

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1872.

Friday August 29th 1879

Feel very bad do indeed I feel that this will be my last record. I have botth forgotten my speech, my spelling and language and reading has this passed away - Farewell dear Maggie I will never be able to write or see you also. Lilly our party was our last - And what can I say to all you dear ones at home only Good bless you all, May + Jessie George ~~John~~ John, dear Annie + Lizzie.

I hope the Boys will be able to keep the entire family together also the old men together God will bless you if you can accomplish this and will prosper you labor and oh take care of your mother our separation will not be very long, I go to join dear Nelly, I wish I were only quickly under the sod - But you have the battle of life still before you fight it as bravely as you can if you stick together you can't be beaten but I hope to have opportunities of speaking to you all before the close farewell all G. W.

Sunday Aug 31st
Had a pleasure to visit Mrs. Burnett and his wife Burnett stand over the day and left on Monday, Lilly stand all the week, and is certainly a handsome, active and agreeable woman Burnett is all appearance has made a wise choice, she is like a child but has heart of mother wit -