

June

Mass the mummy planet is also interesting. Saturn the anomaly (its rings) in our system is too low in the horizon now to be a good object for the telescope. - Tonight is the first night I have spent with the whole galaxy of stars - the joy I afforded can not be given in words - when observing one seems to be lifted from the earth - that mere spect - into space, the mind apparently disengaged from the body and holding converse with the universe - the macrocosmos. - Returning to my room we chatted till 12 a.m.

Monday 11
pleasant
cool
rain night

Busy at observatory. Macara my assistant leaves at this morning, he arrived on Saturday night already. It being cloudy & rainy at night King & I sat in my room chatted & discussed scientific topics till 3 a.m.

Tuesday 12
very close
rain after.

In evening did some observing. The clock's electrical apparatus is not in working order yet.

Wednesday 13
warm

In evening began observing but it soon clouded & Moppis work. Returning to the hotel I met J. G. M. Christie late of Norway House. He was in great joy in meeting me again. While sitting in my room chatting Mr. Belanger & Mr. Ebbett also called on me. Later I took Mr. Christie to the observatory.

Thursday 14
warm

This forenoon Mr. Belanger drove Chief Factor Hardisty & me to Ft. Amiface where we called on Archbishop Tache and Bishop Grandin, besides meeting various priests. Tache made on me a very unfavorable impression - he has an eye more than cunning & crafty, some repulsive. He was all smiles but a smile & laughter at which one chudders. - We then called on Mrs. Wm. Clarke; returning to Winnipeg we left Mr. Hardisty at the H.B.C. office and drove up town where we met Dr. Duroquay & Mr. A. Loper, the latter invited us to his house where we remained a few minutes, then Mr. Belanger & I drove to the H.B.C. office in search of Mr. Clarke whom we found. I invited both to