

Inupiat Wood Farm

June 28th 94

Dearest - Clara,

After three days
of thunder storms, the weather
has cleared up & the thermom-
eter today has not been under
above 80° & the air feels alive
once more & pleasant. Ice
looks brighter, & we are going
to try a drive this P. M. - As
the drives go round mountains
& back again, (I think the
roads are too narrow to let
them turn,) & 6 or 7 miles seem
to be about - the shortest, &
we shall try the one which
goes down the little Bayou
River. They call it - (Boh-k-) &
then, ^{across &} drives along this side of
Ct. Discovery. & back again.

about half the days go - I have been more
there last 7 days than for years back
I do not know think I have plenty to write -
visions about - see I think we also have
reason to be so - but we must not put a
massy, even so - It is better to take all our
troubled thoughts begin to lessen - by raising
if this would work in that way - but we
wondering if we make up the loss slowly
each day with us - the presence of our
when you get all of us - before you try to take
no other of the place - & I hope you
not - hurrying & you mind about all the
matters as - matters - I do like you well
take direction from you & take courage &
well help all the others - I do you very
reasonable, if we do not - then the difficulties
has motion has not - but see a
with \$20.00 expense to you for
see

The mountains I repeatedly
sketched were looking West &
North - but. Discovery is to the East
but we cannot see it from
the house on account of trees &
berms - but there is a lovely
view of it from below the house
for the meadow, or above from
the hill & I will try sketch
it soon - yesterday I dabbled
in a pretty cloud effect, there
was a panorama of them all
day long - but - we are so busy
here we cannot always
sketch. Out of the hammock!
Review! take it - clear - Read
a bit - get a glass of milk out
of the refrigerator - Pick a
few flowers, carry a chair
round out of the wind, get a
shovel - Pack out medicine
ready for dinner - Read a
little more - Write one or two
letters get a little more milk
talk a little to Corrad Wire.
Stars coming on - Ken up, shut
bedroom windows - That is

The lawyer speaking was rather
bad at it, & the woman they were
trying was fat & oldish, they had
tried her for murdering the old
farmer whom she was housekeeper
& acquitted her of that, & now they
are trying her for forging a will,
in which all his property was left
to her. The judge & two side judges
sat up on a platform, but having
no wigs, or gowns, or any trappings,
they looked very common also -
only one, even had spectacles, I
much prefer a well dressed
judge - there is a little prison
next to the court, & two parlour
benches were sitting behind the bars
trying to get a little air, I was in
a hurry to get back as I think I
sh^d have asked to be let in to say
a word of comfort to the poor souls
There is a lending library here, open
every Friday - & two cents a week
for books taken out -

Eric thinks I have found out
all about the place except what
is growing in one patch down
by the river, & I always forget to
inquire about that, & he asks me
now & then if I know yet what is
growing there - They have a
wonderful way of measuring
here with a tin horn! There
is a puzzle for you - These mysterious
sims articles can only be had of
peddlars who come round, & if one
dies, I shall certainly buy one
for grandmama - for they seem
very good to me - I ingenious

Love to all dear &
much for yours from
Mother