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Baton Rouge

Dear Wife,

from the hundred
Dear wife I take my

hand to inform

this morning

bidding you the only
have to here from me
at the present and to
hence from our retreat just
a moment tell you every
thing about them at
present for they don't

also suppose it love
both yet but I hope they

will soon learn to

here from you and

the children it has been
a long time since I heard

from you the last time.
heard from near the 14th I do not know but it is some where they are going I do not know if they will be here too. on the road near where there is some regt and I think will be here too. I think i like to forget i am very anxious to hear from our boys to hear how many there is killed. I have not heard of but one that is broke or fall one that is broken or fell one. They say he was killed the first shot at expect there is more killed. I am a part of but I hope will have to guard the water and watch you about the songs that were sounded at the battle and also to sick of the poisons and that is all I know about. It is only we here they are the march yet some where.
not to hardship but i should like to see both with the boys and may yet expect to be at hardship the 1st of jan but not my not to do not put in confidence in it but i am allowing to see you by and by hope all good here Dick still until i come and then i can theer you i will write you about our receipt for an arm as i hear from them i have write you three letters as i might your invite you and sise and some times train from your husband

Eleanor Waddell