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Yellow Springs Ohio July 11/63

Dear Brother,

Mother and Sis have both written now it is my turn. The Colored people are having meeting to day over in the school house I can hear him preaching over here he speaks very loud they have meeting once a month they always have a great time when he comes. We have been having a great about Morgan last week he was down near camp Dennison nearly every man went from here they had a skirmish with them they killed two of the Rebels and one of our men was killed. He does not stop long in a place

I guess he thinks we are too well
prepared he wants to get across
the river and get over into K.G.
But the last news we heard
from him our forces had got
him almost surrounded and
they thought they could catch
him I do hope they will get him
and hang him to the first tree
they come too.

What has become
of Capt Moore since he was
dismissed from the service?
I hope you will get him back
again, I should think they
would give furlous now since
the battle is ours I do wish
they would. We have got several
of Frank Leolies to send you
the that we did not send them
awa that there was one order that
they should not send any papers
but I guess we can send them
now. Mother and Mary have told
you all the news so I will make my self
better than the