

11th Mo 1873

for our rations but the ponies having wand-  
ered for some distance it was long before any  
were ready to start, but finally one party  
after another got off here the ponies be-  
longing to Pickney Bird & Humbling Bear  
could be found, finally long after all oth-  
ers were gone our ponies & mules were brought  
in & about 1 o'clock P.M. a daughter of Hum-  
bling Bear & myself started off by our-  
selves, but by very hard riding we came  
up with three women of our camp about  
sundown, & made our camp upon a small  
stream ~~camp~~ about a mile & a half East of Apache  
Johns camp, nearly North of Mount Scott.

20th 5th day Hazy & Cool

Got into the Agency about noon  
where I found 3 letters one (No 7) from  
home one from my Son in law & daught-  
er C. & R. Blendon & one from  
Thomas E. Mott

21st 6th day Clear & Pleasant

Remained at the Agency & wrote  
home No 9.

22nd 7th day Showers with thunder. Worked in  
the Office, The Agent for the Kickapoo's came  
last night to meet them, on their way from  
Mexico his name is Andrew Williams  
The Kickapoo's are encamped at the  
west end of the mountains & hunting  
buffalo, have been there nearly a week

23rd 8th day Cool & Cloudy

Attended meetings & school, the  
Commissioner for removing the Kicka-  
poo's from San Antonio, arrived to-  
day at the agency expecting to meet  
the Indians at this place on the 25th