Port Angeles W. T. July 12th 1869

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Dr. Sir

Your favor of 2 7th inst. is at hand & contents noted on 7th inst.

I am now sorry that I sent you the last order for goods although it was but a small one, for the reason that since I have made up my mind to quit here in consequence of there being so very little doing. I must say that I with many others, not resident here, have been disappointed this far that this place has not improved as yet. Eventually it is bound to be a place of some importance. But for the next 2

or 3 yrs. it needs some stimulus, which it has not, to create a business. In view of this & having studied the matter over thoroughly I concluded to waste no more time here. Last week I rec'd a letter from my brother in Yube City Idaho, in which he urges me to go up there on the grounds that I have far better openings there. He has invited me strongly for 2 or 3 mos. to quit here & go there. He has been there 18 mos. He is mining & is pretty successful. Before I go I shall send you what money I can possibly spare. I have two lots here which I shall not sell. You may remember a remark I made in one of my first letters to you, viz: "that a Dollar you will never lose by me" & I shall never see a word of it falsified, for I know & feel what true honor is.

Yours Respect. & N. J. King

I do not intend to go for a mo. I shall get there goods all right.