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I wonder if you like to have me write you so often? I can't help it - and I only wish I had a letter to answer as often as I wish to write - but "business before pleasure" I know is your motto so I must not complain if I don't get more than one letter in five or six weeks when you are away. We are well that is myself and the children - Ma has been quite sick she is getting better but rather low spirited and discouraged. Pa is having considerable rheumatism lately - he has been attending election today & tonight has gone to Cleveland. we had a call from Dan yesterday - was glad to hear from him that you was well –

Our Boys are improving very fast and are very interesting little darlings - I love you all so much my little family. may we all be spared for many years to each other - If our Charlie could have been spared us - today he would have been seven years old - what a nice boy he would have been - dear little one how happy he is.

How glad I shall be when you can come home and see us. Your affectionate Wife

Frank.

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General J. S. Casement My Dear Uncle

Quite likely you are very busy with this days business of election but by the time this reaches you that will pass and you will find leisure to read this and perhaps will rejoice with me in my being restored to health and a life something different from the one of this past summer. I leave today for sister Kates. I am in debt at the cure \$93.00 Can you please furnish that amount without too great inconvenience so that I can feel myself well and also out of debt and then I shall feel that I have indeed a grand stand in life once more.

When you told me last July to ask for funds when I needed them I had not the remotest thought that I should consume all that you then furnished, in that 6 mo. [?] But after all I was very sick and instead of wondering that I am so long getting well, I do think it more strange that I am alive and at last well.

With much love and the deepest gratitude I am Your Neice (sic)

Emily J. Hull

P.S. I would write more but tis nearly train time and when I am at Kates. I can write at length Address Cheshire Ontario Co.

Winion Pacific Pailroad. Po-Office J.S. C. B. T. CASBRITT. Greineyer Nov 6 " 1868 My Dear Mile Office from have been over to Bear River got Hathers Disputch last night Our work is getting along very well except trucklinging we are bothing to get Muterial to Keep us agoing weare Thaning Every nerve to get into Salt Lathe bally hefore the heavey Invert fall thirty More days of good weather will let us do it the melians are on the Kampage Einst of us and are detarring brains Un Ments are very irregular don't get one a mik Importether of much and realize That For Thust this there. I hope to write of tenes in future I will go up the line again tomorrow we are distributing and laying this 40 Miles a head of the brack are furishing greating and trying to accumulate uniter Supplies all at the Same Time, Plove don Most Deurly Darling and hope to be with Jon Jour Hij the little Durlingsfor me how I would lik to be nith youall to day Love to all at home I hope Mother is better Foel Blip and Keep Jon Happy

Union Pacific Railroad. Office J.S. & D.T. Casement.

Granger Nov 6th 1868

My Dear Wife

I have just got back to the office. have been over to Bear River. got Fathers dispatch last night. Our work is getting along very well -except tracklaying. we are bothered to get material to keep us agoing. we are straining every nerve to get into Salt Lake Valley before the heavy snows fall. Thirty more days of good weather will let us do it. The Indians are on the rampage east of us and are detaining trains. Our mails are very irregular don't get one a week. I miss your letters so much and realize that you must miss mine. I hope to write oftener in future. I will go up the line again tomorrow. we are distributing and laying ties 40 miles ahead of the track. are finishing grading and trying to accumulate winter supplies all at the same time. I love you most dearly darling, and hope to be with you soon. Kiss the little darlings for me. how I would like to be with you all today. Love to all at home. I hope Mother is better. God bless and keep you happy Jack

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My Dear Husband.

I cannot tell you how the letter I received from you tonight gladdened my heart. I have wished and looked so many days for a letter and every day been disappointed. No wonder I had a touch of the blues once in awhile-for last night when I went to bed and thought that you had been gone six weeks and I had had but one letter from you - I could not help feeling (as <u>Johnny</u> says) "<u>real bad</u>"- but I hope now I shall hear oftener-Ma is improving slowly but some the time she seems quite discouraged and low spirited-I have imagined myself about sick today but your letter seemed to work like a charm and I have felt better ever since it came. Our boys are well-Johnny is learning very fast. I hardly think it can be called improvement some of the time for he has been about with the boys enough to use some pretty big words - and he does not blunder much over them either. they seem to come along quite easy & natural.

Johnny is all the time improving and grows too though he does not get very fleshy and large. he is a bright-looking little fellow. Dan & Mary took tea with us last Saturday evening - Dan left tonight - you will probably hear all the news before this reaches you. I send you a letter I received from Emily Hall to be forwarded to you. Dan saw it & I expect attended to the business part of it- she must be rejoiced - and I hope her recovery will be lasting- I have not written her but once since you was home- I will soon- my time has been pretty well occupied in Ma's sickness & attending to the babies.

Koke Chesney is to be married to Thomas Hoves next Wednesday - reception from 3 to 5 oclock- I shall go if I can leave my children long enough - but they are more fretful in the after noon than any other time. Last Friday evening the warehouse at the Furnace burned - it was filled with stoves patterns & c- The fire caught in the engine room. Old Mr Weaver was buried today.

Dr Brinkerhoff & his wife were here Thursday afternoon- the Dr says he can pay you the money he owes you now - but he thinks of going west this fall to settle & if he should it would be a great accommodation to him to use the money for two or three years and pay the interest on it each year. I told him I would write you & perhaps he would see you before he went.-----

My dear Jack I wish you would try and write to me as often as you can for it does me lots of good to have a few encouraging words from you. I love you dearly and hope you can be at home with us all winter.

Your loving Wife Frank.

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Union Pacific Railroad. Office J.S. & D.T. Casement.

Granger Nov 15th 1868

My Dear Wife

I am waiting for a train to take me to end of track. it is the first moment I have had where I could get writing material. I am very well except a few rheumatic pains in my joints. I have just all the work I am able to do and will have for about three weeks more then if all is right I hope to leave here for you and the boys. Dan is here but we have all we both can do. I will go to Bear River tomorrow to put up a building for our supplies. we will abandon this one as soon as the track reaches Bear River. we have a very large force at work and being so far from where we get provisions it stands us in hand to be provident. I want to see you so bad and I want to see mother. Poor woman how much she does suffer. Dan has made me homesick talking about Johnny & Danny. the little cubs how I do love them and their patient good mother. Keep as happy as you can a few more days and I will be with you no preventing Providence. The weather is most favorable for our work but we have been delayed by bridges and want of material or we would have been in to Salt Lake vally (sic) before this time. you need not send my cup as I hope to be home before it would reach me by express. Our mails are very irregular but please keep writing as your letters are my only comforts, give my love to all at home and kisses to the little ones. God Bless and Keep you Happy

Jack

The Marine of the second of the second Pamesville Ohio. Nov. 22 met 1868. My Dean Hous barrel " He han been an long time sence I have swritten good et erear tim sverks cam be called a tong time. Invest of the line I have endt felt as though I could write a letter and ond hear eng from you as often as I would like has bude me mme & more blue. but a say or two ago I received south a kind Loring Lellier from you that I feel smoch better but I sincerely tope before This reaches you d'ohall have gon in kug anno at home where I can Edjay you & my brys to eny hearts contents in the aren all pretty well trow - ma is about

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My Dear Husband.

It has been a long time since I have written you if near two weeks can be called a long time- most of the time I have not felt as though I could write a letter and not hearing from you as often as I would like has made me more & more blue, but a day or two ago I received such a kind loving letter from you that I feel much better - but I sincerely hope before this reaches you I shall have you in my arms at home where I can enjoy you & my boys to my hearts content.

We are all pretty well now - Ma is about the house again - the children are very well - Johnny is remarkably tough & behaves like a hard boy of four years - you will not have an opportunity to get very lazy this winter if you do your whole duty by him. Danny improves very fast, I have been twice to have John's picture taken. the last one I am pretty well satisfied with & I shall have some printed when there is a pleasant day - we have been having a storm & some snow - I have been thinking if you have by this time a hard snow storm you will probably hurry up your business & be home soon- I shall be so glad to see you. I gave Anna a short call since she came home- have not had time to hear all the story but conclude you did your best to entertain them while they were at the end of track. Kate Chesney is married, she had a pleasant wedding at least I enjoyed it very much - I expect I have more pleasure when I do go out than I would if I was constant by going, she was married in the afternoon and had a reception from three to five, left at six for Milwaukee.

Pa says there was a report in town last night that Tom Roberts was dead - I wonder how true it is. I hear they [crossed out] Mr R- & his family are to reside in Chicago.

Dear Jack how glad I shall be to have you home. if you can only stay I love you more than I can tell.

Your Wife Frank.