

Crossett, Behley, Co.
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Dear Mother:—

I wrote you a great long letter last ^{the} night before last but it is floating some where down in the Saline River.

A very sad end for it & as I spent about an hour and a half when I was too sleepy to see over it I am very sorry it did not get to the Office. So I just guess I will have to start & tell you what was in it.

It had been over a week since I wrote. But as I did not have a chance to mail a letter & I have been so tired out that I have not written. It has rained steadily for eight days & we have been working & moving camp just the same.