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### 1864-10-25, James B. to James M.

James Broderick Safford

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Sept 23/1864

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Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1864

My Dear Father

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all the news -

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and our Boys are out  
scouting all the time -

it is now supper time  
and I must close

Good Bye love  
to all -

Yours aff son  
James B. Caffery

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