

Seeing I will not be able  
to water for a few days  
yet I will do that so  
not to look any time  
I have been only about  
10 min writing this note

It is Sunday morning  
& you may think I am  
not very busy but I have  
been entertaining my company  
& have just felt how my feet  
a moment to write to you &  
be ready to take it with  
to day I am well & shall  
love you the same I'll be true  
before you love

Alm Ever Yours  
J. H.



L. D. Rancho  
Miss. Travis & Crocker

My dear friend  
I have rec<sup>d</sup> your letter from  
you since writing ~~the~~ ~~one~~  
long ago & very interesting  
I feel ashamed to send you  
such short ones in return  
but you know I have not the  
time to write much here  
the ranch I have so much to  
do that it takes all my time  
I have been busy this last week  
past but have firm's business  
success I got my dist<sup>n</sup>  
done some yesterday & the

water through & all side  
ditches finished all in ready  
to turn the water on  
as soon as needed I will  
not be down till I have  
finished watering for the  
first time My wheat does  
not look so very well it  
has been so very cold  
for the last few days we  
had quite a snow storm  
here yesterday & a very  
heavy frost last night  
I will be down as soon  
as possible I must go to  
Blackfoot soon I expect  
I intend going South

But do not know when  
I must not have things  
now till I get them in  
a better shape I guess you  
are waiting anxiously  
Call Archie I will not  
be able to get to Loga  
on the 10 let alone get  
Snake R - but will do  
as soon as possible  
Will you ask you to  
me not to work so hard  
have not this trip but I will  
keep from doing a little  
I have rocks & trail hand  
got the foundation for  
my house I am going  
to narrow it soon