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OF
LECTURES, ADDRESSES, ARTICLES, ETC.

By O. O. HOWARD and Others.

I

In 5 parts: - Part 5

Diary at Washington, D.C.

from January 1st 1841
to March 27th 1841.

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Guy Howard. Esq.

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The Great Beyond

The Forward

The Forward

2. In the second summer. Shrubs, trees & some herbs do not begin till they are several years old.

9th Paragraph. The Plant in Reproduction.

After having attended in this way to its nourishment and growth for a certain time. The plant sets about reproducing it-self by seed, and for this purpose it blossoms. Many plants begin to blossom within a few weeks after springing from the seed. All our annuals of which the garden morning-glory is one, blossom in the course of summer. Biennials such as the Carrot, Parsnip, Mullen, and the common Thistle, do not flower before the

Paragraph 10th

The object of the Flower is to form the Fruit.
The essential part of the Fruit is the Seed,
and the essential part of the Seed is the Germ
or Embryo it contains.

The Germ or Embryo is a little plant in the
Seed, ready to grow into a new plant when
the Seed is sown. Let us notice these organs
one after another.

Paragraph 11th

Beginning with the Flowers.

Flowers are most interesting to the
Botanists; who not only admire them for
their beauty, the exquisite arrangement and
forms of their parts, and the wonderful
variety they exhibit. But also see in them
the nature or character of each plant, and
finds in them the best marks for distin-
guishing the sorts of plants and the families
they belong to.

Paragraph 12th

What the parts of a Flower are

A Flower with all its parts presents consists
of Calyx, Corolla, Stamens, and Pistil.

The calyx and the corolla are the Flower's Envelopes or the leaves of a flower. They cover and protect the stem. The stamens and pistils which are the essential organs of the flower, because both of these are necessary in forming the seed.

Paragraph 14th.

The Calyx is a latin name for Flower-cup and is the cap or outer covering of the blossom. It is apt to be green and leaf like.

Paragraph 15th.

The Corolla is the inner cup or inner set of leaves of the flower. It is very seldom green as the calyx commonly is. But it is colored that is some other color than green and of a delicate texture. So it is the most showy part of the blossom.

Paragraph 16th.

The Stamens. These in this flower grow fast to the bottom of the corolla. There are five stamens in the Morning Glory. Each stamen consists of two parts, namely, A Filament and an Anther.

The filament is the stalk: the Anther is a little case or hollow body borne on the top of the filament. It is filled with a powdery matter called pollen.

Paragraph 16

The Pistil. The Pistils are the bodies in which the seeds are formed. They belong in the centre of the flower. The Morning-Glory has only one: The Rose and the Butcher-bush have a great many. A Pistil has three parts. At the bottom is the Ovary, which becomes the seed-vessel. This is prolonged upwards into a stem or body called Style. And this bears a moist, generally somewhat enlarged portion with a naked, roughish surface (not having any skin like the rest) called the stigma. Upon this stigma some of the pollen, or powder from the anthers, falls and sticks fast. And this somehow enables the pistil to ripen seed that will grow.

Paragraph 17

Let us now look at a stamen and a pistil



from one of the flowers of a Lily, where all the parts are on a large scale. Here is a stamen with its stalk or Filament and its Anthers discharging its yellow dust or Pollen.

And by its side is the Pistil with its Ovary, and this tapering into a Style, and on the top of this, the Stigma. Now cut the ovary through and it will be found to contain young seeds. The young seeds are called Ovules. In the Lily they are very numerous. In the Morning-Glory they are few only six.

Paragraph 18

These are all the parts of a flower, — all that any flower has. But many flowers have not all these parts. Some have ~~rather~~ only one flower-cup. Lilies appear to have only one set. Some have neither Calyx or Corolla; some stamens have no filament, and some pistils have no style, for the style & the filament

are not necessary parts, as the anthers, and the ovary, and the stigma are. The cases will all be noticed when we come to study flowers more particularly. Meanwhile, please to commit to memory the names of the parts of a flower, and learn to distinguish them in all the common blossoms you meet with, until they are as familiar as root, stem & leaves are to every body.

Paragraph 19

Notice also that the calyx, & corolla one or both often consist of separate; as they do in the true Lilies. Each separate piece or leaf of the corolla is called a Petal and each leaf or piece of a calyx is called a Sepal.

Paragraph 20

The corolla, the stamens, and generally the calyx fall off, or wither away after blooming; while the ovary of the pistil remains, grows larger & becomes ripened.

Paragraph 21

The Fruit.

So that the fruit is the ripened ovary. It may

be a berry, a stone-fruit, a nut, a grain, or a pod. This pod has three cavities (called Cells) in it, & in each cell two pretty large seeds. Sida pods have three cells, as we may see in the ovary, and many seeds in each.

Paragraph 22

Seeds

These are the bodies produced by the ripened pistil from which new plants may spring, the part of the seed that grows is,

Paragraph 23

The Embryo or Germ, this is a little plant let ready formed in the seed. In the Morning Glory it is pretty large & may readily be got out whole from a fresh seed or a dried one after soaking in warm water, In the seed it is a good deal crumpled up to save room, and is surrounded by pulpy matter which is intended to nourish it when it begins to grow.

The Embryo may be taken out whole and spread out flat; when we see a pair of tiny leaves on the summit of a little stem.

The leaves are named, seed leaves or Cotyledons, the little stem or stemlet is named the Radicle.

Section 2nd Paragraph 24th

How plants grow from the seed, Illustrated by the Morning-Glory. We now know what all the parts of a plant are; that a plant after growing, or vegetating awhile, blossoms; that flowers give rise to fruit; that the fruit contains one or more seeds and that the essential part of the seed is the embryo or germ of a new plant: To produce, protect, and nourish this germ is the object of the flower, the fruit, and the seed. The object of the embryo is to grow and become a plant. How it grows is what we have now to learn.

Paragraph 25th

Life in a seed.

First let us notice that it does not generally grow at once, although alive, a seed may be for a long time show no sign of life, and feel neither the summer

heat, nor the winters Cold.

Paragraph 26

Germination and Early Growth.

Germination is the sprouting of a plant from the seed. If we plant some of the seeds of a Morning-Glory in a flower-pot covering them lightly with soil, water them, and give them warmth, or if in Spring we watch those which sowed themselves naturally in the garden, the year before, and are now moistened by showers, and warmed by sunshine. we shall soon see how they grow.

And what we learn from this one kind of plant, will be true of all ordinary plants, but with some differences in circumstance according to the kind.

Paragraph 27th

The seed first imbibes some moisture to its coats, swells a little, and as it feels the warmth, the embryo gradually wakes from its long, and deep sleep and as it ~~Awakes~~ ~~stretches~~ ~~itself~~ ~~stretches~~ ~~itself~~

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That is the tiny stem of the embryo lengthens, and its end bursts through the coats of the seed, at the same time, the two leaves it bears, grow larger straighten themselves, and so grow off the seed coats, like a loose husk. This allows the seed-leaves to spread out, as leaves naturally do, and so the seedling plantlet stands revealed.

Paragraph

Now, the seedling is no wisher at the Beginning. Growth requires food, in plants, as well as in animals. To grow into a plant, the embryo in a seed must be fed with vegetable matter, or with something out of which vegetable matter can be made.

When a plant has established it self, that is, has sent down its root into the soil, and spread out some leaves in the air, it is then able to change mineral matter, viz. (earth, air, and water), which it takes in, into vegetable matter, and so can grow

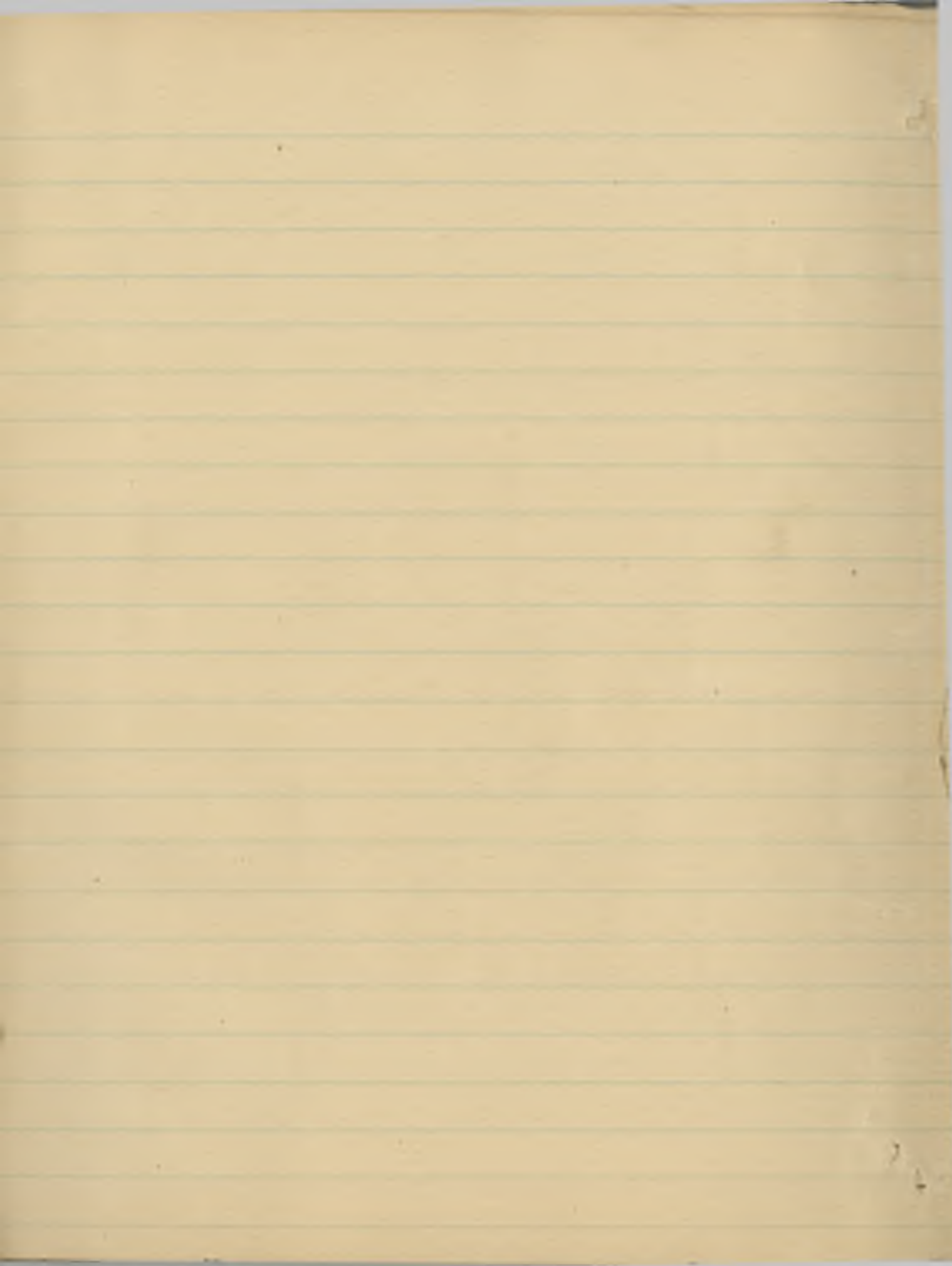
and live independently. But at the beginning before its organs are developed, and established in their proper places, the forming plant must be supplied by ready made vegetable matter, furnished by the mother plant.

On this supply the embryo, germinating from the seed feeds, and grows, just as the new born animal does on the mothers milk, or as the chick developed in the egg, does upon the prepared nourishment, that the parent had laid up for the purpose in the yolk.

Paragraph

Tear open a fresh Morning-glory seed, or cut a dried one in two, and this supply will be seen in the form of a rich, and sweetish, jelly-like matter packed away with the embryo, and filling all the spaces between its folds. This is called the Albumen.

and as it ~~will~~ ~~will~~ ~~will~~



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Latin Parsing.

Accipere praestat quam facere injuriam
,, verb. 3^d conj. from accipio, accipere,
accipi, acceptum. used as the subj. of praestat,
according to § 269.

Praestat, verb. 1st conj. active voice, from
Praesto - stare, steti, ^{indic. mood.} imp. tense, 3rd pers. sing,
to agree with praestat Accipere, according
to § 209, (b).

Quam, conj. connects the two propositions
according to § 278.

Facere, verb. from facio, facere, feci, factum.
3^d conj. Infinitive mood depends on injuriam
according to § 270.

Injuriam, noun. 1st dec. from Injuria - a.
accus. case sing. subj. of Facere.
So soon is better than to do injury.

The wolf has been accustomed to rob + to
run away.

Repere, verb. 3^d conj. from Repere - e - uita.
Infinitive mood. pres. tense, after the verb assumit.
Atque, conj. connects, Repere with ubi, accord-
ing to § 278.

Abire, verb, from Abi- abire, abii, abitum.
Infir. mood. pres tense. after the verb assuevit
Semper. adv. modifies assuevit.
Assuevit, verb from assuesco - mescere - mesci-
-suetum. Indic. mood. perf tense. 3rd pers. sing
to agree with lupus, according to §209(6).
Lupus, noun, 2nd dec. nom. case. sing. subj. of
assuevit according to §202.2.

Always honor, + thy name, and honors will remain
Semper. adv. modifies dat understood.
Honor. noun. accus. case. sing. governed by dat
understood.

Momen, noun. nom. case. sing. subj. of manebunt.

Quia, conj. connects the two clauses.

Quis. adv. pro. from quis a - um. belongs to manebunt.

Laudes, noun, 3rd dec. plural. nom. case to manebunt.

Quia, conj. connects the two clauses.

Manebunt, verb, from Maneo - esse - si - sum, 2nd dec.

conj. active voice. Indic. mood. future tense. 3rd pers

plural to agree with Laudes. according to §209(6).

(Latin Parsing)

Poverty nor Death nor Chains signify a wise man.
Sapientem, adj. 3rd dec. from Sapientis, ns. used subj.
of the verb verent. Neque conj. connects Sapientem, &
Pauperas. Pauperas noun. 3rd dec. ~~from~~ nom.
Case. Sins, ^{1st of the} subj. of verent. Neque conj. connects pauperas &
mors. Mors noun. 3rd dec. nom. case sing. one of the
subj. of verent. Neque conj. connects, Mors Vincula,
Vincula noun. 2nd dec. from vinculum, i, ~~from~~ nom. case plural
to the verb verent. Verent, verb. 2nd conj. from terreo, vs
si, itium. Indic. mood pres. tense 3rd pers plural
to agree with Vincula, according to rule. When
a verb has several subj's it generally takes the
number & case of the one next to it.

Ulysses was not beautiful but he was eloquent.
Non adeo modify: formosus. Formosus, adj. 1st & 2nd
dec. nom. case sing. belongs to Ulysses. Creat. ^{irregular} verb from
Sum, esse, fui. Indic. mood Imperf. tense 3rd pers
sing. to agree with Ulysses. Sed, conj. connects the
~~2~~ comparisons, propositions. Creat. irregular verb. from
Sum, esse, fui, Indic. mood Imperf. tense, 3rd pers sing.
- imperf. to agree with ill understood. Incumbens, adj. 1st & 2nd
dec. nom. case sing. to agree with ill understood.

Ulysses noun. 3rd dec. nom case sing numb. subj.
of erat.

If riches cause happiness, abrice is the 1st in the
Si, conj. connects the two sentences. Diuicia, noun
2nd dec. used only in the plural, nom. case to the
verb praestant. Felicitatem noun. 3rd dec. accus.
case. sing. obj. of the verb praestant. Praestant,
verb, 1st conj. from praesto - stare still. Indic.
mood. pres. tense 3rd pers. plur. to agree with Diuicia
Charitia, noun. 1st dec. ~~nom~~ sing. numb. nom. case
subj. of est. Prima ^{inimicus} ~~adj.~~ 1st & 2nd dec. nom. case
sing. numb. to agree with virtus. Virtus noun.
3rd dec. nom. case. sing. numb. in the predicate according
to § 216. Est. irregular verb. from sum, esse, fui.
Indic. mood pres. ^{long 20} 3rd pers. sing. to agree with Anaxilla.
Guy Howard

Latin Parsing.

As often as I read your letters I recall to my mind all the memory
of past times.

Literas, adv. *modifys lego.*

Literas, noun, 1st dec. accus. case plural governed by
the verb *lego.*

Quas, adj. pro. from *quis-a-um*, accus. case plural belongs
to *Literas.*

Lego, verb, 3rd conj. from *lego*, *legere*, *legi*, *lectum.*

Idic, mood. pres. tense, 1st pers. singular, to agree with
Ego understood.

Memoriam, adj. 3rd dec. accus. case sing. to agree
with *Memoriam.*

Mihi, pro. from *Ego*, *mihi*, dative case sing. according to *pena*
Præteritum, part. from the verb *prætere*, *ire*, *ii*, *itum.*

gen. case. plural, ^{belongs to} governed by the verb ^{temporum} *memoriam*

Temporum, noun, 3rd dec. genitive plural governed
by *memoriam.*

Memoriam, noun, 1st dec. accus. case sing.
governed by the verb *scribo.*

In prep. Shows the relation between *memoriam*
scribo.

Præter Memoriam, noun, 3rd dec. accus. case sing.
governed by the prep. *In*

Reverco-verb, 1st conj. from reverco, are, are, atum.
Indic. mood pres. tense. 1st pers. sing. to agree with
Ego understood.

Quidam, ^{as long as the verb} ~~is~~ thought to grow, yet he lives
many years.

Quidam, rel. pre. nom. case. sing. stands before crocodilon.
Crocodilon noun. 2nd dec. nom. case. sing. nom. the subj.
of the verb existimant.

Quandiu, adv. modifies vivat.

Vivat, verb 3rd conj. from vivo, vivis, vixi, victum.

Indic. mood, pres. tense. 3rd pers. sing. to agree with
ille.

Cresce, verb 1st conj. from Cresco, cresco, crevi, cretum.

Indic. mood, pres. tense, det. governs existimant.

Existimant, verb 1st conj. from existimo, existis, existi, existum.

Indic. mood, pres. tense. 3rd pers. sing.

Indic. mood, pres. tense. 3rd pers. sing. to agree with ille understood.

Indic. mood, pres. tense. 3rd pers. sing. to agree with ille understood.

Unde conj. connects the 2 propositions.

Multos, adj. 1st & 2nd dec. accus. case. plural. belongs to annos.

Annos, noun. 2nd dec. accus. case. plural. governed by the verb

vivit.

Clay's Character.

Latin Parsing.

The dogs of India are larger than the
others.

Canes, noun, 3rd dec. nom. Case. Plural.
subj. of the verb sust. Indici. Noun.

2nd dec. gen. Case Sing. governed by Canes.
Grandiores, adj. 3rd dec. Comp. degree. Nom. Plur.
plural. to agree with Canes understood.

Sust. regular verb from Sum, esse, fui.

Indici, noun, 3rd dec. 3rd pers. plural to
agree with Canes, conj. Quam, adv.
modifies Ceteri. Ceteri, adj. 1st & 2nd dec.
from Ceterus, cetera, ceterum. Nom case
plural to agree with Canes understood.

No ^{will} thing is ^{fact} ~~fact~~ more vehemently ^{and} more
dangerous, than hatred.

Nullum, adj. 1st & 2nd dec. noun case, sing.

is agree with ^(adj. 1st & 2nd dec.) ~~Nullum~~ ^{noun} ~~Nullum~~ ^{to agree with}
Nullum, ^{3rd dec. noun case, sing.} ~~Nullum~~ ^{governed}
by the ^{noun (sing.)} ~~Nullum~~ Est singular verb, pres. Sum,
esse, fui. Indic mood, pres. tense. 3rd pers sing to agree
with nullum. Vehementius, adv. ^{comp.} modifies
Est conj. connects the 2nd & 3rd verbs. Vehementius ^{of} importunius.
Importunius, adj. compar. degree. Nom case. Sing

to agree with. Quam, ^{conj} ~~the~~ ~~modifies~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~
Connects the two clauses. Invidiosus, noun. 1st dec.
nom. case, sing. num.

What is worse than a Horse, ~~is~~ what is softer
than water.

Quid, pro. nom. case, sing. subj. of est. Magis, adv.
modifies durum. Est, verb. singular, from Sum.
esse. fui. Indic. mood. mod. pres. tense. 3rd pers.
sing. to agree with Quid. Durum, adj. 2nd
& 3rd dec. from Durus - a. nom. & case
sing. to agree with. Durae, noun. 2nd dec.
abl. case, sing. according to P. 25.

Denid, rel. pro. nom. case, sing. subj. of the verb
est and is to be. Mollius, adv. comp. degree
non base, sing. Aquar, noun. 1st dec. abl. case
according to P. 26.

Eng. Transl.

1. Fables from Aesop

The Hawk & the Dove

The doves through fear of a hawk asked a hawk, that he might defend them. He agreed, but being received into the dove-cote, soon day he caused a greater slaughter, than the hawk would have been able to do in a long time: Moral. the Fable teaches, the patronage of evil people ~~is~~ to be avoided.

2 A mouse & a kite.

A kite being entangled in a trap entreated a little mouse, that he would liberate him by gnawing the net which being done, the kite being liberated, he seized and devoured the mouse. ^{Moral.} This fable shows, what gratitude the wicked are accustomed to return for benefits.

3 A Kid & a Fox.

A Kid, standing upon the roof of a house, abused a wolf ~~that~~ was passing by. To which the wolf said, Not thou, but the roof abuses me.

Moral. Often the place ~~and~~ the time make timid men bold.

4. The Crane and the Peacock.

A Peacock, spreading his tail in the presence of a Crane, said, how great is my beauty ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~the~~ ^{the} deformities. But the Crane flying up, said, how great is my lightness ^{and} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~the~~ ^{the} heaviness.

Moral. This fable admonishes, not on account of a certain ~~good~~, ~~condemns~~

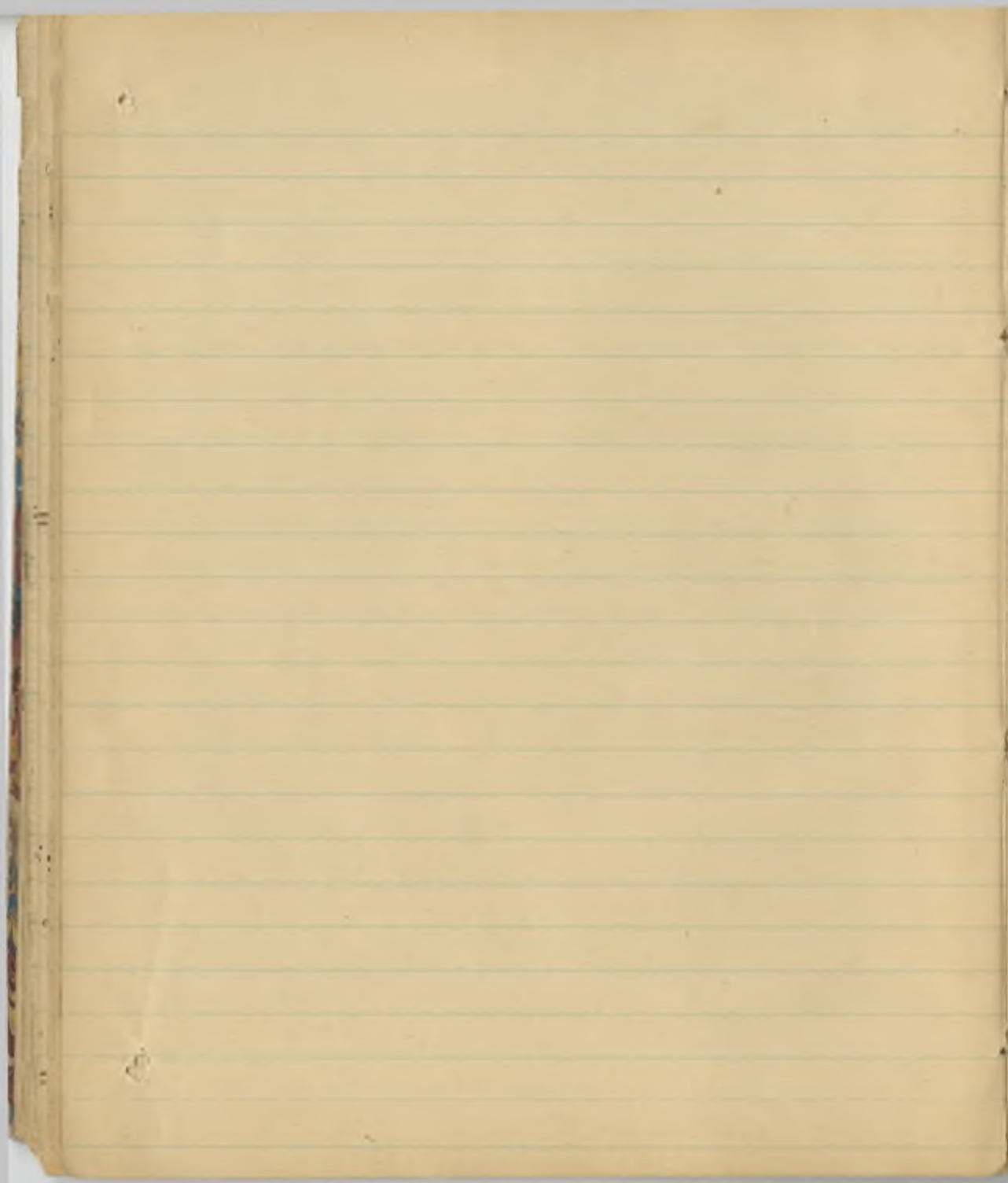
5. A Peacock

A Peacock, ^{was} complaining grievously in the presence of Jesso, his god, because he had been refused secretness of voice to himself, while the nightingale, a bird of so much inferior beauty, sings ~~bravely~~ ^{bravely} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~heard~~ ^{heard} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~air~~ ^{air}.

The Guse and Crane

In the same meadow were feeding certain Guse and Cranes.





Latin Parsing.

Amulias. Non. non case sing subj's interpret. ut. conj. reg. non.
Non 2^d dec. accus case sing. off. of possidet. *Primus* *uicini* *offi* *capit*
possidet. Possidet. *Mod.* 2^d conj. from *Possidet*-*videt*, *scdy*-*scdm*
subj. mood imp. tense. 3^d pers sing. to agree with ill understood.
Permittit-*is*. Non. Gen. case sing gov. by *filiam* *Petram*.
non *pro* accus. sing *trageta* gov. by *intermit*. *per* *insidas*
phras. accus. plur. *Intermit*. *videt*. 3^d conj. from *intermit*-*videt*, *inter*, *inter*,
conj. *non*. Indic mood, perf. tense. ~~to agree~~ 3^d pers sing to agree with
Amulias. *ut* conj. *Petram* *pro* accus. case, sing. gov. by *facit*. *Tratis*.
non. *Latin* Gen. case sing gov. by *filiam*. *Rebam* *Solium*. non
accus. case sing in opposition with *filiam* *Estator*. non. 3^d
dec. accus. case, sing. gov. by *facit*. *serquiem*. non. accus. case, sing.
in opposition with *estator*. Non. conj. *tho* *pro* *dat*. *pat*. plur. to
agree with *sacerdotibus*. *ista*. non. gen. case sing gov. by *sacerdo-*
tibus. *Sacerdotibus* non. *dat*. case plur. off. of *habet*. *Non*. adv. *Est*. imp. 1st?
indic mood pres. *pena*. 3^d pers sing. to agree with ill understood. *non*
Vir. non. 2^d dec. *dat*. case sing gov. by *nature*. *Quibus* *o*
infin. mood. pres. tense. depends on *habet*. *Secd* conj. *hac* *pro* non.
sing. *tho* subj. of *reperit*. *A* *prop*. *Mod* non. *abl*. case sing. gov.
by *prop*. *Quibus* *plur* *th* *case* *accus* *case* *plur* gov. by *reperit*.
Domulimit *Non* non. non. accus. case, sing. *trappet* gov. by *reperit*.
Reperit V. 3^d conj. from *Reperit* *parere*. *pepise* *partum* *inter* *mood*
perf. *ant*. 3^d pers sing. to agree with *hac* *Quibus* *adv*.

Acc. pres. accus case sing. gov. *compositus*. *Amalium*, *2nd dec.*
compositus, *1st 4th conj.* from
compositus, -*posuere*, -*posui*, -*positum*, indic. *posuisti*, *posuisti*, *posuisti*, *posuisti*
 where sing. to agree with *Amalium*. *Matrem*, *nomen accus. sing.*
 gov. by *compositus*. *In* prep. *vincula*, *nomen accus.* *causam* gov. by the prep.
 in *Compositus*, *1st 3rd conj.* from *Compositus*, -*posuere*, -*posui*, -*positum*.
indic mood. *posuisti* *3rd pers. sing.* to agree with the understood.
Veros, *nomen 2nd dec. accus. plur.* gov. by *posuisti*. *Anton*
conj. in prep. *Tiberim*, *nomen accus. case sing. gov. by the prep. in*
posuisti. *1st 3rd conj. passiv. voc.* from *posuere*, *posuisti*, *posuisti*, *posuisti*.
infinitivus *posuisti* depends on *posuisti*. *Indic. 1st 2nd conj.* from
posuere, *posuisti*, *posuisti*, *posuisti*. *indic. pres. 3rd pers. sing.* to agree with the understood.

Passing

Diff. word

Grammar Exercise. Rule V.

Whom did you come with? Whom did you send?
 Whom is that boy speaking to? There is some
 pudding left for you and me. This is next
 between you and me. I do not know whom
 she went with. Whom is it for? I gave it to
 some body; I have forgotten whom.

Grammar Exercise. Rule VI.

My landlady has a daughter nine years old.
 Just beyond the church is a lot sixty feet square.
 Whom do I look like? She promised them and
 me some peaches.

March 25. 1868.

My Howard.

Grammar Exercise. Rule VII.

It was I. It was they. I knew it was he. I knew it
 to be him. I did not know it was she. I thought
 it was she. It was not I, but he. It could not have
 been we. Is it I you want? It was they that did
 it. Who do you think it was? Whom do you take
 it to be?

①
Promiscuous Questions.

What will 11.625 tons of hay cost @ \$17.35 a ton?

If 1 ton cost \$17.35; 11.625 tons will cost just 11.625 times as much.

Therefore \$17.35 X 11.625 tons = what 11.625 tons of hay cost.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 17.35 \\
 11.625 \\
 \hline
 190.625 \\
 173.500 \\
 \hline
 201.925
 \end{array}$$

②

What will 12 gal. 3 qt. 1 pt. of wine cost at \$1.28 a quart?

If 1 qt cost \$1.28; 12 gal. 3 qt. 1 pt. or 51.5 qts. will cost just 51.5 times as much. Therefore 51.5 qts. will cost

\$1.28 X 51.5 = \$66.02

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1.28 \\
 51.5 \\
 \hline
 66.02
 \end{array}$$

③

Bought a load of potatoes for \$9.17, paying a tax of 9% a ton. What was the weight of the potatoes?

If one ton cost \$16.00 there will be 11.625 tons in the cost as \$16 will be contained in \$9.17.

It will be seen that there will not be 11.625 in the cost because \$9.17 is less than \$16.

We then reduced it to cents, by multiplying

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1600 \\
 11.625 \\
 \hline
 186000 \\
 160000 \\
 \hline
 26000
 \end{array}$$

~~At first~~ the fraction by 20 yds per 20 yds make
 one cut. then you print off the number of decimal
 then you multiply by 1 + 25. Therefore there will
 stand 1 qd. 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. in the cart.

What will 5 yds. 2 qrs. 3 na. of cloth cost @ 67 bags.
 If 1 yd cost \$.78; 5 yds 2 qrs. 3 na. or 3 na = $\frac{3}{4}$ yds
 5 yds 2 qrs. 3 na will cost you \$ 6875. 2 qrs = $\frac{2}{4}$; $\frac{3}{4} + \frac{2}{4} = \frac{5}{4}$
 times as much. Therefore 5 yds. 6875 $\times \frac{5}{4} = 16$ 118.6875 =
 yds. will cost just 5 yds. 6875 \times 6.78 =
 the answer. 391.12125-

148	75	0
120	0	0
112	5	0
376		
391	121	250

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What will 7 A. 2 B. 3 C. of land cost @ 1.50 per acre.

If 1 A. cost \$ 4.50. 7 A. 2 B. 3 C. or
 7.7375 A. will cost 7.7375 times
 as much. Therefore 7.7375 A. will
 cost \$ 4.50 \times 7.7375 A. = 499.06875

380	75	0
270	0	0
575	0	0
77375	0	0
386875		
309500		
464250		
499	068	750

(5) 556750

C

Suppose a farmer had 4 granaries of rye:	4.63
The first contains 4.63 bushels.	9.87
" second " 9.87 "	19.74
" third " 10.01 "	11.0012
" fourth " 11.0012 "	35.5512
after using 18.0679 bushels	18.0679
He sold the remainder for \$1.03	17.4833
per bushel and divided the money	9)2.27 229

among nine persons; what will each get?

You first add together $4.63 + 9.87 + 10.01 + 11.0012 = 35.5512$

you then subtract 18.0679 from 35.5512 . to find how much he had left to sell. then you multiply 17.4833 by $\$1.03$ to find how much money he got for the rye. then you divide by 9 pers. to find how much each person will have of the product.

What is the cost of 693 yards of cloth at $\$3.4775$ per yd.

If 1 yd cost $\$3.4775$. 693 yds. will cost 693 times as much

Therefore 693×3.4775 . will give us the cost of the whole 693 yds.

3.4775
693
259325
108975
138650
<u>22659075</u>

D

What is the cost of 917 bushels of
 Wheat @ \$1.125 per bush 1125
 2 bushels cost 4.125 = 917
 Cash will cost you 787.5
 917 times as much 10125
 Then 917×1.125 will give
 you the cost of the total number of bush.

10125
 787.5

 1031.625

Chas Howard

We first multiply by 59¢
 \$3.50 to find how much it
 would cost at 59¢ a piece
 We divide by 100 to find
 how much it costs per hundred.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 100 \times 107.14 = 10714 \\
 \underline{93795} \\
 13345 \\
 \underline{10714} \\
 10514
 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r}
 100 \times 105.50 = 10550 \\
 \underline{925} \\
 104575 \\
 \underline{13718} \\
 54051 \\
 \underline{6067075}
 \end{array}$$

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January 1st 1891 (Washington D.C.) All the family in perfect health (consisting of my wife Grace, Minnie, Chancy, Johnny & Harry - Johnny away at Annapolis - servant girls Fanny & Mary - ^{arriving the man} - ~~at least~~ two psalms & prayed for each member present & absent. Also for Gen. G. & S. & families - R. & family - Sec. of War of family (he has just lost his beautiful wife) also for Mr. G. - Mr. G. & for the University - for brother R. & for Mrs. L. & children - little G. & S. and the two poor men afflicted with drink - Also for God's living presence in me to help me to a purer & higher life - Cousin G. Roddy Hazant stays over Sunday with us - breakfast & happy morning prayer - all the family including Johnny & the girls present - Off for Sunday school immediately after breakfast - Minnie, Chancy & Grace & I - going driving - Sunday school report & concert - two scholars have died, Madeline Whittelsey & Mrs. Fowler's daughter - The S.S. increasing slowly. Full house at Church - Mr. Rankin preaches about the Angel that declared Tison should be no longer. Are impression common. to be ready for the general of our ending. Attended the funeral of Mrs

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Beltknap the wife of the Sec. of War. at St. John's Episcopal Church. Mr Beltknap very deeply moved as he followed the coffin wrapped with beautiful flowers. Service rather cold. no work beyond the more preliminary service - I had luncheon at Mrs Pomroy's. Her niece, Miss Seal has just come again to Washington - she thinks the church beautiful & enjoys the preaching of Mr R. After funeral went to Mr Semmes's Mission - at skating park - few people were out - room rather cold - he preached well. "God bless the year with goodness." His wife plays the instrument well. I tried to pray for the Mission - Mr Chester spoke to help & called it the manager of a future church. Took tea with Mr & Mrs Semmes & a young Epis. Minister a Mr Andrew of Patterson N.C. He thinks the regular succession not a Presbyterian doctrine & ~~thinks~~ it is absolutely necessary. How belied! In the first place ^{I learned} ~~at~~ ^{from} the Kelley ^{house} in the next place I never had ^{the} ~~any~~ Kelley. Historically there is ^{the} succession - I get it is an absolute necessity to a church - therefore there is no church - but there is a church.

At eleven again tonight Cousin Roddy & I joined
 me in ^{the} ~~the~~ - Mr N. kept our minds steady on the
 text: "Behold I stand at the door & knock; &c."
 I did long to open the door wider & let him
 our blessed Saviour, in. We rode in the
 beautiful moon light to the Union Station
 Spring without a driver - then walked home -
 Thus begins the year, a busy day - I told
 our incident I think chiefly in self-praise, which
 will do no good & may do harm. I want to guard
 against this besetting sin.]

(January 2nd 1878.) Clear cold morning. Mrs Belknap's
 death prevents the usual ceremonial exercises as
 far as the Pres. Cops. of Army & Navy & heads
 of Dept. & Amans are concerned. Morn morning
 exercises - breakfasted very early that Cousin
 Roddy might take the first train. I hope
 we were faithful enough to leave a Christian
 impression upon him - at least that it is desirable
 to be on his Lord's side. I have staid at home the
 most of the day described by letter to doubtless our
 Anne Kate & our visit to Plymouth & Boston -
 to celebrate the 250th Anniversary of the Landing
 also wrote to my excellent friend N. P. Buck of Stroudley

[January 2nd 1877]

in relation to our church & other matters. Notwith-
standing the embargo on Brodyer's visits, many
good friends have found their way in here -
First Col. D. S. Eaton (would his health were better)
I forwarded a letter for him to the Indepen-
dent. Hoping the aid necessary by private
individuals & by companies to give homes to
the southern poor. Mrs. Stucky (D. W.
& W. J. Perkins of Augusta. Member of the
of the Y. M. C. A. [Mr. Lewis & his son in law
Capt. I saw our neighbors called - The
Dutton ^{too} met with a terrible accident since I
saw him, losing his left hand & his left
eye. The artificial eye looks just like
the other & makes the same as a real
one, but is wonderful but it is only the
natural eye that can see. He seemed very
serious when I told him I must be the
most wicked as God had to take his ^{right} ^{hand} from
me - He said a colored servant told him
"He must be a very wicked man that God
had to punish him so severely".
Prayer meeting tonight - after Brother Moulthrop's
wedding, Mrs. Moulthrop to be, being an episcopalian

February 2nd 1877

Mr. Nautain used at his request the Epis. Service -
[Our prayer-meeting very small compared with
size of our Church membership - yet the
object was thoughtfully & perhaps humbly considered:
viz - A review of the past year - an humbling ourselves
before God in view of the worldliness of Christ's Church.
I tried to reach my own heart - oh, how barren! asked
for prayer for a better, more consecrated future, also
for my friend who has been so long halting at the
doorway of Christ's Church. We tried to covenant
together so as to be in mood to point sinners
to Christ this prayer-week at least. Each one
endeavouring to get, a clean heart. - Oh, God
our Father, don't let us in our weakness stand
in the way of sinners coming.]

[February 3rd 1877] Spent some time with the children
^{not of the} ~~of the~~ ^{of the} this morning in lesson & teaching verses.
Mr. Pomeroy's advice given at the Pilgrim memorial
to learn new scriptures are being fruit. We
lection & children of the S.S. want to learn the lesson
by heart for next Sunday. [Also morning reading
embraced the passage: "The blood of Jesus cleanseth
his son cleanse from all unrighteousness." I told
the children of it - The little ones seem interested.]

[Jan. 2^d 1871]

[Busy morning at the office - inspected two
divisions Mr Lewis & Gen. Ballou's with a view
of reduction of force. It is hard to discharge
them really good young men who have been
with me so long & done well. I saw the
appointments Book of the Marine with a view
of getting some of these positions today.]
drew my interest on Y. L. - Capt. Mack & returned
to University - to meeting of the board of trustees
held all the afternoon - Mr Pomeroy
was present & helped us much by his advice -
A Mr Savage was an interested listener to
our doings - Gen. D. L. Bates - I am glad to see
our work with us - Bishop Brown nominated
Frederick Douglass to be a member of our
Board. Mr Miles & Mr. Bradley was also
nominated & others. [We had a good prayer meeting
for sailors, sailors, soldiers &c. & spoke for
Mr. Grant & the Sec. of War in his benevolence
and trust to pray. We had a created prayer-room
& a large & pleasant "sociable" afternoon -
I hope a special blessing will follow this work
of prayer - Grace & family went with me
tonight.] Mr Markin puts me on a cow-walker

[Jan 1st 1891]

Our University opened fairly this morning with perhaps diminished numbers: the first day does not prove anything as to the subsequent.
Myself, Grace & I went to the evening W. M. meeting - same subject as at noon - this at our church. [The Rev. Newton encouraged ^{us} to labor even though imperfect; & had said that I must be bolder & bolder that the exercise of authority might not drive away ^{our} children from the blessed Sacrament. Grace did not want to go & I thought I would not have persuaded - Last night she went because this was a Sabbath - & asks why! She does not wish to go! because the meetings are of no interest to her - & am much disappointed - For about a year ago she seemed to be quite engaged to work with me - but watchfulness creeps in & seduces the heart. I asked prayer for her as a Mother's request from God - Mrs. H. said to Myself too - How many Wilsons pray humbly - for every commission that ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~children~~ ^{children} might escape the terrible loss of sin - So the afternoon spoke a few solemn words to the young people. May this day be full of petitions - ^{our good friend} the great blessed. O the Lord's suspension is reported!

Jan 5 1891

— Old Mr Plumbly visited
us at the opening of the University this morning
also a Mr Kellogg, bringing a young man his
nephew from Chambers Mass. The old gentle-
man Mr P. thought was 70 years ago - constantly
contrasts the present with the past - the
young man Mr K. I think was a genuine
Southern & was much interested - Both
felt the novelty of the situation in
the presence of our great scholars. [Having ^{received}
a number earnest request for prayer for the
Soc 25 yrs - for immediate conversion.
I went to the Court room & answered to the
you. cont. daily prayer as yesterday - I spoke
a few words about not recognizing & not using
God's spirit when he did give it. & tried to
pray. One interesting story of ^{this} immediate answer
to the request of a brother to ~~the~~ people's assem-
bly in the conversion of his brother, drew
general attention. --] Dr. Catterbut & Dr. Chickering
dwelt much on love & the exercise of it.
Mr. Hale told another story about the fruits
of effort after prayer, in which a brother took a
brother into the fold. The prayer were solemn

and more. I visited the Capital on business
with several members about my appropriation.
I am anxious that my deficiency bill should
not be cut down & that my appropriation
may be allowed. The Lord will and will in
this according to His will - I hope I may
undertake nothing contrary to His will, nor
without His asking. My wife & Chang went
to the evening prayer from 4 to 8 P.M. going
down with double team - I scolded him a
little about the gate & about the boards
in St. Luke's petition broken & unneeded - He
replied & I told him he might leave if he
chose or something like it - so I depart
almost immediately from my own preaching - I
told him not to mind my sharp words - he
was deeply wounded & I am sorry. How
hard to love, all the time thy brother as
thyself! [I am reading the life the Biographies
by Rev. Mr. Wesley of England - I think
the book is helping me, as good
evidence of true Christian men generally
also by suggestion & ^{recorded} example.]

Apr. 6th 1871] Another day of the receipt of
papers is over - today at all the meetings
the subject was "the circulation of the Rev."
Besides the Monday meeting at ^{the M.C.F.} dear Hall
I went with Brother Rankin to a meeting
at a Mr Sheldon's dancing hall - Mr Geo. H. Hall
sent me a printed circular in which Mrs H
among others was referred to as former
Nations - and as my initials were used & no Mrs
just in front only date - Mr Hall
took it for me & wrote me as if I appeared
on the end of course I would go to the
meeting - It appears Mrs little daughter, the
teacher, has been the means of circulating
this & his wife, hence this imputation during the
course of prayer. I felt much shocked for my want
of carefulness (while the brother was praying &
talking) in allowing a wrong bias on the
part of my children with reference to worldly
pleasures. I consulted with Mr Rankin, then took
him to ride - told him my cares & troubles - in order
to relieve him from his own - took him to see one who
is always patient under ultimate suffering - His
doubts & scruples began to vanish & he was really

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cheerful when we rode down together. I spoke
a few words & then went to the Metropolitan
for Parkman by invitation of Mrs. Bullard.
Some 140 manifested a desire to come
to church. I told how I found the service
was a little of it - The singing was good & there
was much of it while the people waited
for services to come out & kneel at
the altar - prayers were all earnest, some
almost boisterous - Mr. Parkman was not
noisy, but very anxious apparently - Young
"Allen" called in the Army "Sergeant Allen" Gen.
Geo. W. Thomas' little soldier friend, was one of
those who knelt at the altar - I tried to
talk with him. Mr. Leach B - will not
leave us as found - Annie went with me
tonight to our meeting - I called for her about
10 P.M. at Mr. Parkman's & we were late home.
I saw read the Epistle about a 2-
about another court mention of Gadsden
G. W. Smith again (the cold cadet) and the
disappearance of these cadets..

Jan. 7th 1891 - A very Saturday I had no
public exercises at 9 a.m. so I stayed after prayers
to teach Quinn & Chancy some verses in our
Sunday lesson. Quinn is quick - Chancy is very
thoughtful. Visited Gen. Pleasanton (now Com^d of
Interior Museum - ^{he} promised contingently a
number of dollars toward the church. He kind
and affable - an excellent executive officer.
Visited the appointing clerk, Mr Vanderbilt
with fine recommendations for five of my
excellent clerks that I must soon discharge.
Visited the Sec. of War - He seemed cheerful
& spoke tenderly of his wife's memory & of a sorrow
that had been attention to her - He had been
able to make a return for it by saving a
soldier son, probably from long imprison-
ment for a foolish desertion. Saw Gen
Lyster & Col. Beatty of the Ordnance about
some muskets for our Cadets - They are promised
before spring - also about how Gen - ~~is~~ got
relief for his investigation. I want the same.
It was done by a carefully added clause ⁱⁿ to the
appor. act. Met Col. Kniffin and introduced him
to the President. He was looking in good health

Apr. 4th 1841

Said Mrs Grand was not very well just
now - ~~she~~ should some few but I should
say something about office for Carl-R - But
I did not - contenting myself with asking for
an interview in his behalf - Attended prayer-
meeting this evening - The interest culminated
in two gentlemen taking their stand for Blessing.
Mr Coleman of our Congregation was one of a
young man, who has never attended a prayer-meeting
till of late - Visited with my wife Mr Powers
after meeting - met Mrs Isabella B. Walker
there - She is still laboring for woman suffrage -
had a pleasant call to a nice tidy home in
the moonlight - with "Bob" Mr Rankin's organ -
found it found that he has sat up till 10 -

January 8th 1841 being snow storm - with
late - so that we had rather short time to cross
Wentford - I got to S School in season - [My S.S.
Class seemed quite impressed with the lesson - Miss
B^B Bantwell thought it not possible that any one could
be lost.) I had a conversation with her after the
lesson - indicating her not to let that trouble
her now - First come into the Kingdom in the
appointed way and then these things become clear

She thinks many form a wrong idea of her
character by this idea being presented - I said I did not
doubt it, for all who associated from time form
a wrong idea of her character.] I saw her present
at the Refuge Home, where I tried to present
some of the evidences of the Revolution - some sinners
seem held up their hands for prayer - There was
seemingly much interest. Mr. Stanton preached
to a full house upon "Thou God Seekest Me"
The strongest impression was given upon the direct
personal responsibility of every man to God, not
to society, not to individual men but to God.
The futility of attempting to hide from His all-
seeing eye was made apparent. At W. Lee Balluch
& I dropped into the religious temperance meeting at
Simeon Hall - Mr. Henry Allen, presiding, was then
Rev. Dr. Chickering was telling interesting & effective incidents -
[Mr. Buckle ^{at temperance meeting} (Senator) ^{12 60 min.} made a warm hearted Christian
speech - I followed him by special request, urging ^{temperance}
as one of the stones that he must roll away before
the Kingdom would speak life to many souls.]
A Missions room I said he had been away for nearly
a life time - that the church he left here was ^{the} temperance one
among the Methodists
& that if our brethren were not so, the Methodist churches

would rise in judgment against us. Brother
Hall urged some house work & gave notice of
Evangelical Alliance meeting next Sunday at 3 PM
This evening Eddie Fowler & I rode down to church
in the street car & walked back. I tried to urge upon him
immediate surrender to our Lord. He gave me a
sort of promise. Mr. Austin preached to a
small show-stone audience, upon the lifting
up the serpent in the wilderness - comparing
the remedy with that of "Christ crucified" - then by
it - A discourse excellent & I think our
calculated to awaken thought in an unconverted
mind. [I began the day with a head-ache - have
been busy all day & now am quite well - some
seed has been sown - May the Lord water &
nourish - The His own time give the
increase.]

[January 9th 1870] Ordinary office business.
[after prayers ^{of which I conducted} at the Chapel] - I remarked upon
the passage in our reading: "For the foolishness
of the cross is to them that perish foolishness":
showing why it was so. They, sinners who have
not been with the Kingdom at all, undertake
to judge of it. They undertake to pronounce upon ^{that}

of which they necessarily have no knowledge
whatever.] - I visited Mr. Curtis' bank, while
there - Judge W - says he wanted to sell ~~him~~^{it}
a house near me - but told me he supposed we
were such enemies that we could not live near
each other - fr. B. - says: It is not so - here. he
is a Christian & a gentleman - We would not
have had any difficulty but for some bad
advisors; whom he names.

I wrote Chas. an article for publication - chiefly
it rather - on the subject of the political
aspect of the subject of Education -

Visited the office of Frederick Douglass, but
he had not arrived - Went to Congress & saw the
chairman of H. Com. ^{the} Mr. Arnold. He is always
kind & courteous. I took Mr. Martin to Sec. W's
& thence to Congress with me & then home
to aid in preparing ^{or revising} some H. rules - Staid to dine
and then went to the ~~meeting~~^{Church} meeting for the
evening. Collected our officers & got over some
perplexing questions without trouble.

[Jan 11 1841] - met Col. H. S. Eaton just
after breakfast - he looks better - Mr. Hennessey
opposes to establish his claim against the

the church. That he has held to
long a litigation - applied again for
- ~~Capt~~ Williamson - He is quite a business
morning - and did not go to the city
the evening. Two of my army friends -
one on the staff of Gen. Moore & the
other a comdr. of a battery - ~~the~~
two brothers - Dr. Geop. The former. Short
thick set - fine looking size one leg is
shorter than the other & that he has
been troubled with epilepsy - all from wounds
& exposure - the other has his home
near Wash at present, but is doing
business in ~~the city~~ in areas - He
always here - his fortunes sell for cash
there. ^[After a long business] We had another good prayer meeting
at our church tonight - One member
of the S.S. class arose for prayer &
two others - I had a pleasant conversation
with Mr Geo. Selvy - He has just found
the Sanborn. He is in business at
Stinson Falls in summer - sells Indian
goods by the Capitol in winter -
The Sanborns - discussion expects Congress next.

January 11th 1878.

Had a busy day - settled our troublesome case
Mrs S. - Female Medical student with two
children - made for a resident student - Martin
out on Mr Ramsey's case - agreed to leave case
to counsel. gave out Commission to our
Cadets' officers - Had an interesting
occasion - The rooms inspected are in good
order - George King an old friend visited us
today - was at our home at Argente
(Arsenal) when he was a baby of 3 mos.
This evening Mrs H & I went to Professor
Silliman's lecture on "Water" - The usual
exercise, on Morris's ^{family} teaching, "the opening" of the
Ministry and all formal matters & devotions -
Have had the usual attention and interest -
A long visit from a card editor of a New paper
Edisha News - He proposes to buy one of
the houses near Corcoran's - Thinks he
can help me in endowment etc.
Good letter from Rowland of Imperial Ill -
all well - they wish asking earnings to
go to Yale ..

Apr 19th 1871.. I made a few remarks to the pupils on cleanliness & tidy appearance - but a few were getting into the habit of leaving off the collar. Lady Hamilton was always very particular as to the personal appearance of her pupils as to order & neatness. Her pupils are now doing well the military system works well in this respect. and helps to keep buildings & rooms neatly arranged & clean. Saw President Grant today - was fortunate to be present at an interview between him & Mr Douglass. He wrote the letter to accompany the Com. to Gen. Serrano. The latter thought he had better not go. The President talked to us a long time freely on public matters - it ^{was} ^{thoughtful} ^{when} who comes near him, can fail to be impressed with his honesty of purpose & clear, decided judgment upon questions that are now affecting the public mind. ~~He gave to us~~ ^(He gave to us) ^(the Grant or the Serrano or the Wade process) ~~upon~~ ^{the} ~~thought~~ ^{thought} that he might have kept Senator ^{Serrano} from factions opposition, if he had exercised his accustomed wisdom & knowledge of human character. His smile & pleasant way idea before the audience was complete & then told us simply how Mr Serrano had disappointed him. Mr Douglass ^{who was present} presented some thoughts about

the unfulfilled mission of the Rep. party & how necessary
it still is to continue it - Gen. Grant said earnestly
yes, it is so, who-ever may lead. I plead as usual
for Education - presenting the idea of a
full pledge & Department with a seat in the
Cabinet. Mr. Douglass took me to the "Labor
Convention" where he made a strong complimentary
speech & introduced me - followed by a vigorous
appeal from a stranger to me - who said there
were many odious and unkind - Grain & c. &c.
as people in the West were harming their
Cabbies for me. I thanked them & they
made a speech on the subject of "Labor
as connected with education."

At the office again - I wrote a letter to Professor
Parker, enclosing my subscription of \$100 - asking
him what he thinks of Gay's going to Yale -

I wrote him a long letter today detailing my
preference for Bowdoin. Another letter I wrote
to Gen. R. M. Scott - sending him check for W. M. C. Int.
interest & still another to John Taylor of Jordan
about the aid he wishes from us towards the thousands
who are left in almost a starving condition by the
war on the Continent. - another good prayer meeting tonight
on S. S. Tabernacle meeting at its close
in our social room, & ready.

January 14. 1871. Henry, who is now a "wee"
one - one year & one half old - lost the key to my
desk cupboard when this book was locked in yesterday,
so that I omitted an important day.

Friday Prof. Bascom conducts the opening session of
the University. I was present - explained to the school
how I wished a pupil to conduct his recitation at
the blackboard. Attending a prominent colored man
was present & seemed to be impressed with the
principles of the people - got wishes to go into the
lobiasse business at Richm. and - advise with
me as to raising the capital. Downing has a fair
mind, wishes to be prominent, & after a little con-
ference in his methods of presenting his ideas - of late
at the convention for Labor, I thought he was quite
clear. Mr. Geo. Whipple comes in - I go with him to
the Capital after the morning business - visit Mr
Hoar - & then Senator Proctor. Then go to
a town in the Interior Department to a conference
of the "India Commission" with the Reverend
J. C. S. representatives - Mr Geo. W. Hunt of Phil^a
Mr. Coblyn & Mr. Farnwell of Chicago - Mr
Brown of Phil^a - & Mr. Foley of Boston with
Mr. Dodge of N. Y. meeting Messrs Welch, Whipple

Apr. 15. 1871 - A good Sunday School this A.M.
Mrs. Duffield - who has been in the prayer-meetings twice
said - what would one do who has tried long for the
"living water" & has not found it! She burst into tears.
& tried to show her that the Saviour had already
forgiven her sin - After the class I had a faithful
talk with her - trying to show her how he was really
bearing her load & she was trying to bear it too.
An excellent sermon from Br. R. - "On laboring for
the unseen" How plain he made the duty to
appear of fixing our hearts & our faith on the unseen
& eternal! How insignificant the things that seem of
so much consequence that we daily engage our
attention - and how vast the proportions of the eternal
main matter! This afternoon took Mr. Phillips to
with me to our Y.M.C.A. Mission under the charge of Br.
Blackford. He has just finished his new house - after
extraordinary labor - The people are already vastly benefited.
Dylan's sister spoke well - so did Mrs. Newton Sept. of
colored schools. I felt much - tried to explain & lay down
the idea of the necessity - and show common evidences
of it. Mr. Toles, daughter & Edney his son not only
dined but took tea with us. A happy & pleasant
family - This evening Br. R. showed us how to sow in time

that we might reap in joy. He drew strong contrasts
between our sowing grain to the earth people - and
marked comparisons between the sowing of natural ^{ness}
& spiritual grain anywhere - He showed us
how poorly we must defend our argument. "There
is not one word" He said "believe not shall be
denied." "That Abraham Lincoln a man should
not perish in." Use the word - I will try for
God's method must be better than any I can
devise. Home again in the dark train -
four children up to meet us - "Oh! papa this has
been a great! (the great enlarged) five - right
down there - the above is silent by finding
it nearly a mile off. But somebody suffers.

(Monday January 16 1891)

Mr & Mrs Jewell of Hartford at Minnie's prayer - were
affected by the singing - I introduced Mr Stewart of S.C.
Their Church or S.S. is giving him a scholarship -
and a letter from Ray that gives me much uneasiness
on account of its tone. His heart is set on Yale - I
have long wanted him to go to Bowdoin. His
good mother assured him with kind loving words.
May God help him & incline him to do right.
I visited the Board of Missions & the Treasury this

Bro. Hawley called to me just as I entered
the West door of the latter - I was glad to see him.
He thinks West Point needs "our handling" - feels
badly that young men are allowed to take the
name - I took the head of so good a man
as he. Banned by treating his son with such
an indignity as. He called upon Gen. Pleasant
but did not find him in.

This afternoon we had a lecture upon Africa by
a colonizationist - He sets forth the glories of Africa
for Africans - Our young men rather prefer America -

Brother Blackford found some of his troubles with my
son. He is a noble self-sacrificing man - May the
Lord reward him - men will not be likely to do so.

Judge Small of the Police Court visited us today -
we were for Maine.

This evening Mrs. & myself have attended our 4th
cut reception - A large & pleasant gathering - Spokes
from Rev. Dr. May, who came out with the corking of
an Assyrian note - also from Rev. Dr. Prine of N.Y.
& Brother Lloyd who gave us a recitation
from Lowell - I said a word about money
as usual - If we only had the means
without always begging would it be fine?

January 17. 1871 Tuesday. Late hours last night produced late hours this morning - so that there was too much haste in the toilet - in the children's room - in papers & reading and much haste to get to morning papers at the University in season - in this manner one thing hinges upon another so that a slight disturbance of one particle keeps jostling to our great discontent, I have tried to curb bad feelings today in the part of some students - & tried to set in motion counter currents: After a small amount of Office work - went to an Asylum to find a sick soldier - he had moved to the Soldier's Home - Brother Rankin promised to visit him - as he requested in a letter that some Minister Presbyterian or other do so, he being very ill. How many more poor, wounded, maimed, broken soldiers are now being daily made ^{so} in France - the terrible battle of the Marais - the news has just arrived - - How much better news is the tidings of great joy to all people - Peace on earth & good will towards men! I visited John F. Cook who has been ^{long} a clerk, teacher & law-student & is now just graduating - I am afraid he has over-taxed his powers of endurance by too much work. He seems to have a severe fever & not, as reported, have malarial.

At one P.M. I went with my wife Grace to the dentist to see them have teeth extracted. My wife took the gas - breathing it from a large tube that descended from the ceiling & enveloped at the mouth to 'cover the face' - She kept her eyes open - breathed harder & harder - slower & slower till she seemed like one, not in sleep, but unconscious from some accident or stroke - Then he extracted two teeth that came hard - I watched the operation with knowledge of its safety but not without anxiety to see it through. Grace went through the same operation for one tooth - She cried as she came out of the abnormal state - I seemed very weak for five minutes. The shock upon the system seemed every whit as severe as if they had been conscious - though neither realized any pain. I staid at home this evening & now sleep at least an hour - The children have been to a "birth day party of Walter Pallas's sister" Their anticipated joy was very great - This remembrance of it affords some pleasure but never so thrilling - How fearful to intimate to poor Chancy that he could not go because he had played so long that his mother could hardly get him ready! His entreaties prevailed.

Jan. 15th - 1841 - Visited several recitation-rooms
with Colonel Winthrop & Miss Kate Stanton - Also
the library, Academy, hospital - Saw & conversed
with the act people - left Pease a passage - The
lord is my shepherd I shall not want - Saw one
very sick one almost unable to articulate, tried
to pray for her - found quite a batch of correspondences
Saw at Col. Putnam with Mr & Mrs Rankin - Mrs Webster
& Miss Ward & my wife - Br. R. & I went out this
evening to Soldier's home - found Mr Pease quite
sick, but with a strong pulse - think the
professional surgeon suspected a hypochondriacal
he was quite professional in saying that some
of his patients would not live long - Brother
R. comforted Pease & prayed with him & for his
family - I am feeling quite anxious about
our N.H. - C.A. & our University - Oh, that
I might rely more implicitly & fearlessly
upon God!

January 19. 1841 - Had quite a number
of visitors to the university today - Mr G. B. Farnell
& wife - a Mr Richardson & a Mr Page from Bath
Maine - It is curious to see how puzzled the visitors
are at the evident intelligence of the students. It

evidently goes so against the prejudices
of a life time - but the proof of the pudding is
in the eating - out of the bridge is the
cropping. Rev. Sewall seemed to enjoy
some singing exercises in the model school
very much. Rev. Chickering came this P.M.
A took him to "Sullivan Home" - saw the
grounds, roads, trees, fields, buildings, ponds &c.
We ascended to the top of the tower - where
we took in picture after picture which our
way we turned - The view does not make
an impression like that from our University -
but seems more like a ^{rich} painting - We dined
at home & then Mrs. H. & I accom-
panied Dr. G. - to Church for our prayer - meeting
after it I annoyed Mr. Davis M.C. by a visit, which
gave me discomfort from its being unwise
to him - but comfort from finding that my
^{will} that property not come up & would not till
the very last was taken up. Then back to
our church with Mr. Richardson of Bath for
a ~~for~~ Temperance discourse from Mr
Sawville of Canada - The speaker
interested, amused & instructed an audience

for more than an hour. I said a word
to keep all employed while the construction
was being taken. Tried to keep My Master
earn agreement & to help in the revival
if I might be permitted to do so. Reuben C.
came home with us & has returned - so much
I --

Jan. 20. 1841 - This day (Friday) spent mainly
in visitations at the University. Visited accompanied
me Mr. Jos. Blichering - Mr. Griffin of Worcester Mass.
a Mrs. Robinson, daughter of Mr. Griffin of Braintree
and other ladies - A Mr. Madam, Baptist Minister, with
an old man who had been freed in Ky. &
who has twice returned from Africa - He
told the Model School about himself -

Mr. Sprague & Miss Maggie North visited
me at the office & came over to lunch -

This afternoon I visited the bank & took out
cash to see our tanager the Riddle about
Mr. G. W. Renssely's suit - then went to
Congress. Mr. Hickey seemed irritated that I troubled
him. Judge Lawrence reluctantly promises to visit
the hospital tomorrow. - Visit Br. Rankin. Meet
then Mr. Collins our colored missionary & later - walk

known by the way of Gen Whittles's -
He has just had a beautiful photograph
enlarged of "Yiddie". His happy little
face shines down upon him from the
wall over the fireplace -

Jan 21 1871 - A blessed Saturday we have no
session of the University - After the usual morning
exercise at home I left at 8 1/2 am. for the
city - had a short conversation with Judge
Bingham as he was coming down to breakfast
at the Westinghouse house - took in Judge Lawrence
& his son - They came out to the hospital &
we suspected that & then the Bureau (I think)
what they left of it - then received my
deficiency estimates. I made some
blunders like the miscalling of names
which exhibited carelessness. In afternoon
we have had a Board Meeting of the University
Trustees - when we conferred the degrees upon
the young men who are reported nearly to
graduate in the law. A good letter from
my cousin today saying he was sorry
that he had been angry & wrote as he did. He
was sorry immediately after he wrote. I have

spent the evening at home. First at table
with the children, when Henry was happy to
have papa feed him before Mamma came - Then
after dinner - the S.S. Lesson for tomorrow
Chang & Jamie try to learn it & Jamie gets
impatient because I wish he to keep his
feet still & Chang get wonderfully dull
because sleepy - but some the text is
done and the 3 spend a pleasant hour
in reading the Congregationist - come
to a piece on the comparative feet
happy families from want of manifestation
of the real sentiment of the heart more than
from want of existing mutual affection.
I found some good resolutions - How
often they are made!

(January 22nd 1871). We were in Sunday
School in pretty good season this morning -
Mr B - was selected Superintendent by a very
large majority receiving 114 votes at first. The
vote was afterwards made unanimous - T. J.
Stewart left Superintendent. Morning Session
by Rev. D - Subject, the dignity of man. Before the
hall - as exhibited by the fall - as shown in inscription.

The afternoon, James & I with Dr. Rie
"John" in little wagon called a 14th St. for
Miss Nellie Cooke - took her to the Island Mission
where there was a large attendance - The
School has been somewhat disorganized -
but will soon recover. Some of the singing
was spirited & excellent - Mr Bancroft is an
enthusiastic leader. Miss Cooke was to play
on the instrument - which she did at the
opening & also took a class. James
was deeply interested in the singing of a little
girl & in the speaking of a little boy not
older than Nancy - It was a little child
prayer kneeling the hands, the sun &c. good morning
and after permission bidding God good morning
by saying - "He is Father in Heaven" It would
not be quite new - in any one other than
a little child.

This evening - from 7th part for an hour we
had an excellent prayer-meeting at the
University - room full - I had Herzke's
prayer & the answer - prayer was our
subject - incidents of evidently answers -
After tea - James, Digger & I walked all the way

to Church - House full - subject Woman &
her work - In the main the argument was
aimed at suffrage & its consequences. Dr. Rie
believes & declares that it has not the sanction
of the Bible - All rode home with Gen.
Bulluck.

(Monday Jan 23rd 1891) - Morning exercises at
the University very solemn and I trust it was
the Holy Spirit - helping - Young Dr. Hammond
Kantson very cheerful, came from his wound
in the war meets me in the way to Chapel -
wrote till I got thro. with prayer - is deeply
grieved that he must be turned back but knows
he can not pass the examination - I sympathize
but find that I can give no acceptable
advice - I answer several letters - one to Mr
John Tappan - so aged & yet he writes a sturdy
firm hand - perhaps by Ammanensis - He is disappoint-
ed in studies now but in six months thinks that
he will have the amount to send me of 500 dollars
for our church - also another to Prof. Wood of the
Pittsburg University above mentioned - He is
a Roman Catholic - quiet but much attached to
his church. He will not meet answer as a Protestant

teacher for Japan. After dinner I had a
long session with the dentist. He filled
a tooth, which feels quite uneasy under
its new load. After dinner or home. I got
used and spoke angrily & loud somewhat after
the old style - was soon very sorry that so
now much I need the ever abiding grace
of God. Mr. Moulton began his lesson to
Francis in music this evening - he is
a genuine young man & I like to talk
with him.

Mr. J. B. Brown of the Y. M. C. A. brings to me
a sorrowful report of a Brother B. a
member of our Y. M. C. A. & of the Ch. district
Parrish's mechanism. I get angry & he gets
angry! Still it is the grace of our God
that is to deliver -

(June 24th: 1871) .. started a little before 7 -
about the time quite ones (Charles Johnson & Francis)
making all possible noise, laughing, squealing &
crying by turns - Johnson gets hurt & leaves for
mother's exhortations, but must return take
the faultless young fly is the father to
the rolling down - made some remarks

to the school our prayers about the effects of
bad habits - drinking - laziness &c. told the
anecdote of Rev. Gabe D - sweet colored
preacher who went to the - & became a
night officer but who fell into the habit
of drink - he was persistent & in my office
signed a solemn pledge that he would not
drink - went right back & continued to
drink violating his pledge. He is going
rapidly towards a drunkard's grave. I think
I felt deeply my responsibility at prayer as I
plead with God to help this young people -
"What a great ^{weight} thing it is to have the care
& teaching of human souls" - Yes says Mr
Barber answering my thought: "I often think
so" I commended Miss Maggie North favorably today.
Wrote a letter to Mr. Supper (Rev. Baptist) at Raleigh
N.C. & to Mr. Sumner (Rev. Baptist Am. Home
Miss) at N.Y. They are troubled that I do not
fulfill a promise that Congress has put it out
of my power to fulfill - After the usual
morning duties I visited Gen. Joyner - Mr
Whitkin & the Savings Bank - also
Hilbourn & Latta - then to Congress

then I found Mr. Logan - very happy at his victory in Illinois - & congratulated me & then united my budget. & wanted him to oppose the bill for doing away with details to colleges provided with military branches -

I hoped that it gave us a good supply of officers for an emergency with small cost. He agrees with me. Back home to lunch - This afternoon devoted to Mr. Cole for work on buildings at Lincoln depot. This evening Brantley Rankin has been with me making up his outline of a Biographical Sketch - he is trying to acquaint himself with my early life -

(Wednesday Jan. 23rd 1871) My daily prayers has very little variety - this is as it should be, for the daily words are pretty much alike - Day after day we gather at the family altar - servants with the rest - and then we have done upon lines & precepts upon precepts - I hope the service does not become grievous to the children - I wish I could sing, then we could have more variety. But the pictures in the Child's Bible & cheerful conversations have a good effect - Samuel's call I tried to improve

at the University - prayers this morning - I am
trying hard to keep the prayers themselves from
becoming monotonous & formal - but wish to
make them like good food well prepared -
for infinite use in the things needed. An old gentleman
by the name of Alden from St. H. dropped in to
see me & the school - It made him quite
happy - his loyal heart seemed to warm up -
Brother Rankin could not be present at the
Ex. Committee meeting. ~~W.B.H.~~ prays me by letter to
go to Illinois; I must try to do so in March -
Lella & the children have gone to her father - he
is very poorly - cannot last long. Judge ^{W.C.} Lawrence
mounts a removal of our rental paid by the Board
to University - sorry, sorry! for I am unable now
to do; to pay the teachers & school expenses. Went
with Lizzie. Home ground & Chancy to hear Mrs
Peabody lecture on the "Kinder Garten" method
of teaching; I was much interested - she appears
upward of sixty - has a high forehead & a sweet
pleasant voice, not strong, ~~but~~ & keeps her bonnet
on. After lecture went to our W.C. A. rooms -
spoke to Howard Div. of loss of temperance a few
words in our section room. Temperance is reviving....

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Thursday 26th of January I always regard Thursday
as my day for the evening for the prayer-meeting
& for the day to be in my mind. Mr. Dickerson
came again early this. He seems stern to
tell me concerning the omission in the
estimate for Arkansas. Gen. Grant sent
for me - have peculiar in the anticipation
when one has been summoned to appear in
any important place. Feels several things - a
being called to an account for one knows not
what, fears one is misinterpreted, misunderstood
or slandered - Hope some wonderful Providence is
now opening - an endowment for the University
which you have tried to pray for; at 12 W.
you go - no fears, no hopes realized - It is simply
a little advice asked ~~about~~ ^{regard} to the restoration
of some S.C. property. Then lunch at Brother Rankin's
and hear his great arguments upon & against female
suffrage - also listen to a letter to the Editor of the
Advance setting us right on a ^{story} that appeared in
the Chicago Tribune - Geo. C. B. B. ^{reported} The Washington Correspondent
visited the dentist again - he fills one cavity -
sprinkles the tooth with rubber for another! gives
me the strong inclination to spit when in positions where

There are no visitors - Our own pull & then
the storm is such I hope - Perhaps I may never
see another falling - The storm is quite severe -
much snow - the rain & freezing - Prayer - meeting
thoroughly attended, but one sick from the removal of
Christian experience - Prof. W. has never had any
remarkable chance - Mr. Skinner ditto - Mr. A. Smith
ditto. After meeting I asked Mr. S. if there was not
time when he had a good sermon - or when he was
made the instrument of bringing a soul to Christ & found
it out - that his heart swelled with joy - He
thought not, but he was more even tempered.

Much stress was laid upon the purpose - This
is as it should be but with the heart man believeth
with the heart man is led to confession to God -
Out of the heart ~~and~~ the issues of life - Love & joy
are found in the heart in consequence of looking to
Christ - so that a fixed purpose to be the Lord may
be strengthened & rendered easier of fulfillment by love
& joy within - I had 2 writing letters - & again
writing - with thanks as to keep our the cold -
Professor Meade of Oberlin is with her. Whittelsey
& attended the prayer meeting & after teachers class -
made cheering remarks about the ease of acquaintance
with Christ

(January 27th 1841. Friday) Cleanly & firmly
and by day break with their sleds - forget
breakfast, forget sleep until sent for -
I visited the young today in behalf of a young
man, who has fallen under the power of temptation.
I fear he has been hypocritical all along -
wrote to Mrs Colvill of Bradford - and still
in hopes of getting the loan for the year's C.T.
or other help - visited by a Mrs Kingfried, of
ha - whose mind is filled with the
subject of the Home-Steved Company - referring
to Mrs Amell's new bill, the effect of which
will be to help poor men to get land
down & school. Perhaps that will be
when I shall be obliged to work.

We have had a wonderful lecture
tonight (Mrs W. attended) by Prof. Johnson -
showing the wonderful influence of oxygen &
of the force that replace it - One has from
hearing his enlarged conceptions of the
wonderful Being that holds & controls this
complicated machinery. None past man
the power of conception can attain.

(January 29 1871) .. A little morn'g - one not up in
season - yet we managed by hustling to get
to S.S in season for the first Nyper - Class
well attended Miss H - who is a member
who has been for some time under
conviction. her career was brightly rejoicing in
a Senior form. Deponent heads of
Deeble bonny of
London preached this morning on "Scaping up
treasures in Heaven" - First the capacity of enjoying
things that pertain to Heaven - it must first be &
then be enjoyed - Miss & Mellin do not enjoy
what they have - 2nd The influence of every thought &
act - all impress upon others - in the right direction, is
a treasure laid in Heaven - Spencer, read to fair
article, then a rest. then to the University prayer
meeting - One new one rose for prayer (young H - ?)
who expects to go to West Point. Then this evening
to the Congregational Temperance meeting at our
Church - then by Dr Chickering - about
defiling the Temple of the Holy Ghost - Then
by Senators Buck, Ingles - & Wilson - on
the effects of drink in hindering Christian life &
on the duties of the hour - Missionary Willy from
the India County begged us not to poison the Indian
delegates here or Washington -

(Jan. 20 1841) - A little late coming to
Lect. having run down a bit - Gen. W
conducted the program at the University - I did
some business at his office, wrote several
letters, and to such extent giving him a sketch
of my family & daily work - visited Mr
Barnes at the State Dept. met Mr. Winkley
the Unitarian Minister (I wonder if they
are accepted of the Lord of Glory as his
representatives.) - My car at the Capital
put forward to the Feb. next. - Annie sent home
by her teacher Miss Mann - goes off to play &
plays all day. Had a Mr. Fessenden talk in the
of Prof. Beardsley - Mr. Beardsley - Mr. Brewster &
Professor Meade here to dine - Board of
Trustees to meet here after tea - Winkley came
(so one of them) after he had gone - Mr. Barker
comes in with a case of theft - one
dissembler suspected - "

(January 21 1841) Tuesday - This morning
before prayers I gave a short extempore lecture
to our pupils on color. "How he ashamed
of your color" & tried to picture real beauty:
It does not lie in the complexion - Eyes, jetty black,

(assumed the Irish ex-servant girl in town who
asked: would you wish you were white? No.
God made me as I am & I suppose it
is all right. At first some boys looked
a little angry but after I persuaded they
brightened up & seems like men of the beautiful
Kenny then I tried to picture things with golden
& silver light. A little business at the office &
then I went rapidly to Congress. conversed with
Mr. Row & other Congressmen then with the
Committee. different members finally with
Judge ~~W~~ of course. I tried to convince
them that they ought to allow my unfulfilled
contracts. Others were very favorable but I fear
we may defer their requests. Today we had
the sad news of Dr. L. Taylor's death at Andover
Mass teacher - wrote to Mrs Taylor & to her. Mrs
Waver's case is troubling our Committee - hope she
is not guilty. Visited the Treasury, saw Gen. Mess-
oulin about Gen. G. W. Sewall. I tried to show
him how valuable he was - has always been
& hope he may keep him. I wrote Bro. Rankin
from home to University of G. C. meeting & that he
dined with us. I was speaking with Mother for

a people (She is a good one) I detailed
to me some incidents of my boyhood - stories
that are so much like those of other
boys that their interest must necessarily
rest in this fact that in their re-
markable nature. Charles Lakin is the
Chicago "Advance" has just arrived - with
Mr. Stanton's piece on Robert Lee & Union
Education.

(February 1, 1871) Mon. Mr. Astell of Cal. visited
the different rooms at the University today -
says he intends to take a stand for education in
the house - Mr. Lewis & daughter visited me
today also - I made a call upon Miss Beaford
the advocate of Kindergarten this afternoon - at
her solicitation - she wished to present to me
the case of a poor German, who had sincerely
devoted himself to teaching, horticulture &c.
but under the supervision of a self-inter-
speculator - was but of course failed
him - She thought she might want the German
aid in our industrial department - She talked to
me much about her system - will visit the
University tomorrow - visited the Savings Bank

(and made a deposit of two dollars paid me
on Mr B's house - did not expect so large
a payment - also another £100 from Mrs Cooper -
money expended for carpets at section - room
returned to me - I hope the tide is turning
and that soon - I will be able to begin the
payment of my dues. I lived at home a
little part of usual - spends often, father
mother & children - quite a full table.
My letter gives quite full particulars of New-
barnet or Taylor's death at Andover - He
fell as his part with his scholars around
him - My sense glad that he had a pleasant
interview with him of late, after he had
visited his grandmother without first obtaining his
permission. Col. S. L. Eaton & I had a long talk
concerning the domestic company. After tea -
then we rode to hear Robert Collyer's lecture
on "clear spot". His lecture was full of
figures & anecdotes - He always set forth his meaning
and in a strong peculiar voice held us deeply
interested. Self-examination goes on while he
speaks to you and he makes his outline clear
& unmistakable. I long to have the clear

git to resist temptation more effectively &
die not unto myself but unto him
whom I am trying to serve.

(Feb. 2nd 1891) Delayed prayer a little for Miss
Sembady but she did not come - she had quite ^{left} ~~gone~~
the wrong number - Attended to some business con-
nected with the Bureau & then with the University
today - dealt with the ex-committee upon the
conditions of the Union Fund & concluded to
employ Miss Moore - discussed the diploma -
and fixed the price at \$3. Made arrangements
for the ^{next} commencement tomorrow night - also
a reception of students Saturday night between 8 & 9.
Slept at home - took Mr. Prescott's hymn
after his Union lesson to Grace & waited
for his wife to go to prayer meeting - Had a
very nice missionary meeting - Est. Smith (Rev.)
Mr. Presbury & Rev. Mr. Willey spoke - I tried
to open up my heart a little, but I think my
brethren have got too accustomed to me!
He had a bright tract meeting very
interesting - on the Beatitude. on next
Monday's lesson - Many intentions & profitable
results were made.

(February 3^d 1841) Was present, just long
enough to give a notice & invitation to the
school & friends to attend the "Law Commence-
ment" tonight - I spent most of the ^{afternoon} day in
preparation for tonight - writing my address &
the address on Ammanensis to copy - This evening
Morrin & Zigler accompanied me - to the Church -
Senators Sumner, Sherman, Warner - Reps -
H. Maynard - Long - Benedict. Atty. Gen. Sherman
were present - Also Gen. Sherman - The Mayor
(Amory) & other prominent men.

The young men acquitted themselves well -
Auripron was in his element presiding -
Joseph speaks besides mine after the young
men brought us well right on to 11 P.M.
from Sumner, characteristic, from Sherman the
Senator refined & pointed - from Sherman clear
& full of practical wisdom - from Horace Maynard
a simple incident related in a most effective
style - Introductory prayer by Rev. Mr. Leitch &
Benediction by Professor Whittier - Music
by the pupils - A success it has been, our
first Commencement!

Feb. 4th 1871 - Reception given to ~~the~~ graduates
& trustees, & graduating classes - the Law
& Medical Dept. Such a large attendance
the utmost gentility - White & colored, all
happy & seem to enjoy the evening - Mother
& I present a part of the evening.

(Feb. 5 - Sunday) Full house at morning
service. Bro Rankin preached on "The Calling" -
an excellent, practical sermon - Mrs. Mrs.
Stantons of Ind. sat in my pew. he commended it
most highly - & thus my calling & election are
sure! Evening, Mr. Clark gave us a full acct
of the Bulgarian Mission - when he is at work -
much interest is awakened - Then Mr. Snow
took us to his Mission, the Macedonian Isles -
and we feel that the work of the Lord is
the true work! Mother went with me to the
students prayer-meeting at 5¹/₂ P.M. (Not so
full of interest as at some times) We covenant to pray
for the graduating class in Law!!

(Feb. 6th Monday) Office work rather active -
Miss Peabody was at prayer - Mr. De Monte of Boston
came in which we were making - & Miss visitors

i remembered the four graduates at the Home of
Grace - (Cook, Shedd, Johnson, Johnson - Myra
Merrick, Thomas Williams, Bell)

her death
Met the agent of Mrs Bell & Miss! Think
we shall be able to get aid from her, in
the sale of some of our land.

Attended Court in the forenoon - not wanted - sent
Bank - return to office - work - invited Mr. R.
Webb to come here - go to dentist at 1 1/2 P.M.

Now a long string of it - face her re -
Attend business meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Managers -
We pray & agree to pray for help from our Lord!
We need financial aid - attend "socials" at our
church - meet trustees of church - I return to

social room - all happy apparently -
So we must thank God for his goodness to us!

Jan 15 11 - Went to Public Court
this a. m. - stay some time; effected a
settlement, between Bowen & Davis -
Case withdrawn - visited the Bank -

Mr Daniel Welch's office - then to
Hospital for the Deaf - was alone
of the Committee - had a hard day -

dined with Dr. Schuller, sister & Miss Diet -
visited Mrs. Schuller & Mr. Johnson on my
way home (a minor grand meeting) much more
by 8 1/2 - so tired as not to be fit for much
tonight. Lizzie somewhat ill - did not
get up till 8 P.M. She seems pretty well this
evening -

(Feb. 8. 1891, Wednesday) Had Mr & Mrs Snow
the missionaries at prayer at the University this
morning - Both spoke - he had a nice map &
we found a clear idea of the Micronesian
Islands and of the wonderful work done
in the year time. The one fact I wish
to trumpet up is this, that contact with
civilized men... even enough - to teach the natives
their language, seemed to produce no results looking
to civilization. As soon as the Gospel is
preached & begins to bear fruit - the people
begin to discover their deficiencies, in clothing &c
& begin to show signs of improvement.

I tried to settle the difficulties in Medical
College - Had another visit from Col. Kniffin -
visited Cooper & was quite encouraged about my
appropriation - visited Mr. Hunter, Dr. Hill & let him

finish. The sewing, polishing, cleaning for
water me put tired & sore mouth - dried at
home, hard work to eat. Sizzie is better - I
was one of the children coughing - our sudden
change from their work - attended the "Hawaii
Division" tonight. W. A. Hale & some
others were invited - called for a great
minute to the "Main Society" -
The hall was well filled - the principal
business seemed to be dancing -

(February 9th 1871) Quite a number of
visitors or prayers - Mr & Mrs Clark, Missionary
to Bulgaria - plenty of business at the office -
a visit from Mrs Bell of Miss. & her lawyer -
also from Mrs Walker seeking office - also
from several young men seeking office - so
it is day by day - visited Com^{rs} of Pension -
1st National Bank - Mr H. W. Cook - also
the Sec of War - He asks if I wish to go
to Texas, says the Pres. wishes me to go.
Met Mr Boston Prof. Geo. Jen. Bayne
at my house with letter from Mr R. P. Buck
he took the University, with Gen. Whittier -
We will work fast with us tomorrow this

evening with Mother & Lizzie visited Mr
Blaine - Mr Webb & Mrs Barber
had gone to concert - Mrs B met us - Gen.
Whittier came - also a Mr & Mrs Pike
of Maine - perhaps the father of the
Mc - don't know, chatted awhile & then
took her. He rode with us in the
carriage - fear a little letter crept into
my heart today - Why! I must try to watch
as well as pray -

(Feb. 10. 1841) Saw the President today with
Mr Blaine - Mr Webb & Mrs Barber - I stopped
as the others left - He concluded that I had better
remain here for the present. Saw the Sec. of
War - He rather preferred to have me remain at
W - His judgment coincided with mine - Gen.
Angeles will probably go to Texas.

I love some pains to head off. The machinations
of Major T. Dickson of Memphis

(Feb. 11th 1841) Rev. E. B. Webb of Boston
dropped into the office this morning. School not
in session looked at the building, papers &c.
we lunched with Gen. Whittier - called upon Mrs H.
We rode to town together - I visited Mr Morris

Editor of the Chronicle - told him of the designs
of the Times. Time that is going on so
much trouble & endangering our affairs.
Mr Morris is a pleasant young ^{little} man - &
Mr Daniels, classmate of Langston was
with him - says he had his address to his
wife, complimented it in the highest terms
especially delivery - Now this is flattering
perhaps I will make a speaker yet! Spent
a pleasant evening with my wife at Mr
Geo. Bailey's - Mrs B's birth day a surprise
party - Mrs Dr Chickering wife of the Genl
Chickering of Dr Byron Sunderland comes in
of the evening - Had tea & later had
refreshments - We had nearly forgotten the
invitation, so that we had tea before we
left home - Much said on the subject
of Human Suffrage - I expressed the opinion
that it would come some day - My friends
chide me for not opposing it - Had quite
a little talk about after we got
home -

Sunday Feb. 12th 1891 / Mr Webb preached for
Mr Rankin - on "The call of God" Who calls - from
what & to what! "This evening was the sequel
"I will arise & go to my father" - the hunger of
the body, the hunger of the soul - the poor
prodigal his physical sinfulness & his spiritual -
views he catches of his father's goodness & of his
home - his resolution - his going. - It was
a strong sermon this evening & I hope
that several will be induced to start:
Especially R. Y. & D. At 3 1/2 P.M.

I opened the service at our W.M.C.S. hall
by reading the 3^d of Luke (a part of it) speaking a
few minutes on beginning the Christian life -
Mr. Countess of Illium followed with his
interesting personal experience - he was degraded
- sin, fear & doubt, just about to quit up
& take his own life when the words sung by a
child: "Do not be discouraged,

your Jesus is your friend!" - stopped him
He went to God & found mercy. His W.E. song
next given in an interesting exhortation - using
the figure of the bitter Israelites & the
brazen serpent - A few asked for prayers &

deep interest was manifested. Mr Webb
dined & rested with us till evening semi-
mother & Jiggie both went this
evening - Bruce keeping the house - flock.
(13. Dec. 1841) - Opened the sessions at the
University - no stranger present - some went to
the Hospital - Mr Townsend is preparing
for tomorrow - My report & resolution is
set for tomorrow - I hope it will all go
off well - It is said two hours will be
spent on the case - It is a curious kind
of trial - May the Lord help me to do my whole
duty - I earnestly desire to do what I ought & trust the
blessing in my labor - Dined with my wife at Mr
Blain's - Mr Lodge & Mrs Lodge - Gen. Whitting
Mr. Bennett - Mr. Keble, he & Miss Lodge (Cecil Hamilton)
Mr. Rife - Mr. Moor Mr. Mr & Miss Stewart of
New York - and one lady I did not know constituted
the party - We had a pleasant dinner - all enjoyed the
occasion & we are much indebted to Mr &
Mrs Blain - May God bless them &
make this life very pleasant to them
& the next more so - Mr Webb came
home with us - Tomorrow & a -

(Tuesday Feb. 14, 1891)

The Anniversary of our wedding! Many snow out of doors - Mrs. Miller has been with me all day - Mother & Lizzie went to the Capital to hear what shall be the final disposition of the two cases - the West Point & mine - the former is taken up & mine still postponed. It matters little - mine's judgment is not the final in any case - so few applications for office & so few poor people have applied to me today that it has seemed like a rest-day - owing to the big snow storm.

I visited Gen. Whittier this evening for a half hour - it is pleasant to look in upon so happy a little family - Gamie, little as he is, seems made up like his father.

(Wednesday Feb. 15, 1891) I received a touching letter from Mr. John Tappan (in his 90th year) enclosing an order for \$500 to be used as I think best - as I solicited it for the church - it shall so go - but as the church owes interest to the University, I will have it go to meet this debt, to help to the object. I am mending the life of Warren as I get moments of leisure.

(Thursday Feb. 16 1891) I visited Mr. R. Shepherd today, to talk about Y.M.C.A. matter, found him & F. A. Smith together - resolved to give up having a large loan & just clear our indebtedness - went to Mr. Carter, not at his office - probably at the removal of his little child - I had several invitations to attend the women's meeting at Lincoln Hall but was engaged to the prayer meeting & teachers class.

Prayer meeting seemed to me not sufficiently animated - but the teachers meeting was quite life-like - We discussed the subject of guilt in anger - and of using profane words.

Today, by the aid of Mr. Kennedy, I have drawn up a form of bond on one page & receipt on the other of a black book - Blanchard & Moore are to print & prepare the book - I hope to get a sufficient subscription to cover the Y.M.C.A. indebtedness.

I also visited Mr. Smith, I believe it is, the apt. manure U.S. about the loan

(Sunday 19th Feb.) Morning action - children
nearly as proper all the S.S. session well -
quite busy school session - Mr Bastin
our guest orator, addressed the children
at the close. Brother Pennington gave us an
excellent sequel to Mr Webb's "Call of God".
is the "Speak Lord" of Geneva at 10 p.m.
This evening Mr. King lectured on Ireland at
our church. I spoke at the Calvary Baptist
Church. or a S.S. concert - a very interesting
occasion - Mrs W. sticking in the Superintendent
and has thoroughly trained his school in
Bible history. Cars too crowded so that
most to ^{the} walk home - Mr K. & Mrs H.
get a short ride - the second car

(Monday 20th Feb.) First day of the "Carnival" -
is for horse-driving - curious processions
fire-works &c. I start at my office early day

& tried to prepare to write a lecture on
National Education - had many visitors - Mr
Rankin in the afternoon he staid to tea -

(Tuesday the 21st, Feb.) 2nd day of the
Carnival. I have again tried to prepare &
commence a lecture on National -

Education - much interrupted by yesterday -
Ray & I hope leave this morning & have quite
a horse feed - Mr K. still remains - Grace
was not well in what he told me Monday
& this morning I whipped her severely.
I hardly know what I ought to do with
him - Today he rode Grace's pony - and
without permission rode to the Avenue
& got stuck off, but was not hurt.
I have talked to him faithfully this
evening. Tonight I have staid at home
away from the office & accompanied
myself, Perry & the boys to see the
fire-works - We saw them from the
street, and were a little late at
the place of rendezvous - We rode from
the train to 4th St. The street is
kindly illuminated by Chinese lanterns besides
the usual gas-lights - occasionally there
is a brilliant light like ^{the} Calcium light.

(Wednesday 22nd Feb.) Washington 1892th
birth day (1841 - 1832 = 149) -- I have
worked all day on an address on
Education -- made some little progress -- hope
it will be feasible -- My speeches have
nothing brilliant nor genius -- I am partly well
satisfied with such presentation of truth as
to make a lodgment -- Dined with Senator
Buckingham -- Mr. Brown of the Goddards
& his daughter, his nephew Ripley -- Mr. Baxter of
Brooklyn & two daughters & the King -- with
Miss Lodge (Aunt Hamilton) -- I have been
before Congress today for our banking by the
Terranso Wood & defended by Mr Townsend --
do not quite know the result. He attacks
as I anticipated on the Appropriation Bill.
Miss Lodge told me short pointed story that
I told her I should write down -- She says
two men were riding together in a chair of one
of them -- I say to B the owner of the chair
& can hardly credit what you are telling me --
What can you not believe me? Why yes
as we are in your chair:

Reached St. Andrew's Church, a little after

of this evening & made some remarks, after
Mr. Plunkley closed - Audience thin - rather
a dry meeting! It ought to be doubtless
as a temporary meeting - but
there was no objection to a little more
speech - My good wife was there to meet
us - passed rather late making days as
she unlocked the door to let us in.

(Thursday ~~the 3rd~~ ^{the 3rd} 1870) Dined at Senator
Pomeroy's with pretty much the same
party as last night - Gen. Wilson was
present - he remarked that we had in
many places too much education - we
needed more moral development - he
leaved much outside of books & out side
of colleges. Attended the program meeting
- heard for one hour - subject being
colleges & schools - Dr. Rankin was not
present - has just lost his father-in-law
Mr. Berger. Did nothing on my
lecture today.

(Friday ~~the 4th~~ ^{the 4th}) Note the hour of
midnight on my lecture - on National Education

(Saturday ^{February} ~~Feb.~~ 25th 1871) - Had many visitors
at the University - a meeting of the Board of
Trustees - this afternoon ^{on} graduating the Medical
Class. Five members - Commencement at
1st Cong. Church next Wednesday evening.
Called on Rev. Mr. Coan with Jippie Mother
- the evening at the Alvars - He is a
large, healthy, happy - loving man - His
wife & daughter are with him.

^{February}
(Sunday ~~Feb.~~ 26th) Mr. Coan preached gave
us an account of the mission work in the
Sandwich Islands in a simple disengenuous style -
1705 members were baptized in one day after
& as the result of two or three years labor.
I noted this afternoon at home - had a good psycho-
meeting at the University. Col. Lee (S.P.) was with
me, also Gannin - had a full & interesting
gathering - I think I was helped out of a little
cast-iron feeling of last night & this morning.
A young man gave an account of how
he got along when he was reduced to 16 cts.
in his pocket & when his first effort took him
out 3 cts. We had from Bro. Boutin a noble sermon

on the boundary of his - & the release of truth.
of the truth makes us free we are
free indeed. Grace went down with me
to church - rains had on our way back. Rev.
Bullard brings her & Miss Coan - Mr. Deal &
come by the car - He chess me by speaking
of his willingness to work & sacrifice for
the university

(February 27, 1891)

We had an interesting exercise at prayer
Mr. Mr Coan spoke to our students lovingly -
& told the young men that I thought it
worse than murder to see that a young man
with purpose of mind to keep him from ~~keeping~~
coming to Christ - for murder killed the
body which the thief if successful destroyed
the soul. I have written several senators
today hoping to get my appropriation
outward. Tonight we had a large attendance
at Lincoln hall at Women's meeting (Women's Lib.
Assn.) Mr. Henry Wilson presided till he left for Senate,
when Mayor Ewing followed. I gave a short appeal -
Mr. Wilson of Baltimore followed, then Mr. Coan &
then Reuben. Between 8 and 11 o'clock.

Sunday 28 Feb. - Near all relying on
the nomination + confirmation of Henry Brooks
as our Governor under the new bill.

To night I prepared my remarks for the New
Commencement. Reflections came this
morning + I have been with the case
day - visited Mr May, Mr Cook + Compt. -
This evening it was nearly ten before I could
begin to write.

(Monday Mar 1. 1890) Our Commencement was
quite a success - Mr Strong attended and
expectation in volume of voice + Bowen did
himself much credit - Mr W. Kelley of Mil^a Me
made an excellent + spirited speech, contrasting
the present with 10 years ago. Our Mid - supper
by Faculty to trustees, graduates, teachers &c -
was fine + kept us to 1 am. Many fine
speeches - I appealed for help.

(Monday Mar. 2. 1890)

This has been a day of news - 1st bad news - banking
disgrace crop out - the state a court + has been
sentenced to 4 mos. in jail - next a fine without
name but \$10 for charity - next Boston Pratt
was a mixture of bad + good - first the floating debt

#40000 & reports. ^{of} the remaining share is ^{held}.
next. The Congressional resolution of thanks &
commendation recommended by the Committee
on Education & Labor passed by quite a large
vote. I was sustained by ~~about~~ upwards of $\frac{2}{3}$ the
vote of the house.

We had at the church a preparatory
lecture from Mr. Rankin asking for more
care & constancy in private reading of the Word &
meditation & prayer.

I called on Representative Foy - found him
absent from the Senate house - probably at
the Republican Bureau. Got then the title on
him - Mr. Foy left yesterday -

(Friday March 3, 1871) Worked late at home on
my lecture on National Education - nearly
completing it

Sat. March 4th Worked hard all day at
the office, clearing up ~~business~~ preparatory to
leaving home - put in a revision of my
estimate - In the evening visited Y. M. C. & ^{proceeding} meeting
went there to meeting of our Bowdoin graduates
& subscribed 50 dollars more making with what I
have paid a 250 dollars. I returned about 10

the office & spent her leisure in visiting my
lectures. The new Congress opens in today -
(Monday March 25 1841)
Blaine is selected speaker -

Two great persons - the morning touching us
by its reference to Mrs. Bangs, ^{Mr. Hankins' father-in-}
law - who has just died & also a lady Mrs
Purkhusst was deceased since our last
meeting.

This morning - he gave a graphic description
of the dealings of God with the early church - in
answer to prayer - and showed us plainly our
duty to do our part & the Spirit can
have that God will do His.

Monday March 25th 1841 - This morning I had to be up
before breakfast - getting to all and then James & Cleary
took me to the depot - ^{the point} the place of our church & of
on the settlement near P.P. Bourne. When I returned
with all but his inside the table was over a number
of my Bible class - the men were in the depot to send
on on home to the funeral of their dear father -
suddenly taken away by paralytic stroke telegraph -
The poor family here is to be lamented - I
take care of the young lady as far as possible - she
is a beautiful woman - beautiful in character - you



to New York & New Haven. I arrived at New Haven
about 3 P.M. In Phil^a I came straight from the
newsstand down Market Street to the Ferry had a
bath & in 15 minutes or so open we drove up street
got my hair & whiskers cut & put in order. Lunch
& study at the house after the train starts & my paper
was read. I dropped asleep & wanted to meet a friend
who came on the train. At the depot, Mrs. Brown
who had been in Washington, met me & introduced
Professor M. Wilson, who is now at work upon
some mathematical work on Respiration. Deciding
I should judge by the really perfect state of his
work later when I am writing. This Thailand!
It is too early in the season to judge of it, but it is
a curious place. Straight east from the City runs a broad
Avenue and side walks full of shade trees. Some going
of course for the pleasure or to get from the road. I house
back a hundred feet from the street. There are roads
running to front doors: trees, ever green hedges, or. Usually
the front veranda & front porch covering the open fields to
the rear. At Market one wants to come again. Mrs. Wilson
has a charming place, a large really permanent house.
The evening is spent at the meeting of the
"Finnish Club" before we go to my business. The

peach tree is diseased in a practical way for
a half hour - then a hall crowd tell it our glass
with the fine minded people listening to my next
lecture for our hour - the people are fastidious but
I did not feel that the lecture was either interesting
that I would or was delighted with anything I have
been - now, we is now with a new lecture much
satisfied with the notes.

Thursday March 7th I spent a pleasant
half day at Professor Willcox's - the Dr. Allen
later the clergy friends came along to St. Stephen
they with the Haller toward whom this little
family up the hills lecture on National Union
- in evening the audience fully good - favorable
I must say visit the school the glass falling the
rail family the work falling & take via by
the female seminary (this toward) - lecture
at the Baptist church on "early life" full
power & much interest - am looking to
conclude by Spe. Train after the lecture
& stay at the Elmwood house -

(Monday March 9th 1871) saw up by six
go to Kensington depot & dinner an excellent
breakfast - Mrs. Woodcock the President

Spoke W. G. A. at Scranton or Washington
Church - breakfast at Delaware at 12. Hrs.
am pleasantly entertained, my lecture rather
a failure - a good dinner, but failed
to inspire much interest -

(Friday March 10, 1877) En route to
Chicago via Harrisburg - full com-
~~mission~~ criticism in the morning
paper of Scranton. Arrived at Harrisburg at
1 P.M. & staid till 4 P.M. checking my papers
at the W. Hotel. I prepared papers, envelopes
and spent the most of the time in writing
letters - One to my dear wife - I feel quite
anxious about her as she is not strong in
health - May will be at home this week
and I hope she will see a help to relieve
her from some anxiety & labor. At the
appointed time I went aboard the "East
Express" for Chicago. I met the Hon. Mr.
Astell of California - had a pleasant con-
versation with him. He is a democrat for
- advocate of his party. Also I met the
honorable face of Mr. W. B. Child, of Chicago

all of late - we have now moved to Phil^a - I had been
quite soured & depressed, unusually so, while
at Kussburg, owing perhaps to adverse criticism
in the Republican paper from Secaton and I longed
for a Christian friend to converse with. In the
spirit my own kind & independent ^{preacher} father provided
me with an answer to the wish of my heart =
Noy, after long, poor soul life depicted to me
just what I needed - & heard the lesson of
waiting patiently & cheerfully on God to
fulfill his promises.

Saturday Nov. 11 1841

I spent the day on the train, and like
got pretty well acquainted with the passengers
Mr Hill & I conversed a long time with
a Universalist & Methodist young man
by the name of Barnard Goldsmith, of
Milwaukee, Wisconsin. & finally left
my card with him referring him to
John 18 - 19 - Acts 4 - 12 - & Ephesians 6
- 11 - "Our King thou hast" - then a new
other name" & "put on the whole armor
of God": He promised to look up the
passages ^{concerning} ~~to~~ say the Spirit of God helps him

I made the acquaintance of Major Ford this
week - He is a Christian - He said he
was a wild man till he married her & spoke
to me tenderly: He seemed happy that I urged
him to a complete surrender & consecration.
Sunday Mar. 10th - 1871. Arrived here at
my father Charles' house about 9 P.M. A
pleasant welcome - a pleasant dinner - seemed
me again - Kitty is telling of her catwalk & click
the only one in baby's happy - breakfast about 11
morning prayers respecting, and services at
Mother's Belcher's Church nearby, quite
interesting - This afternoon I have engaged
to address two Sunday Schools, one at
Mother's Belcher's Church & the other at Mrs
D.L. Woods's Mission (every body always
calls her brother Woods) It is a good thing to
be able to make us every body's brother - Our
Sermon was this morning on, Hospitality.
Wishing more of the spirit of hospitality in our
houses & in our churches.
Charles seems quite well & happy - a
little unsettled on account of some cor-
respondence from New York "

Monday March 16th (1911)

At the business M. I spoke upon a part of the Sunday lesson "Log out up for your names, treasures upon earth &c." - trying to produce thoughts, deeds & words and illustrating by anecdotes.

At Brother Mearns' I told the story of the New Year & then asked some questions about it having the words well remembered "thou shalt see me". In the evening I told the people at the home building about the year with the gospel that came at the Sandwich Islands & the work it did accomplish in individual hearts. & that it was required to be borne again. That the study of his was hard & that the service of God was much easier.

But in just in time to hear Rev. J. J. Clark of a lecture on Daniel at 7 o'clock - then went to his closing prayer - meeting below stairs. Mostly heard especially the uncompromising character of Daniel "do right even if it leads you into the fiery furnace or the lions den." Then had wanted up - to lead a little part eleven - you

Snow has fallen during the night. It was
planned yesterday morning & it is very planned
this morning. Storms come suddenly.
I go today to Princeton, Ill.

I leave Chicago about 10-45 a.m.
and arrive at Peoria about 12:30. We are at
the depot. Oh, the winter work of this
year like our old spring barnyard.
Before the work of emptying the
puffins of the depot. R. looks large
& well. His lawn is still sandy
with all the grass - dead & brown.

Came from self to cheer it - was
little better than our new flesh on
stone. He is intelligent & happy. Had
a good evening at R's. The
party full - all seemed deeply interested
to stand with ^{you} the night.

Five a day, that is 184. Relation
to Chicago & speak in the building
at St. Paul's church. Saw not good
mercenary satisfaction, though I held the
audience for an hour & a half. With
I could speak better with notes and I

Carroll. Wednesday 16th Mar. 1891 =
Lebanon. Mr. Rupp (young theologist student
born & bred among the Quakers) & I go to
Rockford. The Rev. Mr. Moore meets us at
the depot. Takes us to his warm & comfortable
hospitality. Being quite unwell, I have
to lay up. Take an injection of laudanum
& then go to sleep. But well in the
morning. We have a fine meeting -
at Mr. Goodwin's church. Chas. Vander
I have before did so well. Mr. Hanson
says I am improving - this is
satisfactory and I am -- Chas. for the
I think at 11 AM 1891 / Chas. does well?
Back to Lebanon at night train, break
fast at Charles, by getting off train at
Union Park - start for Galesburg - the
same party -- Robert joins us at
our arrival in Lebanon 6 P.M.
detained - R. to Mr. Myers - Chas. to Mr
Pratt & myself to Mr. Lecher - Mr.
is great friend of Schuyler Colfax - Has
most pleasant

Friday Mar. 18. 1871 - At the last sentence
on last page - the car made a jump & spilled
my ink - just when my hand of the pen
just accident - just about that took his or y
then an dinner - just coming out of the
ground, new road not yet firm - Belle
Wells on at Cedar Rapids as arrival of
the train that met us at the break near
Solon station. Rose - breakfast & happy -
Ralph a fine front-browed beautiful little
boy, Eliza asking for more sympathy - baby
William happy & slow or crawling, elbow-
ing & pulling on his dress, Belle says to
be disappointed like a family man, as he
is - section not well attended - as "among
life. Father & I - saw the great R.R.
man in present - see him & his first
Mr Walker, then (Sat. Mar. 19 1871)
I saw Belle's old school house in
the afternoon (at 4 P.M.) for Burlington
some beautiful road, on freight train How
young. Read, think, & chat with strangers
at about 10/12. Got Mr. Salter with child
trunk, one walk at, up, up, to see

personage, on the top top of one
of the Burlington Heights. Wife
& perhaps her sisters, Miss Bessie &
Miss Jones, gave me & gave me
a supper - the cold wind whistled all
night, March 19th, it is pleasant
at present of Monday Mar 19. 1891
Mr. Satter preached his 10th Anniversary
(since coming) sermon - reviewed the past
& gave history quite interesting of the savor
of life unto life of the gospel, ^{preaching} the
savor of death unto death of the gospel
repeated. Monday - in the P.M. with
the string of Monday & Tuesday - "Stated up
for Jesus!" In the evening his usual
through is filled - choir & seats crowded
in, stated the triangular subject of
(Asia Africa & Ab. America) - "Keep
his people awake for our own times."
Mr. Satter said "God helped you," for he
did, my effort would be fruit if ~~the~~
did not help! but doubt it needs with Georgia
^{work} - the old day the evening Mar. 20 1891 -
Gives a letter from Charles H. at the

Officer - intends for Sunday - I visit
Ced. Akronubin, a blind officer, with
Mr. Satter - try to point him to Christ. He
is cheerful & talkative. Sober I part from
Mr. Satter at the depot. In route for - meet
on the train (Monday) - work - I get dispatch
from Rowland - stop at Pine Hill - (here I stop
Lans & Mr. Riggs visit me while I am speaking
in Rowland's church - & the missionary meeting
a completed "the other side up" from the usual
preservative - people seem glad, poor ones! Was
long day must come west in East!

Monday is followed by

(Tuesday Mar. 21 1871) Visit the High
Schools on basis in the mood of Red
green grass, nice walk, evergreen trees &
a high rightly building - some two hundred
pupils of both sexes - try to speak up
the Trinity of soul, mind & body - for a
few minutes but prayed. We now go
towards the country the Riggs & I visit
Mrs. Sawyer & have a pleasant call - the
woman, tall, stately, get full of past sorrow
& history. inquires much about the Rev.

ours in ~~whom~~ her husband is
much interested - four daughters -
one married - one married, no son at
home. A very refined, independent family
with strong character. The youngest
served anywhere from 17 to 23
We visit Mr. Bolton - R's good friend
friend - wife ~~two~~ grown daughter &
a little son - wife's father & mother
very ⁸³ friendly - one of the church that organizes
at Northampton, an interesting woman -
her wife ~~is~~ ~~quite~~ more people. We visit
the elegant parlor of Mr. Bolton's brother.
Pleasant family - ~~is~~ ~~return~~ & have
prayer with the old people, Mr. & Mrs. Phelps -
Praying for the 14 of John & try to be square,
and that I shall not meet them again, but
beyond the river. Afternoon dine with
Mr. & Mrs. ~~Courser~~, one daughter, &
the choir lady Mrs. Newell - pleasant
evening indeed. Then off for the
even as usual. At Amherst, Gen. Arman
Biggs (W. St. Wabank) meets us & introduces
me to Rev. J. N. Haskell - meeting

at the Hall - quite a large & attentive
audience. Sent them for Chas. & Mr
Riggs.

(Wednesday Mar 22nd 1891) | Rowland Johnson
take 5 am. train for Chicago to meet Ric
family for the East. Mr Riggs & I attended by
Mr. Riggs got on in the 8 am train -
Rowland Johnson, Chubb, Mr. Patten have
left for the car on the arrival at Chas'
house. We passed in a buggy & have
just time to say "how do you do" &
quit by when the State train moves off -
Went for letters, papers, correspondence
& then a long afternoon sleep at Park Av.
31 - We go to a good prayer meeting
for Riggs & I given his room when we
had looked at charts & inspected Indian
& Chinese relics that he is storing up -
I am invited to speak a little - subject
seems to be prayer - "God must be a
prayer hearing & a prayer answering God."
Lesson. Professor Hyde & wife visit me after
prayer meeting at Chas' house -

Monday Mar 2 - 1841 - I soon am
writing letters, making up letters re - Ches -
cross home, hurried in to dinner - get a
little late - think our wife will not hurry - run
over 2 miles, lose breath - heart, heat
re - lose train by four minutes as we
deserve - Providential - visit the school
of the Chicago Tribune with Ches. re - talk
Mr. W. & convince him by letters -
start for Crystal Lake at 5 miles I
as intended reach Min. where to chase
two fine horses for a mile & a half
to the town. Mr. H. & Mrs. W. receive with
the good wife & friends & hospitably -
good tea & wash - church done by fair
and dinner for our fine night, ~~at~~ out.
Dress himself, gets quiet in earnest -
stands on the floor with people, source
of confidence - See how like I think
the pulpit & deliver very fine -

Tuesday - Mar 24 - ~~at~~ & I parted
to go to the water place - we go to
Chicago & I go home with a Christian
straggler, see white. Mrs White is

dearest sister to one of my app. in Fla. Mr. Buckley
he is now M.C. I go to bed & sleep a good hours
have a nice lunch prepared, Minister congre.
arrives & we have pleasant chat & several
is going on, we is delighted that it is without any
noise! again on the train for Belvidere
, little girl says: Bellevue dear! her voice rings
over the cars. Mr. Fuller of Y.N.C.F. meets
me & takes me to the County, Mrs. Curtis, a
lady with grace of family entertains me.
Her husband was a girl or school at
Lake Forest, son home on visit, I had
a large audience, belated on "Army Life"
at request - fear him was dist. & not
from that manner of the people, but hope that
the lecture did good - many soldiers seemed
gentled & affected. (Sat. Mar. 25 1871)

Saturday evening we back to Chicago - not
head & feet. - Mr. Buckley & wife come while
sister K & I am out shopping. He has ever
been my good friend - got an excellent wife
of character. Fine evening in all respects,
get a shiny & wife, the daughter & wife
over

Sunday morning the 14th - Mr. Packard presents
Mr. New. Mr. Nelson for Chas. Church.
Union Park & Ber. Page comes for me
as by appointment. Takes me to Rev. Dr.
Swain's Presbyterian - Have a good
dinner on "the church" how ^{the} church
land it & principles it is. Chas. Mrs
Mullins & Mary now grown up, my
old friends as they we walk home together
- dinner at Ber. Page's elegant home -
His wife is called Belle - has three
little girls who help: go with her to
afternoon session - have class of girls,
try to lead them to understand life in the
Lesson - speak to this large school, get
complete attention - Tell him a sad story
story & about his fear tree - Mrs. ~~and~~
Chas. the later ~~the~~ the at her pages with
me - have strong services in evening - preachers
men all go to the Presbyterian church
together - Rev. Baker is already on hand -
Mr. Richard soon comes - house not built
pretty ^{part} but attendance - Interest quite
well sustained. My Taylor & Mrs

Barrett, the pastor helped us by a cordial
close.

(Monday March 29 (1871)) Had an early breakfast
with Kitty (she just begins to show signs of coming into
the world - (two years large head - healthy, fleshy, happy, bright
little boy) Mrs. Mrs. Ed. & Patrick (preaching at
Evansville Ill. - where the Methodist college or
seminary is, ten miles from the city of Chicago -
this time Alex. & I took for a while train in Passaic.
While waiting I had time to let a cold, red-faced
rugged little boy black my boots - another hands near
one who can never have been washed, oh such
scabs & such sores - this is more dirt than can
stay! Such boys without hair, without ears,
without feeding upon a vestige of food, why
should not they be exterminated with abundance!

On the way for Kalamaago - din at Kiles -
a lady with enthusiasm says in your ear about keep, least
part & than I - seen a gentleman follows with the
same list rapidly uttered - dinner over - we go on -
I spent the morning in trying to write - after dinner I
tried to sleep & am startled by Charles' cry, "come!
Kalamaago!" they say it means "Boiling Pool" -
We boiled over - not really till evening - Mr. Isaac, the

Wing. Merritt, in whose house I am & in whose
study I am writing meets us - Ours & the Riggs go
to the hotel - I see her - her son, wife,
nephew, cloudy hair, bright decided little wife - three
children - must have been a widow - two little
sons, George, 10 yrs + $\frac{1}{2}$ - Thomas 3 yrs. & Miss Marie
a young lady - Our meeting fairly attended -
similar to the other - Hope we left a good
impression - Oh the kind hospitality, looks of
rich & poor - These little women; they do indeed
make life happy, tea - a nice perfume bottle & the
Riggs present, speaks about sent before meeting -
no disappointment but more - see again when meeting
is over.

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Washington Jan 7th 1892

Went to Pontiac - Buffalo. Erie
Ohio (Council) and to ^{Youngville Ky} ~~Massachusetts~~
from the 13th Nov. to Dec. 23rd. Made
home Saturday before Christmas - getting
to the depot at 5 minutes before midnight -
Luz was home already & spent the holidays
has now got back to feel when he
entire as a freshman in the fall.

Today our hearts have been gladdened
by Grace standing up with several of
her young friends and entering into
Sabbath dinner with God & his people.
I wish to say with a Minnesota father of
his children? "Whither thou deniest
me deny me not the salvation of my
children." Grace is the first to come.
Brother Rankin preached the decision of
death. My wife Annie Cheney & I were
present at church. Grace's first communion
followed.

Prof. Cordova preached at 3.30 P.M. at
the University on the temptations: after it,
we organized a "University Church", 40 members,

