

Dingle Idaho  
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My Dear Girl.

Yours fine letter came and it sure was quite interesting to read and follow the last 55 years and many events did happen and we have held a very remarkable record with our family for which we are pleased with and all in all it was nothing more than should have been expected I think it was the way we taught and raised them if everyone here in Dingle had done as we did Dingle would have been a better place I was getting what we worked for and so are they and that is that same Paul died (Elba) Sam. This is a case of him getting what he was working for to much whisky & the way he lived & he got thru sooner than with Martin Hansen on his back over a yr. & can't move a limb but getting as fat as a fool for the love of lustre he is & will get all he has been working for all his life now we have look over the past the last 55 yrs and it has been a

my reasoning to measure the  
future by the passed and I think  
it a wise thing do we family all are  
for them selves and conditions & life  
are taking a change & as it is  
our good luck I have the reasoning  
power why not use them and here  
how it stands as I look it 3 score  
and 10. is the life of man & we have  
gone over that - I mark and that is  
the coming of the great change &  
it will be there in due time and  
right here I suggest - that you &  
I don't like take the train out see  
the old home place this summer  
so many more chances and don't  
turn it down as you did the trip  
on the last. There may be more than  
one chance but it is very doubtful.  
If you think you can't stand it don't  
do it. That is the reasonable way to  
look at it. You should know as far as  
have made many a trip & who  
knows better than you as to the  
place where you can get it done and  
I suggested but it may cost a  
little but to have every thing looked

The place is not looking as good  
as before when you come over as coming  
for me not getting someone to clean  
up. I can't do as much in one day  
as I have done in less than an hr.  
I'll do the best I can and I think you  
will like the place when you see it.  
The well is down 40 ft. & will be no  
deeper at present and the pumping  
by air does not furnish the water  
that can be had with a different  
pump. Have not had a drop of water  
in Dingle yet & the lot is very  
dry. The black locusts are blooming in prof.  
on the S. of house & E. & N. end they are in  
full bloom as in spots on both  
sides the French red are pretty well  
out. Cherries plums & Apple trees are the  
fullies I had ever seen. But we had  
a white frost last night but I  
guess it did no damage K.D. got  
his house working hard got it to way to  
the Square & I've not run it yet  
but it seems to be pretty nice so they  
say and will be OK when done

Well I have not got my bed home  
yet Mamie is coming slowly back I  
guess & Helen & I can well be home  
to day or to morrow. Helen will only  
stay a wk & return to Provo as she  
has a job w/ the Library for the  
Summer. P. & Horsley are having  
a lot of talk about diet & exercise  
& no one has found out just what  
it is Mammy, many are doing

Well I have to quit as my side is  
starting to bother me & I planted a lot  
of ash seed & I've not stopped to  
see just how my garden is but  
am pretty sure it needs looking  
after so well quit Post no more  
and I love Dadd & kids

Add much love to you  
Will



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Hill to Nora -  
Philas organizing  
about family  
and life.