

September, March Thursday MONDAY, 2nd 1

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In the evening sent to report a Woman's Rights meeting. I went to a wrong number first. Arrived at the right place I listened to females reading making speeches &c something I had not been used to hearing. There were no pretty women - yes, only one - present and such men! I stayed there till quite late. Bought tickets for Friday & Saturday to see Lotta at the Brooklyn Academy. Got good seats for Mary and self. Indications of full houses each night. Came home late to Badgers. Found a letter from Mary. So bed at my usual late hour. Think it was a disagreeable day.

Friday 2nd

To Court and to Herald office. Hurried over to Brooklyn avoiding work as I wished to go to the theatre. Reported two or three things from the Court. A rainy day and night. Invested in a \$150 umbrella about this time I think this morning or afternoon. Last week I believe I visited Newark probably the week before, the first time in over a year. Received a long letter from Aunt Jiri about this time and answered it. With Mary to see Lotta. Crowded house. The play, Musette. Mary and I both heartily enjoyed ourselves. Lotta was in her usual good spirits. The play is interesting. Back to Badgers. We sat up talking about the play till quite late. Papa home. How wonder he made very little if any objection to our going.

Saturday TUESDAY, 3.

Up about 11 or 12. Mary to New York I think. Wrote three or four police items about the Court. Left the office right away. To Brooklyn. Mary with a headache and afraid she would not enjoy the play. We went and she soon forgot about the headache. Crowded house again. Lotta in great spirits. The play Zip in which I have now seen her three times. The little female called before the curtain two or three times. Saw Emma Sedgwick in her Papa at the piece. Also a green little body a young lady with an ever bright sunny little face. Papa to Newark. He did not know we were to go to the theatre to night. Last week I received over \$20 salary or wages.

Sunday 4th

Was to have gone to Bath on Saturday - had a stronger attraction however. I wrote to Miss Rebecca V. Moorhead not long ago. I do not know how my communication will be received. Reached Court late as usual. I have not been at Court a single morning since my appointment & I am supposed to be there every morning. Hayes President. The New York Sun has lowered its flag, union Jack down. Some Police Court items. All night prowling around Tompkins Square to see if Hayes was to be burnt in effigy. No effigy. To Hues Police Headquarters. Listened to a number of yarns. To the office. About one or after sent to Sidden's house. Raised the servant sent up note returned unopened.

Monday WEDNESDAY, 4. 5th

Last night had quite a controversy with a cab driver. I gave him \$1.50 to take me to Gramercy Park. Of course I meant there & back. He told me I had agreed to go there not to come back. He got the \$1.50 and I rode down in a car. Only one dollar and a half left out of my week's earnings. I spent as fast as I made. Wrote up some articles from the Court. Helped Bayard to write an article. He has been to Squam Beach N.J. about a week. He made quite well by the transaction. Not obtaining any work to do we went over to Brooklyn to settle. To Badgers earlier than usual. I believe I saw Mary and probably Papa also as he returned from Newark.

Tuesday 6th

To the Court. I wrote several items. Late to the Court as usual. Heard from Little Sue. Stayed a short time about the Herald office and not obtaining any work went home early. I think I saw Mary and Papa. Have been intending to go to Bath but do not find time nor money to spare.

Wednesday 7th

Letter from Belle Sullivan and Miss Moorhead. The latter's letter is dated Dec. 4th and I enjoyed reading both. Do not think I had anything in Court today. In the evening went out to see about Matilda Harris' death. Bayard and I had dinner together. To Badgers. Saw Mary and talked with her till late. Am to go to Newark tomorrow.