

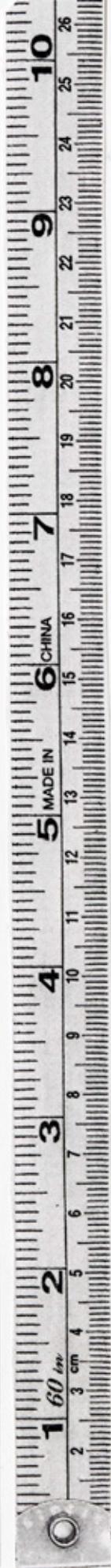
Head Quarter 1st Div 5th Corps
Dec 13th 1864.

Dear Sarah.

We are back again after just one week of very hard campaigning we have made the greatest raid of the war (our corps) we have torn up the railroad R.R. more than half way to Wilder and destroyed much property & c. we returned to our old ground last night and are now ordered to be ready for another move, but it is said that if we move again it will be only a very short move.

Laurence stood the march well and is very well now.

I am Provost Marshal of the 1st Division 5th Army Corps. was appointed on the 5th inst. I like very well indeed, although it is a responsible position, but



there is no fighting to do. I can do the business just like a book and after we get settled down into winter life it will be a very easy place.

I shall take another place if I do not like this place, but I have no doubt I shall like this position very well.

The next time you write, you may direct to Capt T. D.C. Mrs. Mar-
1st Div - 5th Corps. or Capt T. D.C.

Head Quarters 1st Division 5th Corps.
either will do. Do not send any
more to the Regt as I shall not
get them for a week or more.

Good to all.

Your off brother,

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