



MAJOR GENERAL J. C. FREMONT.

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by
Camp Devins
My dear parents
brothers and
sister i now
took my pen
in hand to

inform you that i am well
at present i received your
letter yesterday out in the
woods on picket and i was
very glad to hear of you
and you write me to write
often if you dont answer
my letters i havent going to
write i will answer your letter
next day every time and i want
you to do the same our sick
was moved last Sunday ten
miles south and yesterday
three Companies went down



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of our regiments we may have
 to move tomorrow while i was
 writing i heart that one of
 the company's took fourteen
 secret prisoners last night and
 night before the kentucky
 Cavalry had a fight with
 some rebel Cavalry last ~~morning~~
 Tuesday and wednesday we had
 snow and very cold a woman
 said that we want any of
 colder this winter since them
 two days it is summer weather
 very pleasant you wrote me
 to send my likeness i cant
 git it taken inside of the
 picket and out i cant go
 without a pass of general
 me cook and a private cant
 git none but the first
 chance i git i will send

it you wrote me that twenty two
are gone from there it would
like to know who gave your
map and if i come back i
will show you all the places
where we encampet last Thursday
night the rebels burnet a mill
and a bridge across bacou creek
only three miles from our sick
I still direct your
letters at the old
Camp

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