It surprised me because there had not been 5 minutes rain during the evening. As soon as I found that it was coming down the gulch from the spring, and that there was about three feet of it, I lost no time in getting on higher grounds because I expected there would be a great deal more water come down the main gulch shortly. I got me a seat and waited for it but it did not come. In about 20 minutes I could cross the gulch (the water having subsided). I then went up to meet what I supposed to be the main volume of water. After going up the gulch about a quarter of a mile, I could hear the roar of water distinctly but after waiting an hour and a half for it, and finding that the roar got no nearer me than when I first heard it, I came home & went to bed.

Monday July 27th

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I went over to the Lost Cabin Mine this afternoon. I went up the main gulch this morning to see where the water went to, that I heard last night and found that the bottom of the gulch in a certain place was like a sieve therefore the water went through it.

Tuesday July 28th

We have had no visitors today. Father went to Hot Springs this morning.