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Dear Mama and Papa:-

Guess the first thing in order is to congratulate you, papa, on the increase in salary- as you say the best things always come more unexpectedly. Looks like it ought to amount to about 1000.00 this summer, don't it?

I haven't been doing much this morning- haven't felt someway like settling down to work- went out to maywood to see a woman about the collection of a note- then went down to a second [[?]] store to see the proprietor, who bought some home [[?]] goods the other week which were under mortgage deed by one of my clients. The mortgage being on record when he bought then. would

bring [[?]], but the 2nd bond man has sold the goods already. So i guess I will have to see him in conversion. Is that right? Think [[?]] we will be able to come to some sort of a compromise, [[?]] Thats one of the cares which came to me Friday. Thursday a fellow came in wanting a divorce- will be a default case. He will be in on the first of the month. Then one of my Capitol Hill [[?]] was in yesterday to see about a small care involving about \$20.00. Wanted to know what his chances for recovery were- he said he would decide by the first of the week whatever he would [[?]][[?]] or not. Then I had and tried one trial last week. [[?]] it for a negro church against their treasurer who refuses to turn over funds in the treasury. Got judge ruled against him for \$18.00. Then during the week, I had a divorce trial- had it Monday and by Thursday evening had a property settlement agreement argued. Got about a thousand dollars wroth of property for the woman. Don't know just when I will get my fee from the woman, because she can't [[?]] money and the stuff I got for her consisted of form lost and the household furniture. Sunday School is dropping off now- i supposed on account of the hot weather- and besides so many people are leaving for the summer. Had fourteen boys in my class last sunday with 75 [cent symbol] collection. Had a meeting of the

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men's club Thursday night- it rained about all evening, but there were 18 present and we went ahead and adopted a constitution J.H.O. continues to please- [[?]] his [[?]] even not exactly what ~~we~~I enjoy. As long as he pleases [[?]] most of them, I stand high. Suppose you remember Harris of Perry, who went to run a [[dairy]] wagon and attended our church. Met him on the street Friday got him up to the office and we had a right good ~~talk~~- [[?]] I was very busy that morning. As regards [[?]], one o fly negro fiends promised to bring a woman to me the first of this week who wants a divorce-So you see I am in a fair way to become quite a "divorce lawyer". Glad to hear that the El Reno property is coming along as it should. Have been intending to write a [[?]] letter to mama, but the way things have been going I haven't had the time- so will ask you to forward this to mama. haven't heard from, you mama, yet- would like to be [[?]] that you got there safely. Haven't heard from Uncle Fred for a long time. Suppose they [[?]] getting along all O.K. As you can see, I have ran out of news an dos will close. Hope this finds you both well. your loving son,

Porter.

P.S.Probably you had telling everyone about \$60.00 in you next letter, papa.

P.H.M.