

C. E. Blood to Isaac Tichenor Goodnow

C. E. Blood wrote from Manhattan, Kansas Territory, to Isaac Goodnow, imparting that the steamboat Gus Linn had arrived in Manhattan and a Mr. Devivilvi [Devivaldi] brought along his printing press and other equipment. The newspaper was then a "fixed and permanent fact." Blood updated Goodnow on the status of construction at the College and Joseph Denison's new home. He closed by reporting a rumor that there was a Republican majority in the Constitutional Convention at Wyandotte.

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Dear Bro Goodnow

Your kind favor ^{of the 20th inst} was received this evening. I am sorry to say that the \$100. draft has not been received. Do not get any letters registered. Please request the bank to send me a duplicate if they can. I not to pay the draft until I write that I have received it. I fear it has been stolen from the mail. I heard through your wife that one was sent. I thank you heartily for your kind exertions for us. May the Lord reward you greatly.

Now written you 3 letters. - The roof is on again tho not paid for. The plastering will shortly be done. The loss is a little more than \$400.

The Gus Lin has made her third trip. Truly the Kansas is navigable.

Devilov is here with his press & 12 pointers. He came up on the Gus Lin. His family is here. They have taken rooms in the Stone Hotel. His press is at present

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in Wilson's hall. It is to be in the new
Stone Store Whitesides, & Story. De-
viline has hired it for 3 years. The paper
is a fixed & permanent fact. This
week there will be an account of the
laying of the Corner Stone, in the Express.
I will enquire about the land Morant.
I do not know whether you brother has
gone tho I think he has. The Stone work
on Bro Dennison's house is I think done
& now they will make rapid work with
the College.

It is said that there are some 10 Republi-
can Majority in the Constitutional Con-
vention. I'll hear

The Lord prosper you
your brother
C. E. Blood