

Brandy Station Va. Mar 11th 64

My dear dear wife -

I have just rec'd yours of the 7th and you may be assur'd it was very welcome. I wish to allay your fears about me as to an rest and have not been on a march, but snug and comfortable in camp.

I did not know that my dear daughter had got hurt. How did it happen? But I am glad that she has recovered from the injury -

Accept my warmest thanks for your kind sympathy for my comfort &c. It gives me courage to endure the hardships of camp life to