

Good letter to read
at the reunion

I will not trouble you with a long
missive this time I thought I
would write soon & not so long &
you would like it better I have
been a very little time writing this
note. If I go tomorrow I shall
have several letters to write & could
not write more this time

Do not give up your music
even if you do not have much
time take all you can spare
& keep practicing. Do not teach your
self out of spirits before & come over
I want to see you looking
lovely & cheerful bright & happy. Keep
a good spirit & think well of me
is all I have to ask this time

From Your True Friend

W. D. Pease

I did not get to go to bed - was sick all
day am not very well now have a very
bad cold. April the 28

L. D. Ranch
Idaho Ter.

My dear friend Anna

Yours of the 26th
at hand and glad to hear from you
I thank you for your humbleness, but
it was hardly worth your while
as I did not request it. I never
once doubted your earnestness &
always believe what you said. If
ever I do doubt you. I shall let
you know immediately. This I
never expect, it has never crossed
my mind, that you were
false & God forbid that it
never shall. I know that it
is much easier to win a girl's
affections than to retain them
I never try. If I should fascinate

some unfortunate one, & I do, I always
aim to treat them as tenderly
as I can & show them that I
honor & revere but cannot return
their love. I have met with such
characters in my life & I hope
they are heart whole to say. With
you it quite different when I first
met you I was attached to you &
every day since that attachment
has grown stronger. As for trying
to keep your love I shall never try
I believe it stronger without
any silly exertion. True love never
tells, I mean love like little Doves.

If any one should win you (I
hardly think possible) why that is
the man for you, I would say:

And you will always find me
the same at all times. I can say
with a clear conscience that I never
wronged a person in my life
by trifling with their love &
do not wish to commence now

As for me being a second F. L.
I hardly think I am but I
may not judge correctly, we will
leave that to you when I see you
I have a good time with F.,
when we are together but we are
seldom to gather of late, we are apart
most of the time, we were to gather
to day all alone & had a good
time reading & discussing
questions of different issue
was in doors all day. Tomorrow I
shall go to Montpelier on business
& the next day he will go to St Charles
so it is, visa versa. The reason
why I get my mail at M
I have been having most of my
business to do there. I shall have
all of my mail come to St Charles
here after. I am thinking I will
hardly get to go to Montpelier
tomorrow on account of the R
they say it is 4 in. higher than



Mrs. E. Crockett
Pogon
Utah

It has never occurred to my
mind & God forbid
that it never shall

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