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Elkhorw. Oct. 23rd. 1838.

Gen. Atterton,

Dear sir. The mormons have burnt Gallatin & Mill port, & have ravaged Davies County, driven out the Citizens, burnt the Post office, taken all kinds of property from the Citizens. have gone into Livingston County, & taken the Carnion from the Citizens there - they have threatened to burn Bunkum & Elkhorw. & have been seen near & on the line between Ray & Caldwell. - In consequence of which I have ordered out my company to prevent, if possible, any outrage on the County of Ray, & to range the line between Caldwell & Ray, & await your order & further assistance. - I will camp at Fields 12 miles north of this tonight.

I learn that the people of Ray are going to take the law into their own hands, & put an end to the mormon war.

In haste your obedt. servt.

Saml Bogart.

P.S. Please be explicit in your express to me, as to my course.