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Chinese Camp ~~Nov~~ June 4th

Dear Wife

I did not succeed in making the trade with Mr. Moore and come to Chinese there has been a funeral here to day Mr. Byrnes has buried his two youngest one of them to day it is very sickly here amongst children principally I am going where Frank is in a day or two should go to morrow but Charley has got lame so I cant go Frank was here two days ago I dont know for certain yet whether I shall bring any Hogs here or not Mike is going alone to morrow and see whether we can sell any I will write you again in a few days if the Chinaman comes tell him that I did buy any Hogs they were not fat

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