

APPENDIX No. 4—GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS—Continued.

Date.	Places of observation.	Distances measured by the viameter.		North latitudes.	West of Greenwich.		Authorities.
		Distance from camp to camp.	Total distance from Fort, Leavenworth.		In time.	In arc.	
1846 Nov. 21	Camp 105, on the Gila.....	26	1665	Deg. min. sec. 32 43 17	h. min. sec. 7 37 22.8	Deg. min. sec. 114 20 43	W. H. Emory.
22	Camp 106, about one and a half mile south of the junction of the Gila and Colorado of the west.....	22	1687	32 42 09	7 38 28.6	114 37 09	do
25	First camp after leaving the Rio Colorado.....	22	1709	32 40 22	7 39 45.8	114 56 28	do
28	Camp 111, Ceriso creek.....	77	1786	32 52 33	7 44 24.6	116 06 09	do
29	Camp 112, Yalle Cison.....	16	1802	32 58 15	7 45 22.7	116 20 40	do
2	Camp 114, a few hundred yards south of Warner's rancheria.....	35	1837	33 16 57	7 46 34.8	116 38 43	do
7	Camp 118, battle ground of the 7th... San Diego, (public square).....	50 29	1887 1916	33 03 42 32 45 00	7 48 14 7 48 44	117 03 29 117 11 00	Latitude by W. H. Emory. Longitude by Sir Ed. Belcher.

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TABLE

OF

ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATIONS.

These observations were not all taken near the same place. The first observations were taken at the public square of San Diego, the second at Warner's rancheria, the third at the junction of the Gila and Colorado of the west, the fourth at Camp 106, the fifth at Camp 105, the sixth at Camp 114, the seventh at Camp 112, the eighth at Camp 111, the ninth at the first camp after leaving the Rio Colorado, the tenth at Camp 118, the eleventh at Camp 114, the twelfth at Camp 112, the thirteenth at Camp 111, the fourteenth at Camp 106, the fifteenth at Camp 105, the sixteenth at the junction of the Gila and Colorado of the west, the seventeenth at Warner's rancheria, the eighteenth at the public square of San Diego.

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ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATIONS.

NOTE.—The lunar distances were reduced by Professor Hubbard, by Bessel's method, which is presumed to be the most accurate method known. The important changes made in the longitude of one or two leading positions, must, therefore, depend for authentication upon the observations themselves.

These observations have not, in all cases, been multiplied to the extent desired, owing to the nature of the service on which the undersigned was employed; but there is no reason on the face of them for doubting the results deduced.

W. H. EMORY.

June 21, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, p. m.	Double altitudes of α Lyrae in the east.	Chronometer fast.
<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>
4 01 46.5	102 00 20	6 53 14.9
4 04 52	103 09 35	6 53 14.8
4 06 15.2	103 40 30	6 53 15.4
4 07 30.0	104 08 20	6 53 15.7
4 08 27.1	104 29 35	6 53 16.0
4 09 56.7	105 02 30	6 53 17.6
4 11 18.5	105 33 30	6 53 16.6
4 12 46.2	106 07 20	6 53 14.1
4 13 57.3	106 53 35	6 53 15.0
4 15 59	107 18 40	6 53 16.7

Thermometer 60°.

APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

June 21, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, p. m.	Double altitude of Arcturus in the west.	Chronometer fast.
<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>
4 27 39.8	126 57 50	6 53 19.2
4 29 18.0	126 08 10	6 53 17.4
4 30 32.0	125 46 50	6 53 20.2
4 32 30.2	125 10 20	6 53 18.5
4 33 59.1	124 44 00	6 53 20.2
4 35 31.5	124 14 40	6 53 17.0
4 37 14.7	123 43 00	6 53 18.1
4 38 52.8	123 12 05	6 53 17.2
4 40 35.3	122 41 15	6 53 21.9 rej.
4 42 17.0	122 08 00	6 53 18.7

Thermometer 60°.

	<i>h. m. s.</i>
Chronometer fast by 10 obs. of east star.....	6 55 15.68
Chronometer fast by 9 obs. of west star.....	18.50
Mean.....	6 53 17.09

DETERMINATION OF INDEX ERROR.

	<i>m. s.</i>
Off the arc.....	31 50
On the arc.....	31 10

Index error = + 20".

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June 21, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF LATITUDE.

Time, p. m.	Double altitudes of Polaris.	Latitude.
<i>h.</i> <i>m.</i> <i>s.</i>	<i>Deg.</i> <i>min.</i> <i>sec.</i>	<i>Deg.</i> <i>min.</i> <i>sec.</i>
4 59 03.0	76 36 40	39 21 29
5 01 02.2	76 37 55	39 21 34
5 03 28.6	76 38 55	39 21 22
5 05 13.5	76 40 50	39 21 24
5 06 50.3	76 41 05	39 21 28
5 08 22.5	76 41 45	39 21 23
5 09 50.8	76 42 30	39 21 10
5 11 12.2	76 43 50	39 21 27
5 12 29.6	76 44 35	39 21 36
5 13 55.0	76 45 20	39 21 33
5 15 18.8	76 46 20	39 21 39
5 16 44.7	76 47 10	39 21 36
5 18 15.0	76 48 20	39 21 45
5 19 41.8	76 48 40	39 21 28
5 21 23.5	76 49 50	39 21 32
5 23 06.0	76 51 10	39 21 41

Mean of 16 observations, 39° 21' 30".

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June 21, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, a. m.—June 22.	Double altitudes of sun's upper limb.	Time, p. m.—June 21.	Chronometer fast.
<i>h.</i> <i>m.</i> <i>s.</i>	<i>Deg.</i> <i>min.</i>	<i>h.</i> <i>m.</i> <i>s.</i>	<i>h.</i> <i>m.</i> <i>s.</i>
5 05 42.0	125 50	8 45 51.8	6 53 17.8
5 03 15.8	123 40	8 46 19.8	6 53 18.23
5 02 46.0	123 30	8 46 49.7	6 53 18.33
5 02 17.0	123 20	8 47 17.0	6 53 17.48
Lost.	123 10	8 47 46.0	
5 01 19.2	123 00	8 48 15.1	6 53 17.58
5 00 51.5	122 50	8 48 43.5	6 53 17.53
5 00 23.5	122 40	Lost.	
4 59 54.5	122 30	8 49 39.7	6 53 17.58
	122 20	8 50 08.5	
	122 10	8 50 36.2	
	122 00	8 51 06.0	

NEW SERIES.

3 47 37.5	95 40	10 01 57.5	6 53 17.96
3 47 11.5	95 30	10 02 24.0	6 53 18.21
3 46 44.2	95 20	10 02 50.2	6 53 17.66
3 46 18.5	95 10	10 03 15.5	6 53 17.46
3 45 52.5	95 00	10 03 41.5	6 53 17.46
3 45 26.8	94 50	10 04 08.3	6 53 18.01
3 45 11.0	94 40	10 04 34.1	6 53 18.01
3 44 34.0	94 30	10 05 00.0	6 53 17.46
3 44 08.5	94 20	10 05 26.2	6 53 17.81
3 41 57.5	93 30	10 07 38.2	6 53 18.31
3 41 32.5	93 20	10 08 03.0	6 53 18.21
3 41 15.3	93 10	10 08 28.0	6 53 17.11
3 40 39.5	93 00	10 08 55.2	6 53 17.81
3 40 14.2	92 50	10 09 21.0	6 53 18.06
Lost.	92 40	10 09 47.0	
3 39 21.5	92 30	10 10 11.9	6 53 17.06
Ther. 60°		Ther. 75°	

Mean of 22 observations, 6h. 53m. 17.76s.

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June 22, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, a. m.			Double altitudes of sun's upper limb.	Time, p. m.			Chronometer fast.
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>
3	48	02.5	95 50	10	01	42.5	6 53 16.69
3	47	37.5	95 40	10	02	08.2	6 53 17.04
3	47	11.5	95 30	10	02	33.5	6 53 16.69
3	46	44.2	95 20	10	02	59.1	6 53 15.84
3	46	18.5	95 10	10	03	26.5	6 53 16.69
3	45	52.5	95 00	10	03	52.0	6 53 16.44
3	45	26.8	94 50	10	04	18.0	6 53 16.59
3	45	01.0	94 40	10	04	45.1	6 53 17.24
3	44	35.0	94 30	10	05	11.0	6 53 17.19
3	44	08.5	94 20	10	05	36.8	6 53 16.84
Lost.			94 10	10	06	2.3	
Lost.			94 00	10	06	28.5	
3	41	57.5	93 30	10	07	45.8	6 53 15.84
3	41	32.5	93 20	10	08	11.8	6 53 16.34
3	41	05.3	93 10	10	08	38.8	6 53 16.24
3	40	39.5	93 00	10	09	05.0	6 53 16.44
3	40	14.2	92 50	10	09	30.2	6 53 16.29
Ther. 68°				Ther. 74°			

Mean of 15 observations, 6h. 53m. 16.52s.

3 48 02.5	95 50	10 01 42.5	6 53 16.69
3 47 37.5	95 40	10 02 08.2	6 53 17.04
3 47 11.5	95 30	10 02 33.5	6 53 16.69
3 46 44.2	95 20	10 02 59.1	6 53 15.84
3 46 18.5	95 10	10 03 26.5	6 53 16.69
3 45 52.5	95 00	10 03 52.0	6 53 16.44
3 45 26.8	94 50	10 04 18.0	6 53 16.59
3 45 01.0	94 40	10 04 45.1	6 53 17.24
3 44 35.0	94 30	10 05 11.0	6 53 17.19
3 44 08.5	94 20	10 05 36.8	6 53 16.84
Lost.			
Lost.			
3 41 57.5	93 30	10 07 45.8	6 53 15.84
3 41 32.5	93 20	10 08 11.8	6 53 16.34
3 41 05.3	93 10	10 08 38.8	6 53 16.24
3 40 39.5	93 00	10 09 05.0	6 53 16.44
3 40 14.2	92 50	10 09 30.2	6 53 16.29

Mean of 15 observations, 6h. 53m. 16.52s.

APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

June 24, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, p. m.			Double altitudes of Lyrae in the east.	Chronometer fast.
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>
4	26	24.0	115 45 10	6 53 06.2
4	27	37.8	116 13 05	6 53 06.0
4	29	38.0	116 58 30	6 53 06.6
4	30	55.7	117 27 55	6 53 06.7
4	32	37.5	118 06 40	6 53 06.3
4	33	58.2	118 37 10	6 53 06.7
4	35	33.7	119 13 45	6 53 05.9
4	37	47.0	120 04 25	6 53 05.9
4	39	30.2	120 44 05	6 53 04.7

Thermometer 66°.

Time, p. m.			Double altitudes of Arcturus in the west.	Chronometer fast.
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>
4	44	52.0	117 22 50	6 53 11.5
4	46	47.5	116 44 55	6 53 14.6 rej.
4	48	19.0	116 13 00	6 53 11.8
4	50	06.8	115 35 35	6 53 09.8
4	54	31.5	114 04 40	6 53 09.7
4	55	58.5	113 34 30	6 53 09.8
4	57	14.2	113 09 10	6 53 14.3 rej.
4	58	38.5	112 38 40	6 53 09.3
5	00	26.7	112 01 45	6 53 12.0
5	02	05.0	111 27 25	6 53 12.2

Barometer 39.52
34.57

Thermometer 64°.

Chronometer fast by 9 obs. of east star	6 53 06.58
Chronometer fast by 8 obs. of west star	10.76
Mean	6 53 08.67

Mean of 11 observations, 6h. 53m. 08.67s.

APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

June 25, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, p. m.			Double altitudes of sun's upper limb.	Time, a. m.—June 26.			Chronometer fast.		
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>
10	08	34.5	93 20	3	42	24.5	6	53	07.09
10	09	00.0	93 10	3	41	59.5	6	53	07.35
10	10	44.2	92 30	3	40	15.0	6	53	07.31
10	11	10.2	92 20	3	39	48.5	6	53	06.71
10	11	36.5	92 10						
10	12	02.8	92 00	3	38	58.0	6	53	08.02
10	14	38.0	91 00	3	36	20.5	6	53	06.88
10	17	14.2	90 00	3	33	44.0	6	53	06.73
10	17	40.0	89 50						
Ther. 78°				Ther. 74°					

Barometer, 39.50.
34.48.

Mean of 7 observations, 6*h.* 53*m.* 07.16*s.*

June 26, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, a. m.			Double altitudes of sun's upper limb.	Time, p. m.			Chronometer fast.		
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>
3	38	58.0	92 00	10	12	07.0	6	53	05.97
	Lost.		92 10	10	11	41.2			
3	39	48.1	92 20	10	11	14.2	6	53	04.57
3	40	15.0	92 30	10	10	48.2	6	53	05.07
3	40	40.8	92 40	10	10	22.5	6	53	05.12
3	41	09.2	92 50	10	09	57.5	6	53	06.32
3	41	33.0	93 00	10	09	30.2	6	53	05.07
3	41	59.5	93 10	10	09	04.2	6	53	05.31
3	42	24.5	93 20	10	08	40.3	6	53	05.86
3	42	50.8	93 30	10	08	10.8	6	53	05.76
3	43	16.5	93 40	Lost.					
3	44	42.0	93 50	10	07	21.2	6	53	05.06
3	45	10.2	94 00	10	06	54.5	6	53	05.81
Ther. 74°				Ther. 80°					

Mean of 11 observations, 6*h.* 53*m.* 05.45*s.*

APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

June 26, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth, N. W. angle of square

DETERMINATION OF LATITUDE.

Time, p. m.			Double altitudes of <i>a</i> Ophiuchi, near the meridian.	Latitude.		
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>
4	29	57.5	94 36 40	39	21	12
4	31	35.8	94 39 20	39	21	00
4	33	00.0	94 40 30	39	21	12
4	34	14.0	94 41 50	39	21	07
4	35	47.9	94 42 50	39	21	11
4	37	20.0	94 43 40	39	21	08
4	38	51.2	94 44 10	39	21	06
4	40	19.7	94 44 15	39	21	05
4	42	05.0	94 43 25	39	21	20
4	43	35.5	94 42 30	39	21	27
4	45	03.8	94 41 50	39	21	18
4	46	19.0	94 40 40	39	21	18
4	48	10.0	94 38 25	39	21	27
4	49	25.2	94 37 10	39	21	15
4	50	39.8	94 34 30	39	21	38
4	52	01.2	94 32 15	39	21	35
4	53	35.8	94 29 10	39	21	37

Thermometer 64°.

Mean of 17 observations, 39° 21' 17".

APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

June 26, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF LATITUDE.

Time, p. m.			Double altitude of Polaris.	Latitude.
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>
4	58	46.5	76 47 45	39 21 21
5	00	03.2	76 48 40	39 21 24
5	01	37.2	76 49 50	39 21 30
5	02	50.8	76 50 20	39 21 23
5	03	59.0	76 51 20	39 21 31
5	05	07.2	76 52 10	39 21 35
5	06	12.1	76 53 05	39 21 42
5	07	55.2	76 53 40	39 21 29
5	09	20.0	76 54 50	39 21 38
5	10	27.1	76 55 35	39 21 39
5	11	19.8	76 56 05	39 21 37

Barometer, 39.42 inches.

“ 34.41 “

Thermometer 64°.

Mean of 11 observations, 39° 21' 32".

APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

[Without using horizon glass.]

June 26, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF LATITUDE.

Time, p. m.			Double altitudes of <i>a</i> Ophiuchi, near the meridian.	Latitude.
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>	<i>Deg. min. sec.</i>
5	49	39.8	126 23 20	39 20 01
5	51	37.8	126 28 40	39 20 00
5	52	20.2	126 32 55	39 20 19
5	54	26.0	126 35 05	39 20 00
5	56	40.7	126 38 20	39 20 48
5	58	38.6	126 38 40	39 21 06
6	00	57.0	126 40 50	39 20 44
6	02	39.2	126 39 55	39 21 05
6	04	05.4	126 38 15	39 21 36
6	06	34.0	126 36 45	39 21 16
6	07	55.1	126 34 20	39 21 55
6	09	18.7	126 33 05	39 21 15
6	10	21.2	126 29 50	39 19 45
6	11	43.5	126 27 20	39 19 32
6	13	23.2	126 23 45	39 20 16

Thermometer 63 .

Barometer, 39.42.

34.41.

Mean of 15 observations, 39° 20' 37".

				Latitude of Fort.		
				<i>Deg.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>
Latitude by	16 observations of Polaris,	June 21..		39	21	30
“	11	“ Polaris,	June 26..		21	32
“	17	“ <i>a</i> Ophiuchi,	June 26		21	17
“	15	“ <i>a</i> Ophiuchi,	June 26		20	37
Mean.....				39	21	14

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June 26, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, p. m.			Double altitudes of — in the east.		
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>Deg.</i>	<i>min.</i>	<i>sec.</i>
6	21	08.0	117	18	45
6	22	49.0	117	55	10
6	25	23.5	118	42	15
6	27	06.0	119	25	50
6	28	20.0	119	52	10
6	31	13.2	120	53	50
6	32	11.0	121	13	00
6	33	17.5	121	38	25
6	34	41.0	122	08	05

Barometer, 39.42.
34.41.

Thermometer 60°.

So much noise from the barracks, that I have no confidence in these observations.

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APPENDIX No. 5—Continued.

June 27, 1846.—Fort Leavenworth.

DETERMINATION OF TIME.

Time, a. m.—June 21.			Double altitudes of sun's upper limb.	Time, p. m.—June 26.			Chronometer fast.			
<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>		<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	
3	39	19.0	92	00	10	12	07.0	6	52	06.09
3	39	40.0	92	10	10	11	41.2	6	52	06.63
3	40	04.8	92	20	10	11	14.2	6	52	05.63
3	40	32.0	92	30	10	10	48.2	6	52	06.13
3	40	57.2	92	40	10	10	22.5	6	52	05.88
3	41	22.8	92	50	10	09	57.5	6	52	06.18
3	41	47.7	93	00	10	09	30.2	6	52	04.98 rej.
3	42	16.0	93	10	10	09	04.2	6	52	06.15
3	42	41.0	93	20	10	08	40.3	6	52	06.68
3	43	07.8	93	30	10	08	13.8	6	52	06.83
3	43	32.6	93	40		lost.				
3	44	00.0	93	50	10	07	21.2	6	52	06.63
3	44	24.8	94	00	10	06	54.5	6	52	05.68

Mean of 11 observations, 6h. 52m. 06.22s.

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