

Camp. Reno. Brashear, City
8th Regt V. V. M. Co. A.

April 5th 1863

Dear Sister.

I take my pen this
pleasant Sabath afternoon to answer
your kind letter of the 24th, I was
verry glad to hear from you and feel very
thankfull that your health is as good
as you write to me that it is; I have
recd no letter from home since the I
recd your letter; Our mails have been
verry irregular now for some time.

I left the hospital the 27th of March
and came to camp and got your letter and
am happy to tell you that my hand has
got well and I am tough as ever; our
regt is moving about from one place to
another a most every week; There is
a large force coming up from New Orleans
Some have got here and more are coming.

Tell Father I wrote to him once and directed it to Capt. Montpelier.