

White Salmon Oct 24, '82

Dear Sir,

(I was thinking something else I meant Dear Father.)
I got your card to you three days ago, written at Wells, Nev. I remember the little place well. I was glad to learn that you were having a pleasant trip and were well. I trust that you had a good time the rest of the way. You spent some time I suppose at Uncle As. I do not know as I sent any special words

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them by you. If they
inquired about me you
probably told them how
much interested in them I
was, and made up some
little messages for them.

Did you stop in Chicago?
Mrs Galvin would have
been glad to see you.

Describe your trip in detail,
tell what the people
said, and all that. Tell
what you saw and all
that.

You must also
tell somewhat fully
about your arrival at
Union Falls. Notwith-
standing the doubtfulness of the
trip, as you advised
in your letter to me,
you have got over by
this time. I think it was

a good job. If it is all
good and pleasant I shall
be glad to think that I in
any way contributed to the
result. Give my best
wishes and salutations to
Margaret. She has not
yet answered my letter, but
I suppose she is busy.

You probably do not yet
have any particular plan
about staying or coming
if you stay at El. Falls
this winter you must be
very careful of yourself.
It is very cold and severe
in the winter there.

You will probably make
your peace with Eliza
and George. They may
cheerfully express their
opinion out as cheerfully

with what you owe Margaret
conclude to do. You must
conclude to come home
as soon as you can next
spring. If Margaret has any
money to invest, it might
be as well as any way to
to preempt your timber
culture 1600. In that way
you would get the land with
out so much hard work, and
almost as cheap. You could
then wait until May or
June and leave Margaret to
come back with you. That
would be a neater way if
you could compass it.

Urge upon Francis the advantages
of this case to a man of means.
There is a great chance at
Blood River just now to strike
fruit. Tell Henry it.

Get he with you. Your son, Glorace,