

Seymour July 1. 1859  
Dear Frank

Your letter with  
the Corn & meat of Carcass safe  
and I hope will last us  
some time.

The river has got out of  
the banks & overflowed my  
road so that we could not  
get to the post office since  
your letter came to hand  
we are free from water  
and busy cutting nail timbers  
& building Calves, & have  
enough meat to last us until  
March, at which time you  
can send some Lids, I will  
let you know at what point  
to ship them before that time  
I expect a new settler to come  
in soon at the point where our  
road strikes the river