

Near Winchester  
June 27<sup>th</sup> / 63

Dear Sister

Another battle has been fought & won & I have been by the goodness of God brought through unhurt. I have not time to tell you of all our hardships &c &c since leaving Fredericksburg, marching as we did over 125 miles in seven days without rest until we arrived in the valley below Winchester.

Here we remained in Milroy's army in a fort near Winchester, our horse made a flank movement this evening & I got in the rear of the enemy as they were leaving to cross the Potomac, we fought him some three or four hours without the loss of a single man killed & only 2 or 3 wounded, we have captured the greater part of his army & spoils innumerable.

I will write every time I have an opportunity  
Good bye  
John