

praying earnestly to God. Why, then, should I despair of the children now under my charge? And yet I do."

8th.—"Two pictures—six years ago a merry group of pupils homeward bound. To-day one is married, four have been or are teachers, one a minister, two still at home, and I, the writer, here. However,

'Would you be young again?
So would not I."

22nd.—"Spent the evening and stayed all night at a place where I again felt the power of the Spirit in family worship, when *I personally was prayed for.*"

July 3.—"I am leaving my Sunday-school pupils with a deep feeling of anxiety for their welfare, during summer vacation. I read a goodly portion of the prophecies of Jeremiah; have also had communion with God and illustrations of answered prayer. I feel weak, earthly, pharisaical and guilty."

6th.—"Have said good-bye to all. Called at my *Bethel* and felt the solemnity, as usual. Truly I have found that God directs those who trust Him, and makes even their enemies to be at peace."

11th.—"I never remember of spending time more pleasantly than I have here (Decew Falls). I believe religion is the secret of all their happiness. Every one whom I meet is a Christian."

30th.—

"Count that day lost whose low-descending sun
Views from thy hand no noble action done."

Lost! Lost! Lost!"

Sept. 11.—"I thank God that I feel a love for Him, and a stronger desire to do good than I ever did before. I am also thankful for having been taught to keep holy the Sabbath-day, though I often fall short."

16th.—"The commonplace of common things."

18th.—"Have read the Book of Genesis. Taught Bible class. Thought too much of my friends' besetting sins when perhaps I had better look at my own. Yet God has been near me. Am more thankful than ever for a Christian mother."

23rd.—"Enjoyed a walk this morning. Beautiful blue sky;