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Robertson Hill county Texas Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 1856

Coln E.S.C. Robertson

Dear Sir My Respects

To your Self and Family. I have arrived here with My Family and Miss Johnston and her Family. all in good health Except colds which I hope we will soon get clear of we have had Excellent weather and Roads in coming out. and have gotten here in less time than I Expected we had no accident of any kind to delay our travling of any consequence. I find I will have to pay very high for provisions such as corn and Flower I donot know yet what Pork will be worth as I have made no Inquiry. I found Mr. Pucket in the House, he was not at Home when we arrived here on yesterday about one oclock. His Lady was so unwell that she was in Bed She gave up one end of the House to us so we are all packed up for the present. Mr. Pucket came home at night I saw him this morning He says I come in on them sooner than He was Expecting me. But if the wether is good so that he can work at his House he will get out of this one in a few days I will be glad he does for there is so many of us we have not room to turn around. It is quite cold now and our Black People have to Sleep in the waggons. I would be very glad if it is convenient for you to come up and Bring the field notes of the Land I bought of you as I have your money Ready and would like to pay it to you Now if you can do so I would be glad for you to send My Horse and riging up as if anyone comes with you to bring them along if you have not sold him please right immediately as I will be anxious to heare from you.

Respectfully your Friend

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