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Dear Aunt

I suppose you began
to think that I had got
nothing to do but write
to you all but as well
as talking about leaving
her to go to the spring garden
near Souville I want
you to have my coat done
if you can by Thursday morn-
ing and have it down to the
depot put one side pocket
if you please I am well
at present give my love
to all tell Uncle Johns
girls that I will write
to them soon tell Uncle
Jim I think that he
might come up

on Saturday write me a
letter and put it in
the coat pocket
your obedient
Nephew
Wm. G. Mound

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<u>Item Transcription:</u>	<u>Comment:</u>
<p>Eminance, Ky Nov the 19 1861</p> <p>Dear Aunt</p> <p>I suppose you began to think that I hav got nothing to do but write of to you all but as we ar talking about leaving hear to go to the spring garden near Louisville I want you to hav my coat don if you can by thursday morning and hav it down to the depot put one side pocket if you pleas I am well at present giv my love to all tell uncle johns girls that I will write to them soon tell uncle jim I think that he mite of come up</p> <p>s saturday write me a leter and put it in the coat pocket</p> <p>Your obedient Nephew Amos G. Mount</p>	<p>Eminence, Ky</p> <p>Spring Garden is slang for Schlieder's farm, which later became known as camp Sigel. [Theiss]</p> <p>On November 22 Col. Whitaker's 5 companies moved to Louisville from Eminence via the Louisville and Frankfort Railroad through La Grange, Aunt Amanda's home, with a final destination of Camp Sigel. [Keys]</p> <p><u>Reference:</u> Reinhart, Joseph R., <i>A History of the 6th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry U.S.</i>, pg 21, Beargrass Press, Louisville, Kentucky, 2000.</p>