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Remount Camp

Pleasant Valley Md

December the 30th 1864

your letter found me well and I
hope it will finde you all well
I was verry sorry to hear that my
Children has so little respect for
their Parents I would be pleased
to hear that my Children was the
best Children in the town and
that they doe all that they can to
make their Mother happy. now
Children you must all try and
doe all that you can to make your
Mother happy. it will make you
happy for any body feales a great
deal better when they do right than
they doe when they doe rong now
if you mean to doe right tell me
when your Mother writes to me
again for you doe not kno how
bad it makes me feal to hear
that my Children is so bad when
I am so far from home

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Francis you can write and when
your mother writes again you must
write and tell me if you are going
to be a good Boy I love my chil
ren and I want them to love and obey
me and their Mother Good By Chil
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Catharine you asked me in
your other letter if I had any
Bible I have a nice Testament
that the Christian Comission

Gave me and I think a great deal
of it it helps me to pass away
a great many lonely hours
Virnon M Babbitt came here
last night he stayed with me
today aoh I want you to finde
out how much my tax is and tell
me in your next letter or as soon as
soon as you can finde out how much they
are excuse mistakes and bad writeing
yours truly
Daniel Hall
to Mrs Catharine H Hall