

After the reports of Branches three members were et communicate for adultery, one for drunkenness and for apostasy. Held two good meetings in afternoon and evening.

After meeting I wrote a letter to E. J. Elmwood

Tredegar, Monday, 27 May.

Spent the fore part of the day reading. Wrote a letter to Utah for Bro. Williams in the afternoon. Left for Plymney at six, and called at my Uncle's in Hill St. Uncle John came to meeting with me at Bro. Charles'. I spoke for fifty minutes on the first principles of the Gospel and showed the faults of the community that lived up to the doctrine as taught by

the Latter Day Saints. He seem-  
ed to enjoy the meeting very well.  
I stayed over night at Bro, Charles.

Rhymer, Tuesday 28 May.

Left at nine a.m. for Merthyr,  
calling on some of the Rhymer  
Saints on the way. Called at  
Bro. John Jones Pen-y-darren and  
was pleased to learn that he was  
improving in health.

After arriving in Merthyr I re-  
ceived three letters and three news  
papers; one from Jos. W. Summer-  
trays; one from Bro. and Sister Cha<sup>s</sup>  
and Lennia Rawlingson and the other  
from Louis Howell Queen's Town.

Spent a few hours in Bro,  
Joseph's writing letters to Miss  
Mary Mellen, Sister Roach and

Prest. Joseph H Parry. Went down  
to Bro. Thomas Jones' in even-  
ing to give him some informa-  
tion regarding emigration etc.  
Remained over night at Bro. Ed.  
Edward's Heat Gerrig.

Heat Gerrig, Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>.  
Walked over the mountain to Cum-  
bach and spent the day reading and  
writing. Wrote a letter to Miss  
Agnes Walsh.

Cumbach, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May  
Spent the whole of the day  
in the house. Wrote a 20 page  
letter to my brother Henry and  
spent the remainder of the  
time in reading, until even-  
ing, when I took a walk to

Bro. Thomas Evans' Mill St.

Cwm bach, Friday, 31. May 78.

Left at 12 o'clock for Pontypridd where I had made an appointment to preach.

The day being I walked the whole distance of thirteen miles on foot. Had supper at Bro.

D. R. Gill's after which a good open air meeting was held.

I remained over night in Bro. John Daniels'.

Saturday June 1. Pontypridd

I left in the morning for my journey walking all the way.

Called at Bro. Edward Joseph's and got letters from Pres. J. G. Parry, Rachel A. Folland and Emily

S. Elmwood. Pres. Parry's letter  
announced that he had met Geo.  
A. Emery and that he was to  
labor in this Con. and that he  
would travel with him through  
North Wall. I wrote a letter in  
the evening to my dear Emily.  
Stayed over night at Bro.  
Edwards Healy's.

Heol Gerrig, Methu, 2<sup>nd</sup> June.  
Attended Methu District Council,  
and afternoon and evening meet-  
ings. A good Spirit was en-  
joyed throughout the day.  
Received letters from W. H. Will-  
iams and wrote one to Pres. J.  
Parry.  
Remained over night at  
Bro. Edwards?

Woolgerig, Meath, 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

Spent the whole of the day at Bro. Edward Joseph's where I received letters from Emily S. Ekman and Jos. S. Tingey. I wrote letters to write letters to Pres. Parry Elda. W. N. Williams, Rachel A. Follan and Agnes Kate Walsh.

In the evening together with Bro. Joseph, Clerk of the Con.; made up the Apts. for Wray, and prepared the report for "42". Lodged over night at Woolgerig.

Woolgerig Meath Tue. 4<sup>th</sup> June

Went down town and called at Ed. Joseph's where I received letters from Jos. S. Tingey; Jos. Bull. Jr; Pres. Jos. H. Parry from North Wall where he and Bro. Emery are

traveling and holding open air meetings. They intend remaining there until the 14 inst., when they will be at Liverpool to see the emigrants off.

Wrote a letter to Elder Thos. F. Howells acquainting him that Bro. John G. Jones would meet them at Swansea on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst.

Held an open air meeting in the Pontrebach.

Lodged at Mrs. Lewis, next door to Cross Keys Inn.

Merthyr Tydfil, Wednesday J. 5

Wrote a letter at Bro. Joseph's to Elder Jos. Bull Jr.

Called at the Saints in Dowlais at noon, and at 2-30 took train for Talybont a distance of fourteen

miles. From here I walked to Bro.  
John Jones "Cross Oak," Brecon-  
-shire.

The evening being fine, Bro.  
Jones and I took a walk to a  
neighboring village and notified  
the people that we were go-  
-ing to have an open air mee-  
-ting and in a few minutes we  
had a congregation. I borrowed  
a chair, gave Br. Jones my  
text, and commenced with read-  
-ing the 3<sup>rd</sup> Chap. of Matthew and  
occupied forty minutes speak-  
-ing on the first principles  
of the Gospel etc. after which  
I returned to Bro. Jones' again  
where I stayed over night.



Talybont, Breconshire, 6<sup>th</sup> June.

Took the nine o'clock to Dolau-tau's Top, and from there walked to Merthyr, and received letters at Ed. Joseph's from Presb. Jos. H. Parry and Luke Bezzant. Walked in the afternoon to the Hafod Mr. Pontypriidd, thus making a total of eighteen miles, walked during the day. After half an hour's rest; together with Saints of the branch held a good open air meeting. Felt better speaking, than at any previous outdoor meeting.

Hafod, Mr. Pontypriidd, 7<sup>th</sup> June.

Spent the fore part of the day at Bro. John D. Evans', replying to some letters that

he had received from L- post  
and Logan Cache Co. Utah.

Called at Bro. Galt's and from  
there walked to Hato (Upward),  
and called at old friend Jen-  
slyn Thomas where a few pleas-  
ant hours were spent in so-  
cial chit-chat.

Upward, Rhonda, 8, June  
Passed the day very pleas-  
antly reading and writing.  
Wrote letters to Pres. Parry and  
Luke Bezzant.

Went up to Treorkey in the  
evening, and remained over with  
Bro. David Morgan

Treorkey, Monday, June 9.  
Met in Council with the branch

in the morning. I also attend-  
ed afternoon and evening meetings,  
all of which I addressed.

Visited Bro. Edwin Street who  
is still suffering much from the  
severe accident he received in  
the Colliery over a year and  
a half ago.

Stayed with Bro. Morgan  
again. Lost much sleep du-  
ring the night from severe  
toothache, caused by catching  
cold.

Treorkey, Monday June 10  
Walked down to Upton and wrote  
a letter in Bro. Thomas' to my  
Sister Lerriva.

I left a 3-30 for Pordoglan;  
rode to Newbridge and from there

walked to my destination, a distance of 8 miles. I stayed over night with Bro. Jenkyn's family.

Perrydon, Tuesday June 11.

Received letters this morning from Thos. F. Howells, Mary and Parry and a postal card from Pres. Parry.

After spending a little time with the family and giving them necessary instruction regarding their getting ready to leave Et., I left for Mes-  
-thyr, walking to Pontypridd and waiting from there in.

I called at Bro. Joseph's and found letters from Eli A. Follans and Agnes Kate Walsh. I stayed over night

at Sister Edwards, Hedgerig.

Hedgerig, Wednesday 12 June

Wrote a letter to Bro. Jos. H. Parry and walked down to Merthyr; called at Bro. Joseph's and received a letter from Bro. Joseph H. Parry, in which was enclosed \$5. in gold, which was sent by my Brother Henry as a birth day present through Rev. B. Emery. I also received a Post-Office order from Mother to the amount of £ 2-4-9.

Wrote a letter to Agnes Kate Walsh, enclosing P. O. order for two trunks that she had sent to me for Bro. Thos. Jones.

Hedgerig, Merthyr June 13. 1878.  
Arose at a o'clock, feeling

quite unwell with the tooth-ache, having only rested three hours the whole of the night.

I spent the whole of the day at Bro. Thos. Jones Dyffris, helping the family to pack up goods and match boxes &c.

Received a postal Card in the evening from Bro. Parry, instructing me to remain in the vicinity of Neath to assist the Saints in getting ready for to leave with the June 29 Company. Bro. and Elder Emery would meet them at L-pool, but in the meantime would travel and preach in North Wales.

After the luggage was all packed up, weighed and ready to leave, I left for Abel Gerrig

where I stayed for the night.

Wolverhampton, Merthyr, 14 June.

Met Bro. Jones and family at the Station and left with the 9-10 train for L-pool via Birkenhead.

At Inghams yard we met Ss. Pugh and daughter; at Rhymney Junction met Ss. Parry; at Pontypool Rd. met Bro. Jenkins and family and at Abergavenny met Bro. Bezzant's two little girls. I got off at this station and went to Bro. Bezzant's 11 Tudor St., where I wrote two letters one to Pres. Parry and the other to Elder W. H. Williams. Feeling tired and sleepy and a little unwell I retired to bed a little early.

D. H. Williams