

Georgetown April 4 1906

Dear Charles

I Arrived here last Friday
and it-proved to be black Friday to our
poor white-man who was executed
in sight of your birds place quite a
crowd of live people gathered around
to see our man loose his life. Ten
thousand people covered the ground
near the scaffold and I am told there
was only 3, a crew of land for them to
stand upon. Ed Anderson called to
see me today he wants you to visit to him
and I rather think you will have him
on your hands before long he is a
great hunter and wants you to take him
to the mountains where he might get sight
of a Bear, I am going to San Antonio today
to see Mr. Tiepatrick who is at the Hot Sulphur
Wells I may be able to get a Bus Contract-

from him if he does any work
for Mr Gould in Nevada, Texas don't
not-loose very good the Spring is here -
word and the weather quite-cold I went
down to the Ranch Sunday I did not know
the lay of the land there is dozens of
Farm houses being built all over
what I used to call my land there is
about 6000 acres being put under
cultivation puts being built for the Mexican
Families to live in who is employed to dig the
grubs & roots out of the land, I hope to
be able to send a pair of hounds to Mr
Brewer next week they are good ones
and ready to go if you want
them,, love to all

Your Father
John Sparks