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ADAMANA, ARIZ.

June 6

1906

Dear Papa -

Your last Sunday's letter reached
this morning. I'm afraid you are working
entirely too hard in that stuffy old library.
It's awful to let yourself get still thinner
just before coming down here where
you can't get the right sort of things
to eat. Even Big isn't worth getting sick
for.

It has been cold and dusty and now
it is very hot and dusty here but
Helen and I are both feeling fine
but are badly burned and freckled.

There have been only a few people
here lately but day before yesterday, I took
three people out to the third forest. Had a
fine trip and the team came in as gaily
as they started.

Did you answer the Santa Fe people's question
about the Blue Forest? My Stevenson has
had several letters from them about the
Bad Lands. So I think they must be going

to advertise all the Adema attractions

M. Fisk sent you some most beautiful views of Yosemite. They are very large mounted photographs that would be fine framed.

I am glad to hear that you have collected some money and that May's house is again in order.

I don't think you need to worry about Tom not taking charge of the ranch, for he intends to and I think by next January you will see us in the adobe. I'll try to help Helen all I can with her housekeeping. She is very anxious to have the big house fixed up and insists that by having the sweeping and hardest-work done, she can take care of it - alright - and I think she can. If she can't I'll do it - for her, either in the big house or somewhere else.

I think I will have to start back on the tenth but Dove is going to sleep out in the cottage so Helen won't be so entirely alone and as she is feeling so well I don't think there would be the least use in your coming down for such a short time.

If the train is on time I will see you on the eleventh at 4:30
Loveingly your daughter, Wanda