

I Brother Town

Springfield. Mo.

June the 9th

Dear cousin Charlat I take
the opportunity once more to write
it is along time since I have
written although I have not
forgoten you I am now in a
little place called Springfield
we moved from St Louis about
three weeks ago and had a pleasant
time of it we came through on horse
back with our company is generals
Browns body guard for the
present and we have very good time
Some of the boys are not well man
was sick but he has got pretty
ing well again I have not ben sick
since I enlisted no and have not
bin home sick either the climate

climate here is very much
like wisconsin I cant see
a great deal of difference the
nights are colder and the spring
is earlier wheat will do to cut
in 4 weeks I think apples are half
grown plenty of fruit around
here what is tony doing this summer
I suppose the folks around there
have got through Springs work
long time ago now is all of the
folks in brothertown have not
much news to write this time but I
hope the next time I will try and do
~~the~~ better there is plenty of
Secesh here but we dont mind
them much they was thirteen
prisoners came in yesterday they was
taken about 40 miles from here
they are what we call bush
whackers they are hid in the
bushes along the road and will
fire on them and run in the

woods but our boys catch
them once and a while well
I cant think of much more
to day is frank dick to home
now if he is tell him to write
and I will write to him there is
plenty of southern ladies here
I was to church last night
is Johnny Simons got back
yet I heard he got wounded
and was coming home on
a barbour write soon as
you can So good by
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