

Brazos footage - Neb sunset

One gloomy afternoon Letitia told Reid she wasn't about to marry a man who wasn't ready to settle down.

St. Louis- TB/402 2:15:45

Reid moved to St. Louis the following summer.

Fremont's Maps - TB/Autry  
Reel 403 3:14:22

**REID:** "During that winter Captain Frémont's journal of his explorations on the plains, the Rocky Mountains and California fell into my hands, and its perusal gave me a strong desire to see for myself the interesting countries he described."

Reid -- c/u

The 42 wagons of the Pioneer Line hitched up in Independence, Missouri on May 15, 1849. According to Reid, it was an inauspicious start.

Mules - #908, 8:22:06

**REID:** "No pen can adequately describe our start. Half a dozen circuses in one would have been tame in comparison. Not one of our mules had ever had a bit in its mouth or a collar around its neck."