

Metheglin

1747 July 21 (Tuesday). As I was reading Mr. Brainerds Journal, he appear'd at my gate, his brother Israel and Mrs. Jerusha Edwards of Northampton with him -- 'twas just at Eve. I rejoic'd much to see him yet alive. They all lodg'd here. Mr. Beriah Rice brought us Some Metheglin

1756 July 1 (Thursday). My Kins folks had designed to have left us to Day -- but I was not so well as yesterday. (It was windy, and probably I took some Cold. I was feverish, relaxed -- appetite depraved.) They would not therefore Spend their Time in visiting any others, nor leave me, since it was evidently very comforting and refreshing to have them here. Only p.m. my wife and Mrs. Procter rode to Mr. Grouts and got me some Metheglin. O that I were indeed in a readiness for the Will of God! N.B. Mr. Procter prayed in my Family in the morning.

1776 March 10 (Sunday). Preached on 1 *Cor.* 5.8. Administered the Sacrament of the Supper. N.B. No wine to be got -- the Deacons brought Metheglin.