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Fort Collins, Colo. Oct. 14, 1916.

Dear Sirs

Having recieved a letter from my husband
 in regard to the half pension.
 He looks at his going away and other ways
 as not desertion.

But I looked at it in a different way.
 according to what had transpired before
 he went to the home, or California.
 It might have been as I thought and then
 not so. That he was on the verge of
 insanity.

I knew no cause for it, unless he was
 guided in some way, by others, against
 all consideration for the good of our
 lives,

He writes he wants me to with draw that
 statement of desertion, which I will, you
 understand me I hope.

I thought I had done so, in my letter
 that I registered to you, before this one.

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He can't read or write for himself
 so has some other man write for him.
 I have written to him yesterday that it
 shall be as he wished. I will do so quickly.
 Assuring him that I will neither lend or
 give to the children, so as to make me
 more destitute.

He seems to think I give to the children.
 I am 71 years old and certainly must care
 for all moneys, and home place, to the
 best of my knowlege for my own use.
 I have a great deal of sympathy for my husband
 and love, although he is far away.

I sent my son to see him in September
 and he found him quite feeble, but quite
 comfortable, and cared for.

Told him also that if he wished to come home
 here to Colo. he would see to care for him.
 But perhaps we could not in this high altitude
 at his age.

Will make life as pleasant, as I can for him
 by writing to him often.

yours truly,

Mrs. Archibald Rose.