

Steamer Empress July 29th 1840

Dear Carry I have just finished a letter for uncle James and don't feel very sleepy I will write you a few lines. —
You mentioned in your letter that you had been to back run to the singing school and don't know when else but I am ahead of all of that. When do you think I was yesterday and to day, at a Camp Meeting in Indiana about one mile from New Albany. I was introduced to three ladies, one of them a flaming widow — but I told her to keep off that I was engaged. —

We leave in the morning for N. Orleans and from there to Saint Louis we expect to run in that trade all the summer. So if you write to me you must direct your letters there. —

I expect to get letters from Texas when we get down if so I will send them to you. When I wrote to Pa I told him we would start on Wednesday evening but we have been disappointed in getting freight. We have now a very fine freight and a good many passengers. That you know will

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