

Saint John N.B. April 4th 1859
Mr Dawson

Dear Sir

I received yours of the fifth of March and would have answered it before now but the man you wished to know about is not in St John and I heard that he was working at the Bend so I wrote to a friend that I have there to give me some information about him and I received a letter from him yesterday saying that he thought the man I wished to know about was there he has been there this some time he says, and his Address will be James Garvin
Lacisville. Moncton. N. B. ^{Ship Street}

We were sorry to hear that you had all been so very poorly but we fondly hope that you are all ^{at present} enjoying good health again this leaves Agnes and I in the enjoyment of good health for which we have reason to be thankful.

Dear Uncle

As John has just
dropped the pen so I thought I would
add a few lines. I suppose you
would think the answer to your last
long of reaching you but John
only received an answer to your
his inquires yesterday

Looking over the direction John
has put down I thought it out
very plain and so far as I can
make out it is

Louisville, Indiana
I believe it is a small village
up the Creek I was happy
to learn that you were all in
the way of improving in your
health we are quite well
and if nothing prevents I
would like very much to go
on to Dixon for a visit
through the summer do

To the Wise Disposer of all events

We are moving along in the year
Just now pretty smart we have about
40 or 50 men employed but how things
will turn out it is not easy to say
as the times dont look very bright yet
However we will hope for the best

Agnes joins with me in kind regards
For you all

I remain yours truly
John Stewart

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I would be most
happy to hear of some of you
coming to ~~pay~~ see us soon
Do you think you will
not make it convenient to come
on this summer, and I
would endeavour if George
accompanied you to pay him
every attention and care

He will be happy to hear
from you soon

I remain Yours &c
Stones

John Stewart
& Alfred 1859
referred to Mr. S
12 of 1859