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My dear Mother

I received yours of the 10th this morning and after the usual fashion am answering it at once, I am still well and flourishing generally, you want to know about sending me winter clothes I shall want some sent but not quite yet till we get in winter quarters in the town and I can have them expressed right to the office, I will write and give directions how and what to send before long, the track will be here in about a week and after it passes we shall move on with it. As I wrote in my last letter I have sent for a transit to be sent directly here by express we need it at once and the company pay all expense charges we have had a terrible state of things here for the last three days, some men of Carmichaels working on the grade, undertook to avenge the[?] three men who were hung a short time since, and about 300 of them came down Thursday and burnt the Jail & Frontier Index office, and had a regular street fight here Thursday & Friday, fifteen are known to be dead and more than twice that number wounded, some soldiers arrived Friday from Ft. Bridger and everything has been peaceable since;

The post office is in good serving[?] order here now and your letters came through all right this morning. after the track gets here we shall get our mail much quicker, the express company are very slow and uncertain, they have a very soft thing of carrying the mail now getting just as much as they did for carrying it from Cheyenne, now they take it from Bryan 400 miles west of Cheyenne,

We have not had much snow yet but in a couple of weeks shall begin to receive the regular winter snow that lies on the ground till June and in many places till July,

As I have written repeatedly I do not like this country and shall not stay here any longer than I can help I want to be nearer home and civilization just as soon as I can find a place east you will see me home In the spring the government will I understand survey the land along this road I may go on that if I see a prospect of making anything out of it.

Please write <u>often</u> and <u>long</u> I watch the mails very closely I assume you Direct to Bear River City <u>Utah Territory</u>

Good bye Sam

Envelope accompanying letter addressed to: Mrs S. C. Chittenden East River New Hancock Connecticut