

Thursday 10
cloudy
Finished my determination of computation of the determination of value of micrometer in zenith telescope. I put a post with top into the garden for the zenith telescope for observations outside of the meridian.

Friday 11
cold
I have now commenced writing my report. Marie was out to sea at Mrs. Mulloy's.

Saturday 12
cloudy
Busy at my report.

Sunday 13
fine
After breakfast Marie the children and I took a walk through the fields to the river, the boys picking up all sorts of stones and fossils and asking me for their names. In afternoon busy at my report. In evening Marie & I music in the

Monday 14
cloudy
after. & eve
rain
In forenoon I visited the school. Busy at my report. In evening I attended for an hour the A.O.U.W. meeting.

Tuesday 15
foggy
In afternoon I visited the Galt Polytechnic Institute. Great changes have there been made since my day, but of its greater efficiency I have my doubts. Our subject is however nowadays better taught (in fact we had little or nothing) in the public as well as in the high schools and that is literature. Poor Marie only for my being there would have been obliged to stay after school for some little present which annoyed the chemist teacher. —

Wednesday 16
cloudy, cool
Busy at my report. Today Sulu was telling us at table that Mr. Meyer (the teacher) told one of the boys who had cut up some paper that he must draw a certain number of maps after school or get a thrashing. I asked Osker which of the two punishments he would choose, he said making maps, but Sulu immediately followed with — "not I, I'd sooner take a thrashing that's over in a minute".