

Spanish Fork March 14, 60

President B Young dear sir
dear sir it is with regret that i write to
you to bother or take up your time but
circumstances rather compell me at
this time and i hope you will excuse
me for i want to ^{doe right,} halving sold
my house and lot, ^{last winter,} for a set of saw mill
irons and have now home i wish to
to goe some place where i can make
it profitable to build a mill and make
lumber and be profitable to myself
and brethren and i will not goe to
any settlement made without
your sanction if i now it for i should
expect not to prosper if i did
therefore i wish to goe to a place where
it would meet your sanction, i will
mention a few places that i have been
told you ~~wished~~ to have settle'd this season
Cute crick some Springs 6 or 8 miles beyond
Sooy springs and the yellow stone
now if these places are to be settle'd this
season i am on hand to help but would
prefer the yellow stone if it meets
your sanction never the less your wish
is my will

Brother Brigham i am sorry to
have eased you to think that i
wanted to goe to a winter or any
other place without your sanction
or evin out to one side by myself
for i promised you to stay in the
settlements 3 1/2 years agoe and i have
not had a desire to goe out one side
since and would not on any consideration
but chastisement is good some times
to make us remember the lord and i
hope to once more gain your confi-
dence by keeping the commandmen^{ts}
of the Lord

please answer by the next mail if conven-
ient

i remain your friend and brother in
the gosple of christ

Peter Shirts

~~Answered March 20/60.~~

Went to go to a public
location to build a mill.

Dear Brother to Brigham

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