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21st 7th day Cloudy & Cold, 8° above
in the evening.

Worked to day on the Key to
my Outline Maps which I got
completed. Today Lone
Wolf brought in & turned over
& government mules, & Black
Beard promised to bring in a
Mexican boy whom his tribe the
Quakadas hold in captivity.

22nd 1st day of the week. Clear & cold
but growing warmer.

Attended Meeting, the Bible
Class & School for the Indian
Children.

23rd 2nd day Cold & Stormy 8° above.

Went to the farm in order
to work upon my tent, got it
cut out, but nothing more done
to it.

24th 3rd day Cold, Cloudy, this morning

mercury at 0. Again went
to the farm in order to work
upon my tent, but they being
engaged in butchering, could
not work at it.

25th 4th day Buggy & Cold. Went to
the School & witnessed the distri-

bution of presents to the children
& a hundred dollars having been
raised & expended for their
benefit, causing a beam of
happiness to irradiate with
smiles many a swarthy face
& many a dark eye to sparkle
with delight. Received a letter

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from home, also one from Charles
& Ruth.

26th 5th day Clear but cold & windy
so much so that the Agent gave
out starting out to visit the Indian
camps. P.M. Poor Buffalo,
a Kiowa chief brought in ~~two~~
a head of mules to deliver up
& informed me that Kicking
Bird had removed his camp
to where he intends spend the
winter, — among the mountains
Mooli No 44 home also wrote
to Othar Foster.

27th 6th day Cloudy & Cold.

Still not getting along with
my tent on account of the cold
weather. Received a visit at the
agency from A. J. Standing & some
others from the Wichita Agency.

28th 7th Fair & Warmer, A. J. S.

& myself took quite a horseback
ride with the Agent & Comanche
firm in order to select a location
for the latter to make a farm
as he has determined to break
off his old way & settle down, he
has been a very bad man, said-
ing, stealing, & murdering, &c.

Being a young man & profess-
ing a determination to forsake
his former course of life, the
Agent feels like encouraging
the change by rendering such
assistance as lays in his power.