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Camp Brandywine July the 20 1861

Dear Sister [inserted text] i [end inserted text] am well and hope this Letter may find you the same we had a Startling affair Last night a man with weights tied to his hands Behind [inserted text] his back [end inserted text] and was made walk Behind a gard for 2 hours for getting Drunk his hands like to Busted with Blood this is the punishment he Received we will not Be here Long maby we will Leave to morrow that is the talk answer this Letter Right away for no Boddy nows what moment we mg Be orded away i mus stop Riting for it is gard mount if we Dont a go i will Rite Before soon

Send this Letter home for I have not got time to Rite if we Dont go i want you all to Come up as soon as you can

No more at Present

faithful and fearless
David Lilley

Maryland Blue and Elk Ranger