

Leavenworth May 25th

My dear wife,

I arrived here late last evening from the Mountains & as the Stage goes out in a few minutes I have only time to say a word and assure you that your fears are groundless in regard to my joining the army. I rec^d your letter ~~from~~ of the 27th 13th inst and was sorry to see you suffering so much from anxiety on my account. If I go into the States at all it will be for the purpose of bringing you & the children out here. I shall be guided however by the news in regard to the difficulties on the border. The Stage is hitched up and I must close. God bless you my dear wife.

Eugene Emme