

Soda Creek

Oct 6th 1875

G. M. Dawson Esq

Dear Sir

I received your letter dated 2nd here today, I am sorry about your Indians not doing as well as I expected.

As it will be some days before I can send a train to Fort George, on account of our freight being delayed on the road from Gale. It is now out 36 days and no signs of its arrival yet. However you had better take what horses you require from the train which has come from Fort George. Take Perfecto the Spaniard with you. He will take good care of the animals.

In case the train has passed
Blackwater. I will send a
man back with the horses
you require for your trip to
Fort George.

I will go to Duesville
tomorrow and then forward
any mail that is there for
you to Blackwater. If
you go to Fort George as
soon as ~~there~~ you get your
animals. You will have some
time there before the mule
train will get there. I
expect about the 20th Oct,
it will arrive there. You
would then have some days
to explore, and return with
the train.

I have been expecting
Mr. Smith since the 2nd at
this point but he has not

yet put in an appearance.

The weather here has been extremely cold with about two inches of snow. Since your were here a quartz vein has been discovered which assays \$45-dollars to the ton of silver and \$80 dollars gold.

Hoping your delay will not cause you any inconvenience

I remain

Yours obt Servt
John Glassy

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