

and as I say crushed his spirits and has lost faith in God and man he married a sweet little ^{girl} had a fine baby boy and because he had no consideration what ever and no money to buy his ^{self} off are to hire a lawyer with he had no chance, of course Mr. Dean you know if a man has money he can get by with most any thing but if he hasent he has no chance in this world. there are others a good many of them that have done so much worse than he has but they have had money are a friend lawyer to help them out and they get out. And Bro. Dean more falsehoods have got him where he is these truths they have never given him the least consideration whatever

and now I understand his father wife is going bad so now who is going to answer for all this, not my boy nor his wife believe me God knows, If we have to acknowledge the hand of the Lord in all things I must say it is ~~God's~~ ^{God's} fault my boy is where he is and in the condition he is in and I cant understand why he will permit my boy to be punished the way he is, they say he has his way and has a purpose but if any good man could are would tell me what would be his purpose for the punishment and as I cant explain to you what I mean why he should punish both of us I know as well as I know God knows it isent the boys fault nor is it my but we are

suffering for something we neither one can help nor understand why it should be so. Now I will try and tell you as plain as I can why the boy is there and suffering what he is for what I have been telling you ^{them} losing every thing in this world except his mother, respect and virtue and faith in the Lord and his fellowmen, in the winter of 1917 2 days after Xmas Dec. 27th 1917 he and 4 other boys were riding horses running races as you yourself was a boy once have ^{ing} a gay time and as he was the unlucky one his horse fell with him pinning him underneath from his hips down when the horse fell it threw him in such away that he got a hard

blow on the back of the head his horse's back was broken so you can see it was something fierce they picked him up took him to the neighbors. he I and his step father were out in the Country 80 miles from home to spend the Xmas week it was 15 miles to a Dr they went for one but he wasent in town then we put him in an Automobile and brought him home living in Brigham City at the time, got three Dr there but they wouldnt take the case as they thought he was so near gone there wasent any thing they could do but like every body ^{else} as long as there is life there is little hops and we all do all we can as long as we can I sent for all