

5<sup>th</sup> Mo 1874 5<sup>th</sup> Mo 1874

30<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> day Cloudy with some rain, most of the day toward evening a heavy rain with thunder Remained in Camp

31<sup>st</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> day Cloudy Rainy in the morning. Having run short of provisions in camp I went in to the Agency, arriving in time for the afternoon meeting at 4 o'clock. The school is closed & the children

5<sup>th</sup> Mo gone home

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> day Hazy. Went to Maximilian's fields. Ad. Soyett or Milky Way told us that a band of Mexicans had brought twenty six barrels of Whiskey to the Comanche camps & they were having a big spree. I greatly fear that Catanta & Sun Boy, may, as they are such notorious lovers of Whiskey, get into a spree & smoke the war pipe with the Comanches & so involve the Kiowas in the difficulty.

2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> day Clear, Worked in the Office during the forenoon. Afternoon at the doctor's. On week the Comanche chief whom the Agent sent to their camps, when the last horse & mule were stolen came in to day, with a message to the effect that they should keep what stock they had stolen, to make peace with when they come back, they have determined to commit no further depredations about the Agency, as if the soldiers are kept away from them, but they want it distinctly understood & send this as a fair warning that if the soldiers molest them they shall come