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My Dear Father,

I recall your letter of the 19th inst. Yesterday you said you have not received any letters yet. Well since the 31st inst. I have written five letters beside the one I wrote and sent by Ed. Breckham. One of the letters was written during the Raid. I wrote three each day and by that you would get all. In particular, I hope you will get them all. Since I have received about four letters from you, since you wrote from New York you will receive a photograph of yourself in...
in one of his letters I am not sure but one letter, I wrote certainly if he
will very highly please send me one. Georgin is not at this place now. He is
at Decatur, Ala. Yet I wish Dr. Lewis best. I suppose from what I
learn that our Night will be brought together again soon. I hope so.
At least I will send this letter by Mr. Surban. One of our boys who
goes home on a Discharge. He will probably call and see you. Treat
him well for he is a good man and a good soldier and a particular
friend of mine. He will give you all the
news in Our yard & the
company that you may
want—I suppose Esh
has arrived at home
before this and told you
all the news
About our coming
home I don’t think
we will for the country
here is full of Guerrillas
and our Boys are out
punting all the time.
it is now supper time
and I must close
God Bye love
to all

Yours all love

James B. Safford
My Dear Father

I received your letter of the 19th just yesterday. You say you have not received any letters yet well since the 30th I have written five letters besides the one I wrote and sent by Ed Branham. One of the letters was written during the Raid I wrote some each day and by that you could get all the particulars I hope you will get them all some time. I have received about four letters from you since you wrote from New York. Georgie received a Photograph of yours in Pulaski Tenn

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in one of his letters can I not have one too? I would certainly prize it very highly please send me one – Georgie is not at this place now he is at Decatur Ala yet with Dr Lewis out I suppose from what I can learn that our Regt will be brought together again soon I hope so at least – I will send this letter by Mr Surbin one of our Boys who goes home on a Discharge he will probably call and see you treat him well for he is a good man and a good soldier and a particular friend of mine he will give you all the
news in regard to the Company that you may want – I suppose Ed has arrived at home before this and told you all the news—

   About out coming home I don’t think we will for the country here is full of Guerillas and our Boys are out scouting all the time – it is now supper time and I must close

   Good Bye love to all --

   Your Off son
   James B. Safford