

I have them write to me.

Tell John to write
me all about the
Wagwagging people

I must close now
wishing you & every
good health & spirits

Tell mother to
take good care
of her gaslings &
raise a good lot
for I want a worst
goose when I come
to see her. Tell her
to write a long
letter about all
My she can think of
& all she can't
think of.

Yours truly
S.E.Y.
Sarah

I must write a little

for your benefit before I seal my letter for
this week. Not much benefit I hear you saying,
well for your amusement then. I was glad
to hear from you, if it was a short letter, but hope
you will write a long enough one next time to
make it up. And asked me to speak a good
word for you if I heard of a district in want
of a teacher. Will they want one in this district
& J's folks says you had better come & take the
school. The school house stands on a high bluff
so that you can get plenty of air, & can see
miles & miles from there. So hurry along.

I think by what you wrote population must
be increasing fast your way, thinks more will
have to leave there & come west soon, or
Br. S. will be overstocked. What is the most
important news from the east this week?
H. says just come out, & there will be no need
of looking far for leaux, for there are lots

I wrote
to Al
last
week
telling
him
when
you
see him
tell him
I suppose
he has
got it by
this time
though
see

of right smart chances in this neighborhood
I often say I wish you or Mac was here to go out
looking for flowers with me, & J's folks laugh
& say I would not have you long if you came
out here, for you would get married in a
week or two. I was down to Jess's yesterday, &
Mrs. John Hopkins & son was there, what I
write about them to you for it is we wish when
you or Cherey sees Albert you would tell
him the Hopkins are all well. James Henry
said he wanted to see Albert very much,
~~and~~ Please tell A. when you see him.

By the way there is a chance for you, for James
Hopkins is an only son & is single. They live
some 12 or 15 miles from J's (west), I believe.

I think I shall send you w "Mandrake" or "May
Apple" leaf in this. It is a curious looking
plant & they say it has small yellow apples
on it, some like them to eat. I will send
you & Ch. some flowers that I think pretty as of-
ten as I can if you would like to have them.
I hope you will write often & long letters,
for letters are cheering to us wanderers in
the far distant west. Give my love to all
inquiring friends tell them I should like to