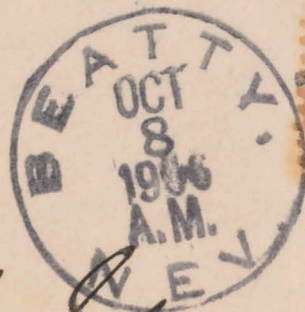


THE MONTGOMERY HOTEL  
BEATTY, NEVADA  
BULLFROG MINING DISTRICT



Benton H. Sparks  
Box 467 Reno  
Nevada



Rooms With and With  
out Bath

Rooms Light Spacious  
and Airy



# The Montgomery Hotel

European

E. J. Hoyt Manager



Beatty, Nevada

Oct 8

1906

Dear Benton

We arrived here  
last evening the first  
passengers on the new R.R.  
we were in a Box car  
but that beat the way the  
A. J. Smith party got in  
they had to strap it in  
the dust 23 miles they  
spoke here last night  
Very chilly writing some  
of our party called  
Smith down he had  
started in to draw water  
but left here last night  
with an aching head  
& if I get after him he  
will ache all over  
he has shown a strong



disposition to knock me  
but I will wait & see  
whether he does later on  
I saw Ayer cut her hair  
a lot to his face & Gen  
Bertie did a hair the  
same thing last night.  
he is a bloated tub  
of guts & is the worst best  
man that you can find for  
Congress. Mitchell can't  
speak he is full at  
the time & makes a very  
scrubby appearance  
I think Trill's prob- there  
up to saying more things  
I am told I will beat Mitchell  
3 to 5 thousand votes  
but I shall fight it  
out on honorable lines  
we go to Goldfield to tomorrow  
Mary Fair  
Geo. Sperry