New Haven, Jan. 1847

My dear Prescott,

I expect instantly to start with my party of six who, the day after Presentation, we shall make our trip up the Loup Fork in Nebraska, and then go to Cheyenne, and make another excursion South when you get there. Won't you please write to me at Cheyenne, and give me such directions as will enable me to go directly to the spot where you procured your specimens. A rough map of the region, or a sketch in change of position of streams, bluffs, or locality would be of great service. Also the
name of the man who went down with you, or any one else who could give information, or direct us.

We shall hardly get to Cheyenne before the 20th of July, and may arrive a few days earlier.

I intend to spend some weeks near Green River and Ft. Bridger, and shall hardly reach Salt Lake City before Sept 1st.

I will try to write you from Cheyenne and let you know what luck we have at your locality.

I saw your father & mother at a party at Prof. Dwight's the evening. All are well.

Very Truly yours,

[Signature]

Eugene Bristow Eng.
Cheyenne, Aug 25th 1870.

My dear Bristol,

I was sorry you could not accompany us on the trip from which we have just returned. As it was a very pleasant and successful one.

Your letter aided us in finding the locality of the big bones and we obtained some fine specimens there and in the vicinity. We had the same formation to the North Platte.

We start for Ft. Bridger on Saturday, 27th inst., and shall probably remain.
in that region until the 25th incl. and perhaps later. We shall then come to Salt Lake for a day or two and go from there to California about all as well, and our expedition to far has been very successful. I thank you very much for...

O.C. Marsh