

My dear Mr. Allen. I am her a
letter, shall write her soon.

"Fishmans Shanty"

Sunday Apr. 29th 1862

My dear Sister —

[1862]

I have written
mother quite a long letter but will
write to you also. Now there is one
thing that I do not want done,
that is to have George come out
here unless I send for him.
Tell mother so & do not let
her start him out here. I do
not think he could be the least
possible use to me while I am
as well as I am at present
& it would be a great trouble
to him to come, & I very much
doubt about the Gov. being able
to pass him to W- free! —

I think it quite probable that
I shall get a discharge & be at
home before the 1st of June.