

In the Field near Chattahoochee River 11th mo 27

Honored Parents Brothers & Sister

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of my continued good health and
also that of my friends - we are now
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from the river and 5 from Marietta
we got in yesterday we are now not
far from where we started from a
month ago we have marched near
400 miles but have not been in
sight of the rebels that we were follow-
ing but a time or two we have
consumed quite a lot of porked
beef belonging to the Rebel government
There has also been thousands of bushels
of corn fed to the horses and mules
and some hauled off, we dont have
much prospect of stopping here long

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~~at~~ somewhere near here and get
clothing and then we will likely
make a winter campaign which is
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munication sometime if we strike
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as we may do, but keep writing
the letters will reach me if I
dont have the chance to write
often. we are having some wet weather
lately making it quite disagreeable
travailing. The boys are nearly all almost
shoeless we will likely be supplied
in a few days. I will get writing
for this time and write again soon
if we remain here.

As ever
Yours,
H. Mills

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As ever Jno H. Mills