

San Francisco Sept 5 1861

Dear Madam

Recd yours of  
30 July, in reply would state  
that letters to reach Capt Deering  
had better be directed to our care.

Until lately we have not known,  
ourselves, of any way of forwarding  
excepting by sailing vessel char-  
tered for the Island

Very Respectfully,  
Fordham & Jennings

To  
Miss Frances M Deering