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Dear Chan - Recd your Letter the 26<sup>th</sup> answer by return Mail - If you cant get the money of Garskey without much trouble let him have it another year as you Suggest, but I had rather have an end of the matter now. I think myself, Schlander would be the right man to Have charge of the Marsh. If he will promise to do the best he can withit - Tell, or have somebody else tell, Sheils Bozo they will fool themselves if they don't buy the marsh as they did in buying the Poe place and the Webb place which were both very cheap, as the marsh is the only land they can get near them ~~for three times~~. If I were living there \$2000 would not buy it because I know it will soon be worth more - Tell Schlander I had often thought of writing to h im and will do so sometime - In regard to John Park I can only repeat what I said before - do by him as you do by Garskey get it if you can if not get his note with signer if you can both due about the same time and leave at said Bank for collection. Leave my address at the Bank - In regard to Emersons Note - do whatever Park thinks it is best to do . I have no Simpathy for any body as they do not deserve any (evidently) - but I suppose that is my Grand Child and when I am so inhuman as to have no love or pity for my children or Grand Children (Legitimate or Illegitimate) I hope to die. Poor child. Both Parents living and yet worse than an orphan. I have often thought It would be a good thing to have such a Bull and Heifers out here as you mention, but never knew what it would cost to procure them, and get them out here all right - If they did not cost too much It might pay you Just to raise Stock from yourself - I am afraid the people about here do not appreciate Blooded Stock enough to patronize them. A neighbour has got a tolerable Sort of a Short Horn Durham Bull but dont charge anything for the use of him. I was a delegate to the Co. Convention at Eugene the other day – did not get nominated for Sheriffe – saw Sams folks – all well. I have to work like a Beaver. So does Ma. No children to help us. I.W.P costs more than he comes to – H.H. is at School. Pa