

Camp Ross Nov the 28 you

Dear Sister

May = White is going home this morning but I did not know it until it was too late to write ^{the} ~~you~~ a long letter. I will have to make this very short for I have to go on review in a few minutes and he is going to start at 10 o'clock. There is nothing of importance here that I know of. The enemy it is reported are trying to flank us by marching down the Miss River though the report is not generally believed. Our boys have been on several Scouts. ~~to within~~ ~~the~~ ~~vicinity~~ of Memphis but found no Leads. It is reported that Gen Kirby Smith is on the Mobile and Ohio R.R. with 15,000 men. It is not believed here. I see in Peter's letter from his mother that you had heard that Gen Price was killed at Corinth it is not so. Gen Price does not put himself in so much danger as the citizens think he does though for all that ~~he is a brave man and general~~ but his bravery and generalship is both overrated. If the Corinth battle had been a success he would have got all the praise while as it turned out the whole blame fell on Parson on whos head it should fall. But what I object to is not giving praise or sentence to the proper one. I will now have to close
John will write more

We are all well, Give my love To
The family and relations and to all
my friends With this I remain your
brother Saml

J. M. Love

Dear father Saml
has finished his letter to Lea & I thought
I would just write a few lines on
this. I have not been well since I got
here I have had the chills & fever since
I got here, Mit it with I new salgia I have
got to be very poor I am thriving now
I would send you some money
but my ~~own~~ ~~three~~ ~~months~~ ~~pay~~ ~~has~~
will need at we have got our horses are
doing very well I have a better horse than
I had at first & some boot.
All the boys are all well from our co.
Good bye
J. M. Love