

Box 1, Folder 1, Item 18- Letter to Dick T. Morgan from [H.W. Powers] (1901 May 12)

Butte City California
May 12, 1901

Hon Dick T. Morgan
Perry O.K.

Dear Brother Morgan,

I have just read your letter in Pacific Christian and it reminds me of a purpose I had in mind to write you on a given point.

What is the latest date in which one may come and yet be there in plenty time of a chance, with every other home seeker, for a home?

In other words, granting I should decide to come, how long would I be safe in waiting before coming. Brother Morgan, I have never been on the fence so long in my life. I feel that somehow I ought to come and try for a house now that I have a family coming on. Again, I am so far away, the expenses are so heavy, breaking up housekeeping on a sacrifice of years of careful saving, and then perhaps get nothing, is enough to keep a fellow on the fence.

the reasons are about equal for and against

Give sister Morgan and Porter our love, returning abundance for yourself.

Mrs. Powers, Ruth and Winifred join me with best regards,

Yours Truly

H. W. Powers