

Journal of temporary labours
in Boston.

Sabbath Oct 2^d visited several families
in Hatters Square in the morning. Found
some indifferent and saw I appearing
attentive. At 10 o'clock visited with
Rev Mr Dingham the General Hospital
and attended religious services in
several rooms. In the evening held
a meeting in Hatters square and
spoke from the parable of the
Prodigal son. Most present were
very attentive. Had some conversa-
tion after meeting with one or two
individuals.

Oct 3^d Attended prayer meeting at
Mr Dingham's with four other in
relation to our labours in this
city. Afterwards visited several
families conversed and prayed
with some of them and distributed
a few tracts. Concluded with the
approbation of Dea Proctor to es-
tablish a sabbath school and sort
of bible class in Hatters square.

Oct 4th visited several families with Mr Dingham
in relation to a sabbath school found
much encouragement.

Oct 5th visited 8 or 10 families and distributed several tracts. Found ^{families} two entirely destitute of bibles. Several appeared eager for instruction and desirous to send their children to sabbath school.

Oct 6th visited a few families and gave away two bibles and a few tracts.

Oct 7th visited 10 or 12 families in the forenoon was well received and generally invited to call again. In the afternoon visited several families with Rev Mr Bingham, in the north part of the city, and endeavoured to find a place for an evening meeting.

8th visited and conversed with a few families, and obtained one or two children for sabbath school.

9th Sabbath. Attended a sabbath school in the morning in Hatter square. About 12 Children present. Prayed and conversed with them, and gave them a few tracts. Met the children again at 10 o'clock. Several more present.

Went from the sabbath school
in the afternoon to the Marine
Hospital, Charlestown, with Rev Mr
Mr Bingham. Prayed with and
accepted the sailors present.

Most of them appeared attentive.
Attended a meeting in the evening
in Hatters Square and spoke from the
16 Chapter of Luke -

Oct 10th visited and conversed with
a few families and distributed
several tracts.

Oct 11 In the forenoon visited one
or two families of universalists.

They expressed much opposition
to the spirit of the Gospel and
to sabbath schools. In the afternoon

visited with Mr Bingham several
sailor boarding houses conversed
and prayed with the sailors, and
gave them a number of tracts.

The sailors appeared civil and dis-
posed to listen to instruction -

Oct 12 visited several families in
the north part of the city with
brother Richards and conversed
with them - In the afternoon vi-
sited several Roman Catholics
and gave them tracts.

Oct 13th visited a sick woman, con-
misered and prayed with her.
visited some other families and
gave them tracts.

Oct 14 called on a Roman Catholic
family and gave them a Testament.
In the afternoon visited several
sailor boarding houses and invi-
ted several sailors to a meeting in
the evening. Attended a meeting
in the evening in north square.

15 Attended a meeting at Dr Serks
for prayer and conversation re-
specting our labours. Made some
attempts to find a place for a meet-
ing.

16th Sabbath. Attended a sabbath school
in the morning and at noon, ~~and~~
in Peabody square -

^{5th} In the afternoon visited the ~~house~~
marine Hospital at Charlestown
and spoke to the sailors. In the
evening attended a meeting in
Flatters square -

17th met at Mr Bingham's for prayer
and made some preparations for
a meeting in Seaverett street.

18th visited near Craigs bridge in
reference to a meeting and dis-
tributed several tracts. Found
several professors of religion.

visited also with Mr Bingham
Cambridge jail and conversed
with the prisoners.

19th visited a few families and
prayed with a sick woman.
Attended a meeting in the evening
in Seaverett street. But few present,
but the ^{meeting} was interesting.

20th visited several families and
gave away tracts.

21st visited a few families with
Mrs Bingham. Found some who
appeared interested in religious
conversation. Converses with sev-
eral and gave them tracts. Attended
with Mr Turner and foot in North Square. The
meeting was pretty well attended.

~~Oct 12th In the A.M. visited a number
of families in the north part of
the city with Brother Richards and
conversed with them upon religion.
Visited in the P.M. several Roman
Catholics and gave them tracts.~~

22nd Attended a prayer ^{meeting} at Mr
Bingham's. In the afternoon
visited the second time a woman
in the north part of the city.

She is not a professor of religion,
but gives some evidence of piety.

She thinks the doctrine of uni-
versal salvation has been the
ruin of her family. Her hus-
band was once a man of con-
siderable property, but he be-
came a warm advocate of un-
the doctrine of universal salvation,
and soon neglected his family
and by gambling and dissipation
lost his property and character,
and has now entirely deserted
his family. He had nine children
two dead quite young. One at
eighteen after embracing the sen-

tenments of his father. The other
six are scattered about the coun-
try, and all except the youngest
have embraced the sentiments
of their father and appear to
be following the steps of their
father. The mother is left alone
destitute of any thing to help
herself with in her old age.
She feels fully persuaded that
~~she~~ her family, ^{has been} brought
to their present situation by
attending Mr Ballou's meeting
and embracing his destructive
doctrines.

23^d Attended Sabbath school in
the morning and at noon.

Attended meeting in the evening
in Fetter's square and spoke from
Malachi 3-8. The meeting was
pretty well attended.

24th Visited and prayed with a
sick woman - Attended in the evening a Sabbath
school teachers meeting.

25th Visited several families near
Cragie's bridge and distributed
several tracts. Attended a meeting there in
the evening.

26th visited a few families in ~~St~~ Street. Found one in a Roman Catholic family without a bible and unable to read. Visited with Miss Grover several sabbath school children and conversed with their parents. Found two grown persons unable to read.

27th visited a number of black families with two teachers of the African sabbath school. Found one woman quite sick conversed and prayed with her.

28th visited in the west part of the ~~town~~^{city} with Mr & Mrs. Bingham was generally well received.

29. Attended a meeting at Dr. Jenks -

30th Attended a sabbath school twice in Hatters Square. Went to the Marine Hospital with Sea Decker and attended the sick seamen. Held a meeting in the evening in Hatters Square.

31st visited two sick families and some others. Distributed a few tracts. Found two or three families without a bible and unable to read.

Nov. 1st visited several families, and
gave away tracts, found two poor
and sixty without bibles and un-
able to read. Found also one
woman who appeared serious and
who requested me to pray.

Nov 2^d visited several sabbath
school children and distributed
tracts, found two or three families
without a bible.