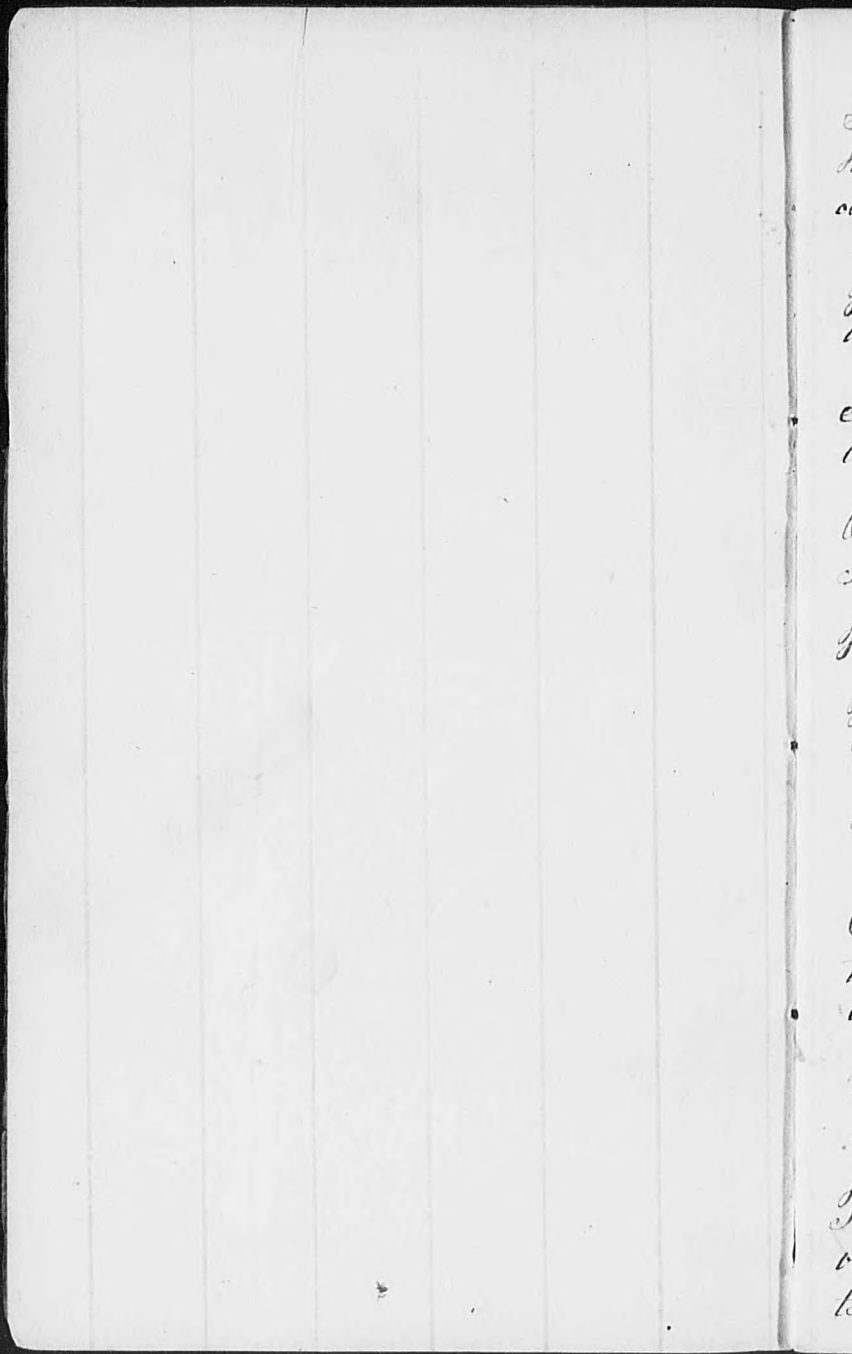


Diary

1832

Amy Reed



1832.

September 11.<sup>th</sup> I came into the house to live,  
which left south west room, under the particular  
care of Rachel Sampson.

1833.

June 5.<sup>th</sup> I went into the middle room to live  
under the particular care of Lillab Potter.

1834.

March 10.<sup>th</sup> I into the north west room,  
under the care of Joanna Kitchel.

October 17.<sup>th</sup> Joanna gave me up and Sarah  
Smith takes care of me.

1835.

January 17.<sup>th</sup> I went to the Elders to open my mind

January 20. Sarah S. went into the South  
room I was left with Betsey Crossman.

July 8.<sup>th</sup> Betsey moves into the South room  
leaves me with Hannah P.

October 11.<sup>th</sup> I H. bids Farewell to this place  
it falls to my lot to go with my good old  
caretaker. I P. H. L. etc. S. L. L. G. & myself.

1836.

H. L. etc. went to the world. I remain unmoved  
as yet.

1837.

Feb 12.<sup>th</sup> Monday bright and early though  
very stormy I move to the East house.  
to live. L. C. L. S. C. J. & myself.

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December 5.<sup>th</sup> I went into the circular  
union. 4. Forethren 5 Siblings. we remain  
unmoved till. 1839. April 14.<sup>th</sup> part  
of the company moves to the great house  
and leaves the rest of us to make pit as we  
can. it is times and a half for the 3 dumplings  
we left. T. S. & D. A. B.

1840.

May 4.<sup>th</sup> the time has come for me to  
hold the gold cross. I move back to the great  
house third loft west middle room.

Now I intend to be quit stiddy.

May 16. it appears that I shall not  
grow mossy for I am good chinking  
timber as yet; it is the gift for me to  
move into the north west room to live.  
Support union with D. H. B. & M. W.  
Now hold the cross cheerfully

January 1. 1841.

I moved to the East house in company  
with H. G. to take care of the 7 youngest  
girls. O Sad & sorrowful times.

Feb 3. I moved downstairs to live with L. S.

O yea, I must be reconciled to every  
gift when it comes.

August 25<sup>th</sup> 1842

It appears to be necessary  
to make some change but  
not with my help. The  
youth take the matter  
up and I go down in  
middle noon & left the  
support union.

January 31<sup>st</sup> 1844

I moved from the East house  
into No 16. to be a Physician

October 1845

I moved from No 16 into  
No 8 Support Union with  
P. M. D. M. B.

July 4<sup>th</sup> 1849

I move from the Physicians

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into the Deaconess Room

July 6.<sup>th</sup> 1854.

I moved back to the Physicians  
shop live in No 5.

Sept. 29. 1854.

I moved from the Physicians  
shop. Work in the washhouse  
an oak work.

May 13<sup>th</sup> 1855.

I moved from No 6 into  
quart No 20.

January 2.<sup>nd</sup> 1856.

I moved from No 20, to  
No 6. returned back to  
the Physicians lot.

The Presents I have received  
individually from the good  
spirits, for which I do & ever  
shall feel thankful.

1838.

From Elder Sister Olive I have  
received the following beautiful  
presents 2 gold chains to wear  
on my neck, on the end of the  
chain was hung a ball of love.  
I also received a life. A beautiful  
box of precious gifts on the top  
of the box was a little bird  
which would sing a song that  
was on the cover of the box.

1839.

Elder Sister Olive gave me  
a ball of love & an orange  
with Mother Lucy's pure  
gospel love written on it.  
She also gave me a roll of love  
with a rose on it. And a cup  
of pure living water.

January 18<sup>th</sup> 1840

Mother Lucy gave me a ball  
of light imitation of her love

Lucinda C. gave me a gold  
chain with her love & blessing  
also the love of Phila Wood  
Lucy C. & Hannah C.

July 7<sup>th</sup>

I received from Mother Ann  
an English Robin with a gold  
leaf in its mouth written on  
the leaf emblem of simplicity  
given to me by my beloved Elder

July 18<sup>th</sup>

I received from Mother Ann  
a beautiful Ivory box, within  
this box were 2 gold chains, one  
to wear round my neck, one  
round Mary W. and the other  
to chain us together; In the



bottom of the box was Mother  
Ann's Mother Lucy's and  
Elder Sister Olive's love.

At the same time a beautiful  
song was sent to me from  
Mother Lucy by Elder Sister  
Olive entitled Shining Barn.

I received a gold <sup>angel</sup> drop and  
an angel named Augustina  
to stay with me.

Elder Sister Olive gave me  
a beautiful rose also some  
Peaches and Plumbs.

Dec 5<sup>th</sup>

Elder Sister Olive gave me  
her love and blessing & a Shial  
of healing balsam with a  
gold chain to wear round  
my neck. 10<sup>th</sup> of sheet of paper  
& gold pen given to the singers in  
some meetings

Jan 18 47.

I received from Mother Anne  
a sweet cake and a ring to  
wear on my little finger.

March 17<sup>th</sup>

I received some love from  
Mother Lucy it was pale blue.

March 24<sup>th</sup> Sat

In our evening meeting, we  
received some beautiful presents  
A Basket of roses from  
Holy Mother Wisdom brought  
by Mother Lucy. Also some  
Peaches & Plumbs given to  
us by Mother Anne with her love  
and a cage of birds from  
"Elder Sister Olive."

March 27. 11

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Sat evening after meeting  
Elder Sister Olive said  
to me crying that thou want  
love, comfort, and strength  
Yea this you shall have,  
I will hand it forth unto  
thee; I have a gold trunk  
and within this trunk is a  
ball of love comfort and  
strength. Also a very  
beautiful shining cross  
I said she bear ye this cross  
daily this ye have done  
I still continue to do.  
of G. L. King from Elders  
Sister Olive with my names

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written on it to wear on  
the forefinger of my right  
hand.

May 28<sup>th</sup> 1841

I received a ball of love  
and a Silver Plate

with the following  
words written on the out<sup>r</sup>  
side of the plate.

Look ye my little one & behold,  
This beautiful ball of purest love  
Is purer far than refined gold  
Is from your heavenly father above,  
Upon a bright shining silver plate,  
You'll find this beautiful ball is placed  
His purple, yellow, pink, and white.

It will ne'er wax'd by day or night.  
Receive ye this, my little one, says  
Elder Sister Alice with my  
never ceasing love and  
blessing, for truly I love you.

January 15<sup>th</sup> 1845.

I received a pale blue robe  
with a white flounce 4 inches  
wide & 150 tassels round the bottom  
& pink silk upon. A peach blow  
coloured handkerchief.  
A white collar. A cap of lace  
with 90 yards in it. A neck lace  
100 yards. A pair of gloves, &  
a gold belt. A pair of Gold Spars  
with the likeness of the Almighty  
upon them. A gold finger ring  
on every finger; A jewel in

each ear with the likeness of  
 Mother Ann & Mother Lucy  
 upon them. This from Elizabeth  
 L. she said it was the dress that  
 was sent to her before she left  
 this world. And she had placed  
 it safe in a Glass Box for me  
 because it just suited me.  
 On the top of the Box is a little  
 Dove from Father William.  
 A cage with 14 birds in it  
 from Mother Lucy sent  
 by Mary Reed.

March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840. 13

Those under 30 & over 14.  
received a Silver cross from  
Father Joseph by our beloved  
Elders. Thursday Eve 26

Father Joseph said those  
under 30 that felt determined  
to press forward with new  
zeal in the work of God might  
go to their Elders and get  
a gold chain.

Sat 27.

Father James brought a Roll  
of songs for those under 30.

April Sat 4<sup>th</sup>.

Father Joseph brought a beautiful  
present for those of his  
class namely the love of all our  
heavenly Parents, of money

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stified spirits and holy angels  
from all the host of heaven,  
to comfort & encourage us;  
Also the Bread & waters of life  
from the holy Sacrament

May 2<sup>nd</sup>

Father Joseph first for each  
of his class a gold clasp which  
we wore. To receive by taking  
hold of it with both hands, he  
said while we held the clasps in  
this way we could do no evil.

May 3

Father gave those of us (under  
30) a Disc of simplicity.

June 13<sup>th</sup>

Father Joseph marched with his  
class gave us some love and



Some mamma, Mother Lucy  
also gave us her love.

Sept 12.

Oliver Bu John brought some  
double barrel pistols with  
balls & cartridge boxes! For  
Father chaps.

Sept 13.

Father Joseph brought to his  
chaps some books of Volunners  
in number of which we  
received the first volume  
entitled Good instruction and  
kind treatment.

Sept 20.

Father again visited us and  
gave us the second volume  
The fear of God and Mani-  
fulness.

Sept 24.

Father Joseph brought four  
boxes of his claps & basket  
of not another Book 3 Volume  
Love to the way of God, love to each  
other, love to simplicity and to  
the gifts of God.

October 4<sup>th</sup>

We received from Father the  
fourth Volume, namely the  
cross and Supperical.

Oct 11<sup>th</sup>

Father again noticed us his  
claps this morning and gave  
us the fifth Volume of his  
books. Truth & honesty wherein  
there is no deception.

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Oct 17<sup>th</sup>  
Elder Ebenezer Cooley brought  
a BATTLE and for each of Fathers  
Class these were from Christ & Mother

Oct 18<sup>th</sup>  
Elder Ebenezer C. attended  
meeting with us this morning  
and gave us the Sixth Volume  
Holy faith wherin ye can find  
your salvation.

He wanted before we received  
them we should bow twice &  
say I will ever study this book.

Oct 20<sup>th</sup>  
Father Joseph attended with  
us this morning and gave us  
the Seventh and last volume  
Obedience to your blessed lead.

he also brought for each one  
a Gold Watch with 1/2 chains  
of the richest of metal  
Platina attached to them.

November 8<sup>th</sup>

Father Joseph came this  
afternoon in union with  
Mother Ann, and brought  
a book of consciences drawn  
from the Book of Records  
for each of his Claps, he desired  
us to follow on closely after  
Mother's Clap; He also gave  
us a short straight and narrow  
path to walk as Mother's  
Clap did, and previous to  
walking we must bow 5 times,  
we received each one of us a rule  
to walk by given by our beloved Elders

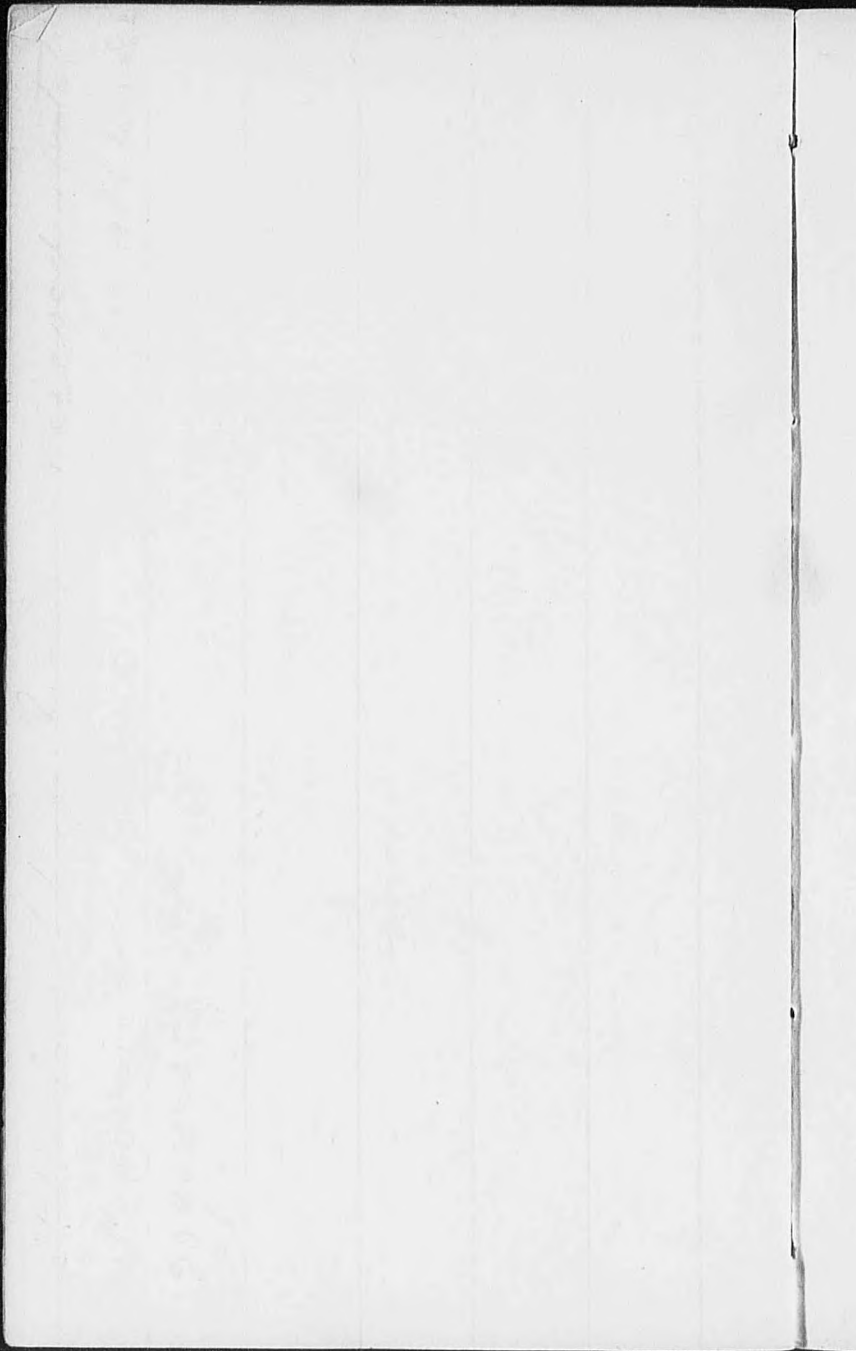
Nov 19<sup>th</sup>

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Old Ebenezer C. attended meeting  
with us this afternoon, and  
brought a pair of shoes for  
each of Father's & La's to wear  
while walking the narrow path.



*[Faint, illegible handwriting on lined paper]*









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