

Palo Alto
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My dearest:

Plans are changed again, now the question before the house is - I am to have an interest in the Brown's Valley mine, the one Nailor talked of last winter, Pa & Thof is to put up the money for development, Nailor & I to run it, each to have 1/4 int. after development money is paid back, but we are to have wages during prospecting time.

Every thing is cut & dried except the present owner, signing the bond, which, of course, he will; "maybe".

Well, if he signs I am going up to Mary's Ville in a day or so & will wire you to come. You check your baggage to Marysville via Sacramento & I will meet you. When do you think Sterlie will be well enough to stand the trip?

I wired you yesterday about 20 min before your message came, stating Sterling's change for the better, I was certainly pleased to hear such good news. When you start, wire me when you will arrive at Sacramento, so I can be on hand.

If bond is settled to-day & Brown's Valley is the dope, I will write you a "note", so you will be on the look out for things any day.

It's as clear as summer to-day, every thing green & lovely sun bright & warm

Chas & Travis having lots of fun, I never see Tom, Lou in Angels now for a few days.

I may take a run up to city to see Aunt Kate & girls.

Best love to my sweetheart now & allways

Yours

Paul