

VERMONT SOLDIER.

McCLELLAN now who takes command,
Will lead us down to Dixie's land;
And there, "live or die, survive or perish,"
We'll sustain the flag we ever cherish.
Away down in Dixie.

That those who may hereafter come,
Will have nought to say what we have done;
For the VERMONT BOYS, they are the crew
To raise the STRIPES, red, white and blue.
Away down in Dixie.



Head-Quarters C Vermont Regiment,

Company..... B

Camp..... Near Yorktown

Apr 20th 1862.

Dear Father,

As I am feeling well to day and have nothing else to do I thought I would write a few lines to you. For the last few days I have been rather unwell so that I could not follow the regiment. The Dr. says that I have a slow liver. I have had no appetite and am rather weak. but now I am getting better and shall be