

8th Mo 1873

Traveled over some very beautiful country, & some that was very rough & rocky, which can be made of no use except for grazing. Took Dinner at Governor Harris' who has quite a farm & a Peach Orchard P.M. Passed Fishomingo & Robertson's Academy, arriving at Boggy Depot about 2, o'clk A.M. of the 7th the latter part of the journey lay through heavy timber with scattering farms, & is in the country of the Choctaws.

7th 5th day Clear & Pleasant

Slept in the coach from the time we reached Boggy until nearly Sunrise.

After ~~breakfast~~ breakfast, proceeded on ~~the~~ ^{the} journey through some of the best timber I have seen for many years, Arrived at Caddo about noon, found the box of books & made arrangements for their immediate shipment to the Agency,

Took passage on the cars about 1, o'clk & was soon rolling rapidly toward Lawrence. Arrived about 1, o'clk A.M. at Parsons in Kansas having passed ~~some~~ ^{through} some abundance of excellent country abounding in excellent timber & good water both in Ind, Tex, & in Kansas.

8th 6th day Clear & Pleasant

Cars started a few minutes past 7, o'clk A.M. Arrived at Lawrence about 2, o'clk & proceeded at once to the Superintendent's Office, & reported my business, & but feeling very tired & weak made up my mind to lay over until 2nd day before continuing my journey as I would probably have to lay over the day