

Say Harbor Nov^h
Col Drake & Kay
Dear Sir

I received information
from the Consul at La Paz
that you were Secretary
of the Lower California
Company at Magdalena
Bay. Also from Mr. J. Collins
that the company in whose
employ my Brother Capt
N. Richard Dering was at the
time of his death were indebted
to him eight Hundred Dollars
Could you give me any
encouragement that I shall

receive the money it would
be very desirable also a
just payment -

Yours respectfully
Elizabeth J. Derisng

Geo. W. Drake & Key