

24 April 1886
Still → Nora in
Logan

Montpelier Idaho
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Dear Ma

I am a little late in getting this letter off It has been on account of being so buisy I do not think it wise for you to start right a way If David is in Logan when you get this letter you can go as far as Preston + then wait till Mon. a week then I think you will have a pleasant time but now the roads are bad + it will take so long to make it The furniture has come + is in M - now I have not got the house done yet have had a carpenter every since Mon. + two yesterday My getting in so late has put be a way behind and I had to higher men + will have to get more I am afraid for the weather looks squally I am real well I dont think I will weigh over 180^{lbs} or 185 - I have not had a letter from you for such a long time I hope you are well I would like to see you off well Be good to yourself + dont come in the wagon if you think you cant stand it Frank has not turned up yet so you had better come by way of Soda I dont think they can get through B. S. to get It looks like rain today + I have got to shingle too

I must meet Stewart at the river
this morning 20 min before sunrise so
will not write much Be good to yourself
& do as I have said get to Preston & wait
till the first No. May before starting

This is all

Good Bye

From Your Loving
Will

While sitting here on the bank of the river
I will write you a few lines. The next to
the last letter I got from you was the best
you have ever written. I took the greatest of
pleasure in reading it. It made me think of old
times & of different days. Times have not changed
much but they have changed some. Instead of
writing to the one that was to be mine I am writing
to the one that is mine. — I have caught a bad
cold waiting here & Stewart has not come yet &
it looks like it would run on a few moments the
Sun is just coming up & I have been here quite
a little while. The log dam sitting on a wet
& not a very good seat & the river air is cold
& damp & if Stewart don't come soon I will not
wait much longer. I want to send this today
You may not get it before No. Good Morning
Will,