

De Kalb June 29, 1806

Dear Sir,

I have to inform you that Dimock has arrived but has brought me no goods. The Cooks have not got in their logs yet. Whitmarsh drives on his work very fast. Woodhouse has done working with Campbell. He has hired several hands & is going on with Mr. Stacy's house immediately. I fear Campbell will not prepare the house as fast as Whitmarsh will want. In case he should not shall I hire more hands? From present appearances there will be a deficit of lathe. Shall I get in some logs if your brother does not get lath fast enough?

Your brother is anxious to know if you have bought a yoke of oxen for him. Please inform me if you paid K? X Van Rensaler. All well at your brothers.

In haste I remain yours.

Sincerely,
Th. B. Benedict

William Cooper Esqr.

P.S. Nothing done yet at the mine.