

Long Falls May 9, 1803

Dear Sir (Wm. Cooper)

I am much pleased with the country so far. The roads are better than I expected but advise you to find wagons and not carts. You may be assured that the wagons will do the trip. As to my route from this to Ogdensburg I expect it will be rather tough but please god I shall be there within forty eight hours.

Yours Sincerely,
Richard Edwards