

Camp near Morrisons Landing

July 17th 1862,

My Darling Wife

I hope got fully well of my fever. Was Genl Officer of picket yesterday, & it was very warm so I broke the fever all up - have not been off duty any day - but have felt well used up some days - We have frequent & very heavy showers here. I never saw such showers. Am very glad you are so well & that you behave so well. My Angel I do want to come home & see you so much, but cant I suppose. I did have command of my own Regt, every day after we started. didnt I tell you so. You dont read my letters. I'll write to some one who will. About every body is resigning now - Major Lewis's resignation was refused. What do you find to accuse you in Boston so long? Genl Smith & Brooks have gone away. I had two dozen bottles whiskey sent me, came yesterday from Washington. I dont know whom from. 5 bottles wer broken. Dr Frost has recruited a Co for the 10th Vt Regt. If it would be perfectly splendid to be at home a month & go