

Merigomish May 8th 1857
Mr James Dawson

Dear Sir

Your favour of the 5th
inst. came to hand the contents of which surprises me
not a little to think that you should wish me to be
at ^{a loss of} a small piece of Land as you now call it after
showing such determination in resisting the ~~of the~~
claims of the Supervisors last ~~year~~ ^{Season} which at the time
of the Transfer you kept a Profound Secret from
me Now acknowledge ~~the~~ encroachment on the
property and places the loss altogether on the same
the trees, ^{as} ~~was~~ of so much value in your eyes last
Season and now altogether lost sight of to say nothing
of the expences to be incurred in shifting fence &c

Taken every thing in consideration and to save
me the anxiety which you yourself so much dread
the best way I see to mend the matter is for
for the property to be transferred back to yourself and
you returning the payments I made and paying
any expences I being at

I am very truly yours &c
James Greer

Letter
Jas Brennan
& Mary
1858

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