

Aug 28. Cool well. Pleasant & cool. but not much sun for another warm day.
 The office remains damp that of Billie Johnson has been fixed by the
 Christian Church. Good on your
 for a year is peace of Remembrance & pray for the do he is out of the way. Good on your
 thought of his going in her. Send you or note need yesterday from the
 your letter on all I got. I think like let the ranch another note in the present;
 drive & hear nothing from the Grand office. We have had a notice up. to wait on
 nominations, I was from the local work paper that the Indian opposition fall
 had not passed. I believe the Indians are putting another house under, I presume
 they found. The relations are getting more peaceful but they still want about 7500 gal.
 through they don't get it. I can get some on a Monday & will send you some. I hope you
 have a good one.

Warm Springs Agency Oregon Aug 27 1890

Dear Mama

Your long, loving, letter, lately written came
 to hand to day, as I rather expected it would and many
 thanks for the same, and for mailing it so I could get
 it Wednesday. I am so thankful you are not here this
 continued hot weather. Yesterday and to day have been
 very warm and warm well into the night. It is now
 after 9 and is just beginning to be pleasantly cool.
 I generally go to bed by 9 o'clock, and get up from 5 to
 5.30. No it would not take any urging to get me to go to
 bed were I there now. We mailed the annual reports &
 census rolls yesterday morning. Yesterday and to day I
 have been writing my own and Mr Sampsons report
 of the school work under our charge for the year
 ending June 30 1890. My report - took 7 pages legal cop
 Mr S took 4 pages. I blocked out Mr S and then he made
 out a copy. While I was working on his, he was filling
 out the census rolls for the "eleventh census", or that -

I wish I could see Billie with his hand cut short. I am afraid
 the little red - will be for getting me. If you have run of my pictures for me
 best of I will send one of the smallest ones. I have not time to the annual meeting
 this year.

taken by the Government all over the country. Mr
Suckey had the work partly done before our return, and he
wanted me to finish it. Mr Lestes name goes on in the morn-
ing to be Clerk. He told me last night he wanted to buy
my place next spring. He did not like to sell his property
back home, just yet. In the mail today there came to the
P.M. a pamphlet and poster of the North Pacific Industrial
Exposition, ^{to be} held at Portland Sept 25 to Oct 25. Sam
proposed that we go. I and Mr Suckey to go first and then
when we returned he would go. In looking over the paper
I saw that Oct 22 was "Pioneers Day" and that Oles &
King had offered a silver plated ice water pitcher to the
oldest native Oregonian born of white parents, present that
day. I made up my mind immediately and talked the
matter over with Mr Suckey & Sam. Sam will go about
1st of Oct. and then Mr L & I will go about the 15th. We want
to go over the mountains by the Barlow road. We can
make it in 3 days. Should remain a few days after the
22nd on your account Mr L will bring a back load of supplies
home and I will return by the Dalles. I think I will come
about the right time to be there on your account. I am going to
work to this plan any way. Can tell better how to arrange it
when the time comes. Well I must close for tonight, with
more joyful thoughts in mind, than I have had since you left me
will write a little more in the morning Lovings Papa

when I got a letter from
The slip you sent me referred to the Umaticla Reservation, that is
Pauwels Indian regarding Mr Suckey's