My dear wife:

You will have learned from my no. 3. before this reaches you, the mistake about the coxen, had been discovered here before you wrote.

It was a bundle on the part of the agent of Adam, Esq. Church, by a new express driver, who was made to believe by them, that their express and the Esq. pair the same. So, instead of leaving the box, where he was ordered to, he left them at the Ad Esq. Office. I'm Church promised to make it all right, but as, if he does, he will lose about half the charge, I am not sure that some objection will not be raised when we come to arrange the business. I am glad you got the box, so promptly. I am in good order. I think you will find the box, if you do not you will have to get another made: I have not seen it there since the machine was taken apart.

I gave the Mr. Es a chance to buy the furniture, but understood from them that he did not wish to buy anything so expensive.
After the funeral the piece for which it had been sold to, at first, expressed the regret that he had not known that I owed there sold for so little, but afterwards concluded that he did not wish to pay so much. I inferred it to sell to the other party, because the money was paid in hand. He would probably have wanted time and as he is expecting a good deal of money for it, he might have been more trouble in getting it when wanted. The gentleman did not look mean to sell when brought into the light from some friends. Having been married less than two years, it came suddenly both the way for wear. My rooms are very comfortable, but misleading your feeling altogether the most stirring of any in the government. Indeed they look so comfortable that I hope to be able to interest some of the remainder of my property in some simple terms; should I leave the place.

I hope some time to get away yet, see what I do for some time. I wish to see what is to be done about the designation of Bayou Smith fish. If when this is done, I can not gone into the field, I shall apply to have my

Third quarter transferred to some other post.

We had our fish boil with the Indians yesterday. It was very warm when we started and the wind was very light. But when we were around the lake yesterday, we were blown by quite a gale to keep a couple of wgs. The wind rose to Barry Williams', and made him a good wind. He has been running some rotating implement this spring. Did you write a post piece to the county store, which things about the men of the place? I sent them you did, and how sorry you didn't have a good boat of it, the first day out was pretty well; very good on it, when you can row. It is the last letter I saw of our pastor, by Christmas, I think the year. It was bought at Kansas and cost $300. Mr. W. Davis told me, in an expectant condition, the first time for ten years, when the two little boys came. I believe they are both well pleased with the situation. I was there the few minutes. In the evening a party of ladies went out fishing, then we, quite a few, however, and I believe, they didn't stay out very long. But coming to come back close you.

This with Benzie Bay, I don't go. I had had enough, sailing for one day, at any rate.
Nothing of any interest to you has happened since
my last, either in the town or village, that I care
to say, Knowledge. I have not called at the Banks
park yet, but shall make a vigorous effort to do so
this evening. I don't remember whether I gave
account your picture or not - my impression is that
I did not, but one may have been sent him as
an acknowledgment of his kindness in lending to May
the instruction for making photographs. By the way, the first
time I go to the city I mean to buy a little work for
May on this subject, which has just been published.
As it only costs ten cents, I think I can bear the expense
myself. I sent you two numbers of Harper's Weekly to
that you might keep up with "Hard Cash." I sent you another
number by this mail. If I did not send the right number
of which I have some doubt at the moment and I sent the
other one if I can find it if you have not got search.
If any one is taking the Weekly at your further, I will not buy
it, as I can spare the reading of it so easily.
I wrote fully about the fence in one of my letters, No 3.
I think I suggested that Geo. Atkinson be hired to do it by the day
the paint to be bought for him. That is the cheapest plan which
occurs to me. I wrote to John Howard and both
Brown on Sunday last, have you heard anything
of the latter. The whopping cough will keep you from hear-
ing from the latter for some time. I wrote to them about
buying my law books, and the payment of the seventh note.
I wish you would try to find that one bill for furniture
against Bryan (OP) and get yourself a bureau of you want
one. The price of the book case on the south side of the liv-
ing room is come out of it, but there are at least twenty-
other lines still due. I paid 50% for the one bill, so this furniture
will not be very expensive. If you think Bryan asks too much
on his bureau I suppose you can use the one bill in some
other store. I think you will find the one bill in one of my