

If I kept the other
boy Tom would be
out of a job. So I
kept them both at
the cost of my reputation
as I could not use but
one at a time.

So you see I was on
soft ground the entire
time. For he did not
say any thing but he
look like he would like
to have.

I do not want to give
you the impression that
Tom is not doing his
best. Because I really believe
he is. But he is just
the greenest white boy
I have ever seen.

He works hard but he