

① Independence to Big Blue

May 3

- ✓ Clark, BC 49/6 - Indian Creek - short draws at the start - road heavy & recent rains & much cut up by teams ahead - Indian farm owned by one Rogers - Wakarusa Creek Crossing - 40 wagons under Capt Hedgepath - first attempt to form a Carroll - 3 Indians of Fox tribe - frame overlooks us over overtaken by Capt H's mammoth train - we get ahead - 9 - Leaven Kansas Ferry - detail of 4 hrs (Leavenworth, Douglas Ct, Ia) - several stages, Indian fares - like superintendents upper over - Big Soldier Cr., above upper crossing (4 miles of toprail) - 2 ferry boats at each crossing - 6 mi to Potawatamie mission (Baptist - 1848-1861) (See K Collection XIV, 445, 524, 520) - divers accidents and mud 10 - winter selected captain - Turkey Creek (now Cross Creek), near Rossville - one of hind wheels burst its tire - Directions w/o notice - Vermillion (Red)

- ✓ May 5, 1892 Dragone to Uniontown, a P. village - to gum payment while district cash amounts to P.  
 ✕ The Civilized Pottawatomie - lovely vegetable  
 54: 201 - Father Duane - St Marys  
 220 - several ferry boats at Lawrence - an old man, 70 yrs. m. to a Delaware

- ✓ Bedwell 341/4 + Vermillion - poor 4s village deserted and Pawnees - complaints at slow rate of travel, wanted v. T winter as Black Hills & 5000 mules - Chills overtakes - Pawnee armed w/ spears - Big Vermillion - 2 wagon broken - dying Pawnee - overtakes of Williams, dep. wholly - Providence - Big Blar

- ✓ Williams 41/1 - Shawnee Mission 3 mi from Westport - Dr Greene pre-elder, co. 4 days ahead of me - welcome to Brother Johnson's mission - Cross Can R. - piñon nut decoy - Harvey says Pawnee to slaughter their women & children - review resolution - encourage Pawnee join Company, hospitality of Father De Smet - preach to ignorant & hard-hearted men - wicked people

- ✓ Burnett 42/102 Waukesha R., wagons of sheep back by ropes - at 45 ft crossing meet Father De Smet - war party of 400 - Osega, 90, faces f'd red, Pawnee scalp w/ ears (w/ wampum) - feed them - u. buffaloes bull

- ✓ Shively - / Spanish encampment? leave early to leave the tumbling floods of the Kansas River 40 m to Indep, take the right bank road at cr. of Kansas. if past Indep, ferry - 7 yrs. chance. Could - park some of your wagons - less you have a fury of your own

- ✓ Auguette 47/17 Kz n 102 m Indep - wagon ferried 5-6 each -  
30 wagons, 45 men & Oregon.
- ✓ Woolley 49/3 - first campfire in Little Blue, from Indep -  
Cross - failure as a Coaster - level, untroubled, un-  
wheeled at 400 m. w/o anything of special interest  
except cholera - loss 75 by - FL
- ✓ Thompson 52/3+ detained at Caw R. - not a cabin in  
Kansas, only vast undulating plains
- ✓ Dalton 52/ - Papin's Ferry? - acquire Donkey, G. Berry  
Cross Creek on bridge - Soldier Creek - wheelbarrow -  
wagon drag heavy shower - Lost C. Vermillion C. -  
Big V Step Banks but good gravelly bottom - cross  
Big Blue down low. G. Jan Fossen of Ohio -  
pan granite of St Jo - Indep road, on boundary C. - ?
- ✓ Rochester C 52/ - Fn Ft Lr - join trail at Elm Creek, 7 mi  
G. Vermillion or Stony C. - many Os - as 80. bi shop -  
Boarding house - \$2 box of caps - good water 10 mi f the  
Blue, near jct of Indep & thin road
- ✓ Evans J 52/ - Fn Ft Scott - strike Santa Fe trail C. "the  
prettiest road I ever saw - 10 mi. in stock of horses. strike  
across to gr. Indep & Coley (Ogallala) south - strike Indep Road 3 mi  
n E Union, owned by Shawnees, also Agency AFC - opp of a  
Fn. Vill. 3-4 baker shops & 20 houses, 10 mi f It - Ginn  
named Wilson drowned at pool, after ferry - 2 companions do not even  
look back - Es & Is as numerous as GIs - Kansas Laws  
fantastic, painted - Chig shows certificate XX was slower  
Seminary of the Delaware - horse power saw mills.  
I toll bridges - 16 q. log cabin  
G. Vermillion C - Pawnee C - recruited by Dr Dean  
& Co - G. By Blue, prong of the Platte - another prong  
& the NW wt shall shortly strike
- ✓ Ashley DR 49/ - long wait at Indep - Bull Cr., Wadsworth C -  
Ct at Lower Ferry - Black Prairie Cr. - Vermillion seeps at P. S. &  
Pawnee - G. Black Vermillion, let all up down by a rope -  
folly of railroad - Up western road
- ✓ Horse X/ - wait at Indep: one of bad feature 50 ft -  
trif-fair - jellied - dance hall - gamblers - drinking - gambling  
✓ Ware 49/ 110. mission star W. church, blacksmith (Baptist, 3) -  
Baptist Potowomie 5 mi SW topless - Catholic H. or St. Mary -  
Ct stream in "Clear River River" (Baptist)
- ✓ Hancock 45/ - to BB to c. 4 days up MR of Indep? -  
party of 43 applied to remain here 3 weeks due flood
- ✓ Show 49/ - 40 day & 2 m/s of rice - cholera sprung f the ground.  
Ambulance for - horses become scarce - org. at Kansas City  
foot 102 m. when stolen - In June 10 - 2 more die & trial  
Cholera - he is buried in a grave near Cain
- "General"

LW - August

> Fernes mtn 52 - Shawnee Ct, & N.W. Westport - 2d disagreeable  
of public house - hotel had burned; fort Ch., cotillions by  
mice - merchants train, 6 miles, each w/ rifle (?) -  
look like peddlers - nations relay toward Westport, -  
Xmas of I. dandyson; Cows to visit Shawnee; Pottawatomie  
Wakarusa - Cross Kansas-R via ferry - p. fire -

By V - BB musicians

> Reading 43 - G. Mo R Westport Landing, end of Oregon E.  
Shawnee Mission, Rev Mr. Barry - Elm Grove 20 - Quaker  
M. 42 m west Shawnee - Walka Rocha, Capt John Bent -  
further N.E. Is., at war w/ Pe - cotton boots for Is - Black Soldier C -  
Elect Peter Burnett - squabble about stocks - Camp Delay - Sublette  
~ SW W.D.S - 4 divs - Sandy C, Is hill - children naked - Black V -  
Ooaze & Is. victory over Pe w/ pieces of anatomy - elec fluid -  
withdrawal of applegate - Wm Martin replace Burnett - his brother  
FL 5 wgs - Remains of Pe - Ash & Soul C - Rep. Form of Blue -  
Final Pauncef honorable, do not Oeg L.L.B.

> Snyder 45 - meet Santa Fe C - C. Elm Grove, only tree  
left - Dr. McDougal + Snyder - Cow R. - Cow hills - chirp digits  
K. by lightning - tribute - Capt Finch of FL 5 wgs pure - Lya V,  
East wgs down by nights - wgs of U.S. Dragoons - Pass 3 div Chey Es  
230 Republic Park (Little Blue) - eternal squabbling

> Staples 49 Indep, grown up in 1 with like "Jocohi Gould"  
3 m of landy - Spanish mules - by horses at Liberty, also  
cham & whittle-tree - cholera - mule wild, roads muddy  
5/14 (Boston + Newton gt Stock Am) - draw mule & lots - ocean  
of prara, been scene named of Ge - Indian Cr. Shawnee -  
Wakarusa, nepe - Potawatamus want whiskey - court cross of  
Is R, flat boat of 42 bales, 104 animal, 4 h wgs - disease -  
G. - malarial sick - Cow Chief, head shaved - Soldier C - Cow  
now has cholera, out of his head - Potta tip - boat w/  
young Sunday 6/3 a virgin life - carry it - shower

127 6/8 Gray Whistler die - Sandstone tomb - 30 m west B.B.  
near pine 3 tracks - ke

> Buffum 49 XX w/ Staples - Company, cholera  
town of Kansas deserted - rice plantation - Blue R. Lone old  
I creek, hoof-hind Rodgers - drink Shawnee Bull C.  
Wakarusa - Mission C. Union C. Soldier C -  
G. of m. key + 48 men K. by accident

(4) Indep to BO

Kansas our starting point

Weskan 5L (Lv Baptist Mission 5/3 - - bean, scenery surpassing  
large rolling prairie. Vasture - violet to greenish of richest hue  
Then woodland, oak, Big Vermillion, step. use ropes.. no  
rickets or groves until we came to St Jo road

Littleton 5D 5/11 C. 5 m E - more 5/22 -  
handsome piece of road - Scenery - Bull C .. more timber  
Walhushan, hilltops .. 5/31 left this morning for  
the Santa Fe Road. Bridge one week, done at in one hour.  
if we chance a such - road my open in we shall break  
down all our wag - 5 or 6 days .. rods stumpy w/ bottom where  
we broke 1 wag tong.. some 14 t. cane flys over the road ..  
They are Pottowattamie fighting the paunies - will win (P) ..  
c. in Cow, 3/4 m / in will c. Union village sit on a hill a. Giant  
site of a town, 25-30 houses, stores, bakeries, bars, etc shops.  
6/4 cr. Cow = 2 boats. made a temp. bridge, so I had a bridge  
roked 50 q to wag - bad chick acc to me. Catholic mission a  
delightful pl w/ quite a village of Pe. - 2 bridge \$3 + .25 on  
wag up long down - V & B & V - make rest to cross BG 6/3

Stone 5D - Ind a spile lit little town - rail road did't th  
landing ch in 3 m off. Then a some hamlets less & brooks, all kind  
of stores & in fact all kinds of big - Calips & gree - outfit cheap here  
than in SL. plenty of mules here at reasonable. One boarding  
\$1. per day, grain & bacon & flour \$10 cost very hi .. Glen train  
5 m S of Ind. slow growth of Grass delays train .. SE side of Ind  
on Kaw River. Lv 5/22... XXX at B13 R we stopped 3 Days  
xx fixed up a bs shop & g Th wag & gun caravans & also to m a soft  
& Sunday git

M. in Moore 59 / for SW trip. to Ft Scott & Ft Riley .. cr.  
Kaw R. on a bridge of boats & come up them Ft Riley,  
a m. bean place I never beheld .. up the Republican  
Omaha 49 - short stay across chalain. W. the line 5/5 - c. life  
word & water except what free for about no coffee, no f. timber..  
front prairie run beheld, wish the ct only timber it would be  
the grade of the worst .. c Bull C, man k. w/ many own home  
Canadas, property owned by a Fr living w/ his 14 yrs. Pottowattamie = c. no  
mule tracks, care can mice owned by Pottowattamie. a 1/2 in. the  
Catholic miss w/ 2 m. Bought of Indep. jointly office try to assist  
no. of persons passing the road.. Bull C has a toll bridge ch 2 or 3 m  
on lots of money this yr ... join separate - now on own land  
Vermillion & Co of Barry - "Laurel. James franchise. we in  
news

Wen BB - 13<sup>th</sup> - on eastern bank 2 Grs., Sawd Kegs. of spruceed 00  
5/7 v Job Fuller, 20, accid shot 4/28

XX Shumla 49/ Stomboos, SE T Otoe. - descript - 54  
inhabited to 9 T Westport 10 m west - 0.13 3/4 m. of boundary of  
the U.S. Pop 500 5 stores & Acc 1 church 1 school. 2 smth & some other  
mechanics went to church twice - saw more drinking - church,  
women. Mr. Biggs of Sh. was part of his train of pack mules 180 -  
m. + 60 m. - kept to meet a bear girl bowl & Cal had the  
pleasure of a stroll over the pr. by her had no cuts twice - shamed  
not & fight. Death of Thom Hannah - Santa Fe Road through -  
In May 3 a rain w. torrents. There is a loggy close to camp ch has  
been full all day of emy talk th last spce - ocean storm prairie.  
Lone Elm, Bull Cr., Indi Create. a thous diff voices pour forth their  
joyous warby - Another death, funeral service - Carry sick man  
on a litter, Wakanusa. down prng of Caw, I village lost hominy  
saw 2 pretty Squaws - Soldier Cr. Pot-wet greens - another death,  
lively aspulcher, hymn was sung & prayer by Mr. Wood, some indigoine  
Vermilli auction, seed cloath of m. that died

Graham 53 / 1-6-7 to BB river + 1 - 16 m on M. line betw.  
Owl Pen, c at Lone Elm - 6 to Bull Cr - 20 to Wacantia Cr.,  
some I of Cansas tribe beg money - 18 - 15, c. Shanganunggo Cr.  
7-3 to Cansas R. prng - 7-20, po Catohimini, c. at Little Ke-  
mehim R. - Cr. Vermilli, 8, accid James Lovas woman by sick -  
land up all day on abo aco - 23 - 20 to small river east of BB,  
Cr. Wahne Cr - Cr. BB, 18 m - 13 - 10 - 18 - 20 BB - 10 - 17 -  
14 - 18 - 18 (4 mi f PR, 6 m f fort Kearny)

Young, ap 50 / 51. Otoe to BB Creek, to Lone Elm 3 Walnut Cr.  
of Cr. Walker Ranch cr., cl. Sheep Bluff + saw its river 5 cp 6 p.  
Unknows to river, c. in h. V. - 7 to much alarmed above Is. heard  
their guns + march in battle array - 8 Cr. BV - 9 Cr. Cr. BB - 10 Cr. BB  
p. 1/2 st to road - 11 LB - 17 (?) PR - 18 P FK

Eastern 49/ more found on the Santa Fe Rail. line. or Col.  
Grants 9 m f Otoe. Pinen train passed & repased. Waukalosa  
or Black Cob Cr. Indi Cabins, up & down by steps - at Caw R.  
wait of Pinen to cross over. Here first settlements, huts + cabins;  
prim on west bank. Ps, used to hunt. By - P. w. f \$45. ... prng  
18 wp - twing C, another bank of Ps, musically for - P v often  
that that a ct entirely stripe of its timber (d present) little

that is attractive to the eye of a lover of nature's beauties but I who  
 mistaking it may be owing to the novelty of the thing. But it certainly  
 does appeal that (this) is more enchanting than any scenery of nature  
 I've yet seen. - at LV a party of Po Is came up. It seems the Po  
 v. stolen some 40 of their horses & they v. soon v. a battle - loss -  
 at BK called to build a raft. 5/27 Found the Creek has fallen  
 some 2 feet & the banks 100 steps it is easy to call the raft  
 in the middle of the stream & by laying timber on east end &  
 firmly to the shore, to bridge the stream. This was done. In view of the  
 phenomenal efforts & untiring energy of the key Co. in carrying this bridge  
 across, S Col. Wilson, named the Kimbley Bridge ... Death of Mr. Woodson  
 a sad fact that among all the mts to California & Oregon nothing  
 has ever said above the ridge. Only the crossing of their small  
 streams ... men die & talk of passing ... cross BB. Here we  
 find the G of this ridge as doubtful. Bridges are a Calif ...  
 water touched the big bed. It is one of the most romantic streams  
 I've yet seen. Many fine sprgs in the neighborhood of the ridge.  
 from 1/4 m wide, cedar, oak & some walnut, hickory & some

Goodlyton 47 - Lv 9/1, went ~ miles, wsg w/ 4 y. ox  
 no bridge until Cane or Kansas, obliged to unload & convey across - a  
 canoe of help of the Canadian Fr. & to live there. Capt W. you at LV  
 met Capt Peppin of Ketchum Co., w/ 6 m Fr., waiting of us troops  
 to convey him thru Paunes. Can he come to g w/ us

Tompson 50 / Lv via Ouldp 5/22 - by pack train. (see)  
 I took of Shawnees (~ 36 mi to Wakarusa). Then the Is. - Kansas, 40 m wide,  
 hill more lofty, in rock of ancient sea ... Kansas Is. - Potowatonia.  
 threat of war w/ Paunes - - Ferry - moderate m.

Colo 49 / - Ind. border very undulating, prairie & prairie - no  
 lone tree to be found - Red Dog - Half Day of Potawatonia

Stuart 49 / [See map] - Big Bull - Bone Co  
 Pack train, part of Lt Stansbury's Govt-train

Johnson 49 / Lone 48, 40 - q. Ouldp. - d. of Henry J. Berry  
 of Newark, Ohio, run over by a wagon - 15 to 18 min (letter & wife finely  
 reected) - spent out before us is the Comanche, rolling prairie, full of  
 elevs oppy one after another in the blue & smoky distance like the waves of  
 the ocean, w/ only here & there a narrow strip of timber marshy watercourse  
 its m of wood road but Ouldp & SF, a bed in Black Swamp - place

## 7. Odephorus to BB

- McCoys 49/ - Lone Elm, Contra (undivided), Wakarusa Cr -  
 5/19 5/20 5/21  
 ← 5/22 Shawnee Cr - 5/23 Baptized man of Pottaw, ch from a mortuary  
 funeral scene w/ st fire log hss. C. Kauke 5/24 New Ferry 5/25 LV  
 5/26 Rock Creek 5/27 BV 6/1 BB
- Share 49/ 8 days 100 m., hs or pd... 2 more cholera  
 cases (see)
- Webster 49/ - Is w/ log hss & plow... Edw. Moon, by 71 most out of  
 health, turned back + left co. f Boston. Many a dying back up their  
 teams, of course due to nos. dying daily of cholera & other fatal diseases...  
 2 in one die. (see D+D) - storm blow down tents, dredged
- Waukauke 39/ - Safety Guard to land of Shawnees, Then many  
 life close approx that of whites - ev SF road. - men vs. sb,  
 so industrially traced that a leader at time lost it + simply fed the  
 director - Kansas a kile crossing via Canoe (?) - KA ville, West, near the  
 foot of a tall hs, a Smithy + a Methodist Minn - deceased - Kansas  
 by a cancer, wagon flooded out, etc. Rush R (?) - Cemetery of  
 antelope - Blue R. grass + sky (nothing else), weary prospect.
- X 40 Delaware - Pawnee trail - "summers first"
- J. Wright 32/ - 9 days passing the dreary prairie
- Midway Camp 42/ - Shawnee man - 22 day shot...
- Santa Fe trail - death misdiagnosed died - deceased cause  
 Mrs L's illness, Mr L. tried to take his wife back - a Pawnee too  
 after leaving Blue River
- Pleasant 49/ - new legroom at Lone Elm - a solitary tree  
 50 m f nearest settlent - Pleasant Hill trail - all a  
 with meadows. To cross river procure four saddle horses at 8 Canoe,  
 we / lash them firmly together, then across the whole lay strong  
 poles... fasten w/ B. thongs (Kansas R.)
- X Scarf 49/ - (Pawnee line) - Assembly & more a SF road, one  
 bran elev in undul. pr. on a Blue Prairie - 120, messoes of 6, own  
 cooks - funeral process - system. No. of Doctors - very fair of  
 health, hairy... frontier b. y chol. Lone Elm. wild horses? - pt when  
 x. At ditches of SFrd. Fog later + didn't we get Cow Creek, residence of a Mr.  
 Rogers, a semi-barbarian, sprung... fear of chol left behind w/ others, buried  
 in a G - SF Creek, tree of Wakarusa - fed bran grass of them, oats,  
 buckwheat, buckwheat + buckwheat, Shamus planter - 4-mile Creek - seal bitten  
 by vix net woman, must die chol - pr elevated Conical swell - pr (Bryant)  
 app. to Wakarusa, like sheep, diffis. rain - worst road trip - tongue  
 broken. Human Town, mule buried nearly shipwrecked. 3 hrs had away

(8) Order BB

The pr. Th most sub. prairies occur mostly in subliming Th Th broad  
X spans or us. Major save the pr. of mud as the prairie - has dry flight,  
candy desert in trans. blanting, & I don't do it. The top of a hill shows  
red stone, heilstone size of a man's thumb - dry wet. The prairie  
consists of 2 1/2 acres, 2 boats - Pottas, land = vermilion - 2 1/2 m. S. Soldier  
Creek - Potta org, wire, over of a tree, w/ them at Soldier Cr. workers  
cutting a road down steep bank. I back into - rains boat into  
the org. Black Paint Creek - of Bryant - live farm, large turtle  
balance at Verm., nec. to ford, log his Pottas - dry sand, do  
nothing just to smooth getting to his G - Rock Cr. (after mud & cover).  
S. bound west of V. ford, & Bear claws of prairie - wrap - blankets -  
at BB, Q. of river - of Bryant & - over more chalk.

? 491 Ls 5/3-8; 5/4; 5/5-12 to Blue R., 3 Virginia due of chalk  
5/6-8 muddy & hilly 5/7-18 Bear claws prairie, except of richest green, but  
scarce, a little farther down there 5/8-15 Blue Creek 5/9-15 splendid view  
of ammonia 5/10-18 Mr. Hamlin has delicate trousers 5/11-3 to his R., obliged  
to run all day away to turn to the prairie, Mr. H. buried here 5/12-14 to  
turkey on Big S. Creek, after way his 5/13-15 to which it was Sabbath. Banks  
very steep 5/14-10. up to ear up to stream 5/17-18 hi prairie up  
to deep ravines 5/18 last over today, 9 feet Sabath, down little chores.  
5/21-18 5/24 Has covered 17 mi last 3 days. Has a wheeling

Sidley 49. - We sent a com to N. C., to carry letter & get info  
concerning the route. 5/22 BB nr, cross the St Louis, & c. in Ind., pass  
5 wgs load of Santa Fe - chalk rocks all over 5/23 Land Elm, I find  
deserted and chalk - wgs home and chalk. 5/24 Rushewash Rv - here  
a settlement of the Shoshone tribe 5/25 water up to body of wgs - also a  
mt. of top of ch. ch. seen on y to most barren scenery imaginable 5/26 5/27

News of the battle lost NY Co. & Is. in ch. lith. who victorious 5/28 Cross  
the river - slopes, prairie over & over of the Shoshone, \$1. of wgs & \$1. per  
four miles a. Missouri St. of N. S. Ch. 5/29 See Pottas & Trade - Soldier  
Creek, full of Pottas, & visited Bush & Newton party of mess 5/30 5/31  
Co. of Ill. & Mississippi, bound of Is & chalk - Little V - Big V, over  
wifewalls, deserted and chalk, 6 men had died here, of cholera NC

Palmers 45

Aiken (white) 1842

(See)

Judson 53

Johnston 49

See

X X X

103  
105

Lynn - m n 49

(9) Indep. TBB

- 30 54 Sayre 41 X X X pre Shance made - Cow Chip  
Confidence Republican & Big Blue
- 13-56 Thornton 461 X X + X  
Services 58 Fur Leaf To BB X X
- 1-3 to BB - treated to a heavy hailstone - ghost of a  
villge here, elements & present to call Palmetto City X X
- Bryant 4th X X +  
Hickman 52 . . . we went to go on for "the dome" ~
- 5/6-20 Sweetwaters (?) 5/7-10 to Wacamaria 5/8 a more crooked  
road or marked thin green footstool. rare, with to Boot Tops  
Thru a dirt ridge 5/9 Shungamony Cr. 5/10 a flat, ch had app  
of lg marshy grassy streambeds. SS in Bufford Mtn. 5/11 Cross Cr.  
fall bridge, 5/12 up, Fr. Ic 5/12 going up sitting - rule of 87 mngs in  
Cattaraugus Mtn., C. Ch. Ch. Ch. w/ little upland. 5/13 LV. on Rock Cr  
5/17 BV, ropes 5/18 BB, cross
- 221 Lyon 34 . . . cross by ar arroyo - cross Lautrelle (?) - LV. we  
found that his leg & arm too turned back . . . lost the trail . . .  
main Blue - 12 - to Pawnee trail to the head of the arroyos  
& found that a very very big foot had passed it c. 10 days before
- 4- Halbott 43 . . . 3 in colors R. 5 of Westport - Stewart - 1200  
F's of one & Calif - Westport - Fit. - Fremont 5/20. methodist  
Mason House, lg stately own & est improw. Shs & Pds & fine  
flourishing houses . . . & proud of their renowned ancestry & wif some  
quarre, were apparently over the whole red race 5/21 5/30 to Elm in  
Round Grove (See Burnett) 5/31-27 to Wahkakona, we place  
a sign at the Blue mound 6/1 Cr. Kansas Creek 6/2 dry
- 9 + 120 Round Grove (See Burnett) 5/31-27 to Wahkakona, we place  
a sign at the Blue mound 6/1 Cr. Kansas Creek 6/2 dry
- 10 Is close banks 6/3 N of its river x x x 6/4 Beavers Cr. to Buck Cr.  
6/5 Cut banks 6/6 - Osoyoos <sup>man</sup> famous Homewell - Coal O house,  
to Republic & Smoky river forks
- 5-45 Fried 43 X + X Chouteau's Landing, Wofford  
Elwood F - a Shance Soiree - Joe Day - Camp Willow (2 m SW  
Westport) 5/2 just across territorial line . . . 1/2 m. butchard Mason Land  
& has excellent tannments of brick, 1 floor, octagonal, underly peach trees
- 22? Catt m, 6 m S m. pump, Father De Smet, large log chapel (or over?)
- 26 Oregon-bound having elections in its Crs - Wahkakona or Big Elk -  
fertile Cr Rv, the only pl. this side Willamette - is on flat top crest of  
3 ridges of plateau, prairie & poles. (5/28 Papai (graph & Lain Papai) Ferry  
bank, rev. E near Grand) - prair. timber & grass - Papai war
- Is 36 37 party, rescue of 3 Ps

(10) July 5 BB

Rocky Cr. 000g - 000s w/ slopes of Ps, others - by poles = air.  
Clear N. dredged & 2 hours

I	<u>Gross 49</u>	<u>Ft Lv</u>	Walnut C - Wolf C - Complain about "popcorn" presented by agents (SAC) - 5/23 X X X
42-55			X X X
19	<u>Gore 57</u>	<u>FLV</u>	7/21-21 Grasshopper Cr n Big Walnut, Whiskey route - in Group 7/22-18 ditta 7/23 - 8 to spring, 4½ to Lockwood 7/24-120; am Big Knobshawk or Namahawk ("the old woman") 7/25 p.m. - "that typed, via Ft Lv" - 7/26 Remington R. 7/27 BB
235	X X X		
	<u>Neville 43</u>	West part	nondescript
	<u>Fremont 43</u>	X	X X
	<u>Ware 66</u>		
	<u>Clyde 44</u>	X	X
71-	<u>Porter 49</u>	X	X
	<u>Eels-Walnut 35</u>	West part	+ + X
185-186	<u>Stonington 49</u>	X	X X
	<u>Osney 49</u>	X	X
	<u>Lakehal 50</u>	new outlet - up trail head	
	<u>Lakehal 46</u>		
	<u>Pratt, Jan 49</u>	X X X	
	<u>Moorings, n 50</u>	+ X X	
3	<u>Shapter 50</u>	<u>Ft Lv</u> (civilian)	road part
	B.B. 4 rods wide, 2' deep		
X+	<u>Lake 50</u>	<u>Ft Lv</u> to B.B. - Ferry boat at B.B.	
	<u>Kennebunk 43</u>	West part - company plant, flat lots n-s at B.B., close Cyp trees for 20 days - many boards charred	
	<u>Allen 42</u>	hitch to dogs - carts, lay boards across	
150	wagon boxes - death of child of Mr. Lancaster - truck return		
6-	<u>Clarke BC 49</u>	West part 5/2 to I mean 5/4-15 to Ft Pan of Rogers 5/5 to Waukesha 5/6 pan to Cyp Hedgepath, 1/2 Carroll 5/7 p.g. Capt H., pass, to Cyp 5 m B.C. low water ferry 5/8 to ns ferry (Lemington, NC), or a boat (low water or no boat) 5/9 Big Sodden above upper crossing (4 m ne topsoil). Cyp W. of Potowomoy M 5/10, daily Elec Capt to Co. 5/11 Lv V (turkey, now cross) 5/12 V + B.B.	
	<u>Fancher 49</u>	X	X

(1) Indep.

- ✓ 45 Haven 49 / - Chalco ... last of up - turn +  
alleys ... (then to old F.R.)
- 43-95 Todd 55 B1B (f Flv) Maryville - the pt has  
been occ. for you on top & covered now by a Mr. Marshall
- Cosel 49 / X X
- Jagger 49 / X X X
- Huron 49 / + L
- Zelhart 53 / - Pleasant Gap, Butte Ct. Mo. ... overthrew  
top or cutler. Then to West Pointe - Sugar Creek - Bull  
Cr. 28 m from WP. 102 Creek. I dwlly. - Cow R.. tree  
bridge over a cr., marshy. canthar face br. - Black V - B1B
- Mason 50 / Kansas. Crossed appley. Uninformed.  
A. Cow R. - Cattail mission - Cr. B1B (Indep. Cr.)
- Lore 49 / Big Blue - 16 4/29/16 to an old Elm. the  
tops are all air efflo. 9/30 - 16 to Bull Cr. 5/1 - 21 5/2 - 21  
5/3 - 20 A. Canyon R. Ferryway; over the cattle 5/4 - 4 to a  
dry creek 5/5 - 20 over 2 streams, w/ wren at Dr. 5/6 - 15 to  
V. the base of the paint wall - Paines 5/7 - 20 on Cow R. in  
Wakarukia 5/8 - 16 5/9 - 18, a 2 stream of Blue. to B1B  
5/10 G. B1B, part st gr road
- Cypress 53 / Bull Creek - Red Cow R (Cape Cr?)  
(Big Spring, 12 m west Lawrence) - Chrysanthemum  
(Strong Kings Cr., east city limit by pass) - Ash, rose,  
milkweed of Fort Lawrence, a Balsam (South Ferry?) -  
Goose & Mice Cr (?) - St. Marys Mission - Red Lake (S. Cr. 1)
- 77 Lost Cr - Bull Cr - B1B Crossing
- Parkman 46 / X L
- Ware 49 / →
- Swain 49 / See X
- ✓ 44+ Bud 55 / X X X Dagrunkersha -  
Baptist Mission. Sug Chalco montgomery. by stone bridge  
on the Ks river - well of St. Maria - orchard & some other luxuriant  
scrub & trees. Is; I had a store where we stopped & got our cider -  
St. Marys Cr. - mile 8 by 1 B1B near (G) Mary W. audience
- Gray 49 / X X ↗
- Compton 57 / X X X
- 18-78 Hines 53 / X X T
- Kansas →

12 Delg

← Kelly, Rev. C. 48 / ... reported to Ash Creek,  
the usual relogion of western migrants - - social note  
out, Lone Elm -

3-171 ← Sharp, Cornelia 52 / Jacob Ct, two (pl. of nos.) -  
By Blue - Bull C - Wacawatha - Komo - Cross Cr  
V - BB

7-330 Neomitt 43 / x + - Fitzhugh's house  
Elm Grove ... Rockwood. - Us, flat top of a low hill.  
Sodden Creek, 2 m from lake - dead T -  
Buffalo on Blue M.

8-387 Munyan 39 / - - start of the state, was at 3 hrs to  
Safety Grove - trd to head of Grand River - Wacawatha  
on Gran prairie as I ever saw - my life - Conzawille, clusters  
of small hills, went round, rung up to top log pole / to smoke  
to get out - - ex 3 hrs - obtained 2 hrs & 2 miles of brother

9<sup>th</sup> Johnson who has to care of the Methodist Mission as the place  
10<sup>th</sup> Cross the Conzawille R - Black Vermillion - Mr Richardson, on horse

42-249 Ketcham 53 / Onleap - Mr Gray - - to Westport

x x

25-37 Bonney 53 / x x

12-116 Lee, James 34 / Liberty - - Delg  
x x x

31- Lovigay 42 / Killings of dogs, etc

3-82 Bass 32 / x x w/ Sublette

3-409 Bennett 45 / (letter) x x +  
Capt Gant

45 Winter 49 /