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Date: December 29, 1859

Description: K.B. Sewall on court case, Washington, D.C.

National Hotel, Washington Decr 29, 1859

My Dear Wife,

The long agony is over. I have just finished my final argument and the Case with all its merits and demerits is with the Court —

I am satisfied with my effort.

So far as I can judge the

Court paid marked attention
throughout — I occupied an
hour yesterday after Smith closed
and two and a half hours to
day — commencing at half
past 11 — I am as you may
suppose somewhat exhausted —
My anxiety had been so great

That Shave not hard one night good west some debt home - + you Run how Asfre I was in the fame Condition - mutter 24 Mar, when I wind theoletter from Sevened In till une I have been as intered, anyone, and laborrows as a man could to - It is Maring they been * him yesterday money -There are brue matter, Swill to accomplete here - turay Hay a day or how - but think Ear may refresh me wa week - dwant are mellygood rest - Adularanto leave a a Snow stores -

that I have not had one
night good rest since I left
home — and you know how
long
^ before I was in the same
condition — from the 23
Nov. when I recv'd the letter
from Seward un-till now
I have been as internely anxious
and laborous as a man could
be —

It is snowing and has been since yesterday morning –

There are some matters I wish
to accomplish here — and may stay
a day or two — but think
you may expect me in a
week — I want one night's
good rest — and dont want to
leave in a snow storm —

Mrs. Colling will de an good spirits - I believe he is datesfrom with my sports this now during tune 4, P. m - the ature -Ist gam letter this morning of the 25 pull as I was leaving the house further Sule but. not avery probetions time for recounty hick adventita - but welcome nevertheley Engun brun 16-13.1 Evening the sain has turned into nain - Chow llong to trutt you - Lone to all - alling to dear Lette any, Sangy -ada -Ihave had a letter pour Somers -

Mr. Collin is well & in good spirits — I believe he is satisfied with my efforts —

It is now dinner time 4

p.m. — and so adieu —

I got your letter this morning

of the 23rd, just as I was leaving
the house for the Sup. Court.

not a very propitious time
for receiving such a document
— but welcome nevertheless —

Ever your own

K.B.S.

Evening the snow has turned into rain — O how I long to be with you — Love to all — a kiss to dear little Abby, Sammy — Ada — Adieu —

I have had a letter from Somers —