

splendid endowments and elegant accomplishments. Her strength of judgment, firmness of purpose, and elevation of piety, fitted her to share in the responsibilities, sympathise in the trials, and alleviate the burdens of a minister's life. Charlotte was innocent and strongly devoted to her husband. She possessed a great share of moral virtue, and had a serene and contented disposition. Both were gifted with high household virtues and deep piety.

*23rd April.*—Set out for Shelburne. Travelled the second day with Colonel McDougal. He had been in all the wars of the continent. We were fellow-students twenty-four years ago in Edinburgh. It was curious that we met on Chester Heights. Reached Jordan River on the fifth day, remained three weeks, preached as often as the Providence of God afforded me an opportunity.

*11th May.*—Preached a farewell sermon at Shelburne. The meek and lowly Matthew Dripps seems to be in his last illness—the hectic flush on his face—the feet swelled, and all the symptoms of mortality.

*27th.*—Took farewell of my people at the close of divine service. Shook hands with all the congregation.

*28th.*—Set out for Windsor, distance seventy-three miles. Reached it with my luggage same evening.

*3rd June.*—Sailed for the city of St. John in the *Reindeer*; a passage of four days.

*9th.*—Sailed for Wigtonshire on board Thomson's Packet, Captain Whitehead, loaded with 274 tons of timber.

*18th.*—Had divine service on board. Prayers every day.

*6th July.*—At three of the clock was called out of bed by the captain to see the high land above Bantry Bay. During the day were frequently boarded by Irish fishermen, who all begged for rum, tobacco, beef, etc.