

NO news — all quiet — except —
 the Small Pox excitement —
 No Cherokes around at all —
 & I am lonely on that acct. —

I am in need of diversion
 from usual daily time
 here at home — To divert my
 mind from non-activity &
 pondering on my Condition
 My age is sure doing
 me + ~~me~~

Gideon Morgan - # 6761.
 age 51, in Sept-1, 1902 —
 1/16 Cherokee blood.

James S Stapler - # 14580.
 age 46, in 1902 —
 1/16 Cherokee blood.

John B Stapler, # 13846.
 age 42 — in 1902 — Sept.
 1/4 Cherokee blood.

Clem V Rogers # 11384.
 age 63 — in 1902 — Sept.
 1/4 Cherokee blood.

all Cherokes & known well to me
 long long ago — especially
 J S Stapler & C V Rogers —

3⁴⁰ p.m. dull, dull —
 no one astir at all — or
 any one seen — dreary &
 bleak — not one visitor here
 or near far as known —
 Loneliness absorbs all
 time — our nearest neigh-
 bors look on & view us with
 almost scorn —

5³⁰ p.m. Bead, Lulu & Jr
 Came for the eve — returned for
 home later —