

Dingle Dell Idaho

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Dear Adoring Wife & Babe

Yours a letter of 29th

so just came to hand today the
Kerry news & I was helping cutting
hawl post from the switch and was
at the store & got both I was glad
& hear from you it is quite late
& I had just had supper & thought
I would write & send to conference
folk to know to get about time
to haul hay I am getting along
very well haying I have got one
large stack across the end of
line I want to finish as soon as
possible & get to work making a
mowing I am doing well in the
house & standing I work well

If I fail I dont know what
I will do as I am quite worried
about you teaching I think it best
not to teach just think how our
boys will be left alone none
can see to them like a mother
& no one of them should get
hurt some way or any thing happen
what would be the solution some
you can be compensated for your
work & my services we know
please dont teach & I will promise
you to make money enough to
pay our debts as sure as there
is a God & I believe with his
help your prayers I know I
can do it Now dont teach &
stay at home with your mother
& take good care of my boys
& I will call & see you a few
days before starting out then
the money shall be paid & made

honestly & fairly & before 10 mo.
you will be astonished if I know
you are safe & well I can work
& you may depend I will but
remember you & babes must
be safe & in good care & you look
after them & this off my mind
& the rest will be by the by some
much more easily than I
at teach at Boston. I did not
think you would teach even
in To you but I believe you intend
to do so If my letter has no
weight with you just stop
& consult your good sense
& be directed by it & it will
surely will say don't teach
I shall bring over 12 of the best
copies & call for you as your
own & have with Archib & the
rest I shall do rise of some
way to but I can & the
out debts must be paid in
cash before the year closes

The 31 you wanted to know
well it took till Friday night
to get through + it cost \$60 I had
it made in paper - down
of any size At any rate handle
the case + I will give you the
other \$10 on the 31 if it is impossible
before Regarding the subpoenas
for witnesses Can you make them
out and let me serve them +
save all cost possible I want
no one for ~~George Bird~~
George Bird and J. P. Newland
Johnston Contact with Mr. D.
and Chas. and me but I think
it will cost more not but Dr. W.
Grimmett said he would pay
what it cost + more if I work
for my preference up to \$50 I
will come out all right with your
prayers + God's blessings I know
all will be well I can't allow this
it is for you + I hope I may do
hardly but it was this or he would
+ Co. for this I will there is no
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