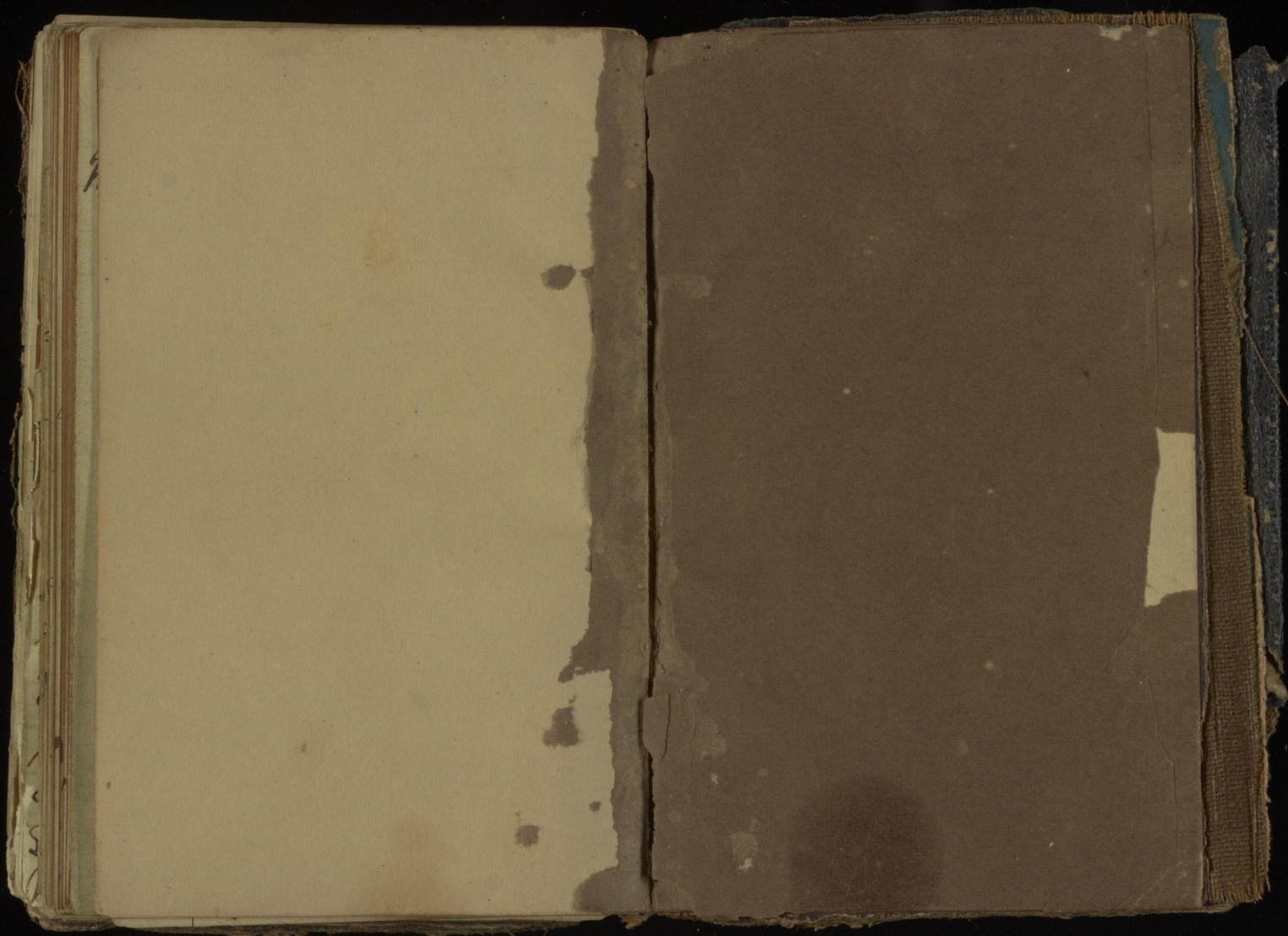
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No. 1919, Box
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