



Head Quarters 10<sup>th</sup> H  
 Camp in the field near  
 Culpeper Va Sept 21<sup>st</sup> 1863

My Darling wife

I have not had an opportunity to write you for the last few days for we have been on the march again. Last Tuesday afternoon we received orders to pack up and march immediately which we did, and that night lay in the wet grass at "Freeman's Ford" - next morning crossed the River, on our Hazel River and camped that night near this place - Thursday moved up here. We are located about two miles from Culpeper on the "Pike to Sulphur Springs" which is north west of the town - I rode down and took a look at the village yesterday but it aint much to brag of still I did not see much