

Saw Com last at
Fitchburg R.R. Depot
Friday Evening
Dec 15th 1861.

Enlisted in 6th Vt H.
Regiment, Col. Comins
- Co. Co J. Capt. Robt
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Boston Dec 8th 1861

My dear Sir

Am here at Crockett. Arrived here
Thursday Ev. Met John Swift in the cars which
made it pleasant. Spent around the
city almost all day Friday trying to find
the Farmers Bank. did not succeed. Did
not like to enquire so started it again yes-
terday & was fortunate enough to find it.
I enclose six dollars. For Heavens sake
be careful of it. Business seems to be
very dull here & I hardly know what
you can do here. Possibly you might do
better to go around by Dover, especially
if you think you get any money out of
your friends there. I went over to
Mrs Cassetts last evening, was very
glad to see me & was anxious to have
me make her house my home - but
before I could enquire about her taking
me. Some city friends came in & I
had no opportunity afterwards -
However I think there will be no
trouble. I have not been able to
find Mr Cassett. You can

give me any direct information - I have
got on to his track & hope to hunt
him up soon - Tomorrow I shall
try Francis Cogswell for a pass to
Manchester & back - If I get shall
go up Tuesday morning early &
return at night. Have not made
any attempt to obtain employment
here, for I do not hesitate now to tell
you & Mother that I prefer to go into
the army in any professional capacity
than any drug store any where -

You will receive this to-morrow
Monday afternoon - You had better
not leave home until Wednesday
& then I shall be back here in the
city - I shall see Mrs G. to-morrow
& will write what she says about you
so you can get it Tuesday - But
if you come & do not find me at
the Depo. (Boston & Maine) go to
Millikins Hotel & get a room -
But it is a great deal better for you to
until Wednesday morning when
we can save a little expense certainly
My love to Mother still has to keep
up good courage for something

will come out of this for good
Hoping not to see until Wednesday
night. I am

Yours
Cm.

Boston Dec 8th 1861

My Dear Joe

Am here at Crocketts. Arrived here Thursday Ev. Met John Tufts in the cars which made it pleasant. Hunted around the city almost all day Friday trying to find the Pawners Bank. Did not succeed. Did not like the to enquire & so started it again yesterday & was fortunate enough to find it. I enclose six dollars. For heavens sake, be careful of it. Business seems to be very dull here & I hardly know what you can do here. Possibly you might be better to go around by Dover, especially if you think you get any money out of your friends there. I went over to Mrs. Gassett's last evening. Was very glad to see me & was anxious to have make her house my home but before I could enquire about her taking you, some city friends came in & I had no opportunity afterwards. However I think there will be no trouble. I have not been able to find Mr. Gassett. No one can give me any direct information. I have got onto his track & hope to hunt him up soon. Tomorrow I shall try Francis Cogswell for a pass to Manchester & back. If I get shall go up Tuesday Morning early & return at night. Have not made any attempt to obtain employment here, for I do not hesitate to tell you & Mother that I prefer to go into the Army in any professional capacity than any drug store anywhere. You will receive this tomorrow.

Monday Afternoon - You had better not leave home until Wednesday & then I shall be back here in the city. I shall see Mrs. G. tomorrow & will write what she says about you so you can get it Tuesday, but if you ~~come~~ come & do not find me at the Depo (Boston & Maine) go to Millikens Hotel & get a room. But it is a great deal better for you to until Wednesday Morning when we can save a little expense certainly. My love to Mother & tell her to keep up good courage for something will come out of this for good. Hoping not to see until Wednesday night, I am

Yours

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