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(arnsville) he urged me to go + see you
saying he believed you would supply my
deficiency of money. I really did not
wish to make myself burdensome visiting
my friends + if you ever knew me, you
knew that I would pay my way. I
could not sell my land while there
so I improwised a man to sell my land
for me. I got a letter from him last week &
he said he had not sold it yet so I wrote
him immediately not to sell it as I
should go there next spring should I
live until spring as I can not stand
the cold nor hot weather here any longer
Your brother William says he will go
out there with me + do not expect to
return to this country again but stay
there until I die near Puget Sound.
Now I want very much that you
should write me a letter since I have
known where ^{you} was I have written
2 or 3 times + I have got no answer. I
think perhaps you was busy or do as
I do many times + let it slip + forget it but
I do not know but you have some