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William A. Corbett

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Froy, Town. Maine

Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 1862

Mr <sup>Wm</sup> Willson

Dear Sir

I received your kind letter  
day before yesterday, and was  
glad to hear from you &  
am well at present and hope  
that these few lines may  
find you and yours enjoying  
the same good health

I am still at worke for  
the Overland Mail Co  
you spoke about my coming  
home but I do not know  
whether I will come home this  
winter or not I would like  
to verry much but I think  
that if I get home by spring



I will be doing very well for I  
have been putting ~~it~~ it off  
so long, that it seems ~~to~~ that  
I never can get started and perhaps  
when spring comes that I will be  
as far from starting as I am now  
but I hope not

you spoke about my  
coming home this winter  
and go to teaming but I  
have promised this company  
to stay 3 months longer and then  
it would be too late to start  
for I would have to go by  
Rail Road & by stages and  
I do not like it in that  
country in the winter  
for it is so very cold. so  
I think that I will stay here  
untill spring

you spoke about  
the Millitery Forces having

1500 Indians prisoners I wish

that I had the authority

to do with them as I saw

fit I would take them and

shoot the last one of them

and see if the rest of the

red skins would ~~I~~ would

not look how they carried

sail and I think that is the

best thing that your military

forces could do we had a little

fun with the Indians on the

Salt Lake Road this summer

and every time that one

of the Boys would see a red

skin they would shoot him

and they are a getting afraid to

do anything for fear of the Boys

and they had better for they are

a pretty hard set to scare

for they do not know what

it is to be afraid



I must bring my letter  
to a close for the stage  
will be here in a short time  
and I have got to go give my  
love to Sister Mary and all of  
the children and to Sophia and  
Linnella & Plumber and all of  
the folks in general and except  
a good share for yourself and  
tell the girls if they will write  
to me that I will be happy to  
answer them

Direct your letters to  
Guittard Marshall county  
Kansas

I will bid you good by  
for the present write soon

Yours Truly

W. A. Condit

59/65

Robert