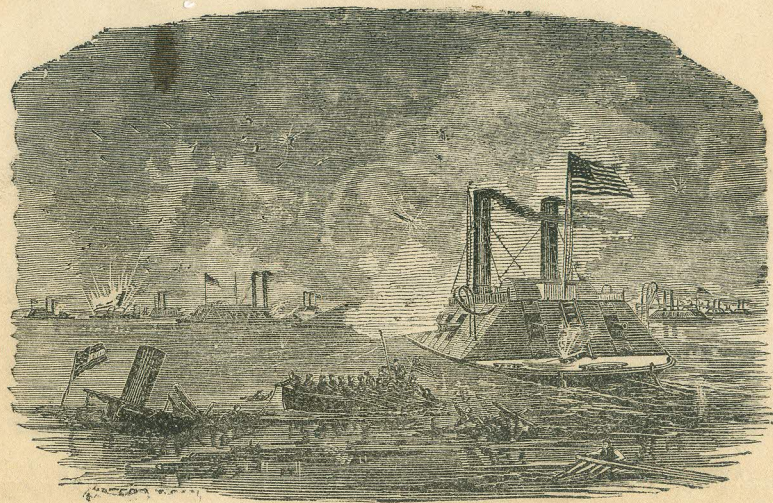


They are doing the thing about right
if they will keep it up if they will
let old Rosencrans go he will kill
every one of them he is giving it to
old Brey and Curby Smiths and
a lot of other of them fellows
just all they want Old Brey
and Curby is the one that got a
bullet with out to Sargville when
he was wounded and now they
are whailing their good. I would
get a paper this morning and send
to you but they did not come
around with any paper this
morning I will get one for you
as I can and that has got the
news in "Well is must bring this
is a close we got by my love to you and
to all of the folks and all of the friends of those
the way with this is from Edgemoor Dec 11 1862



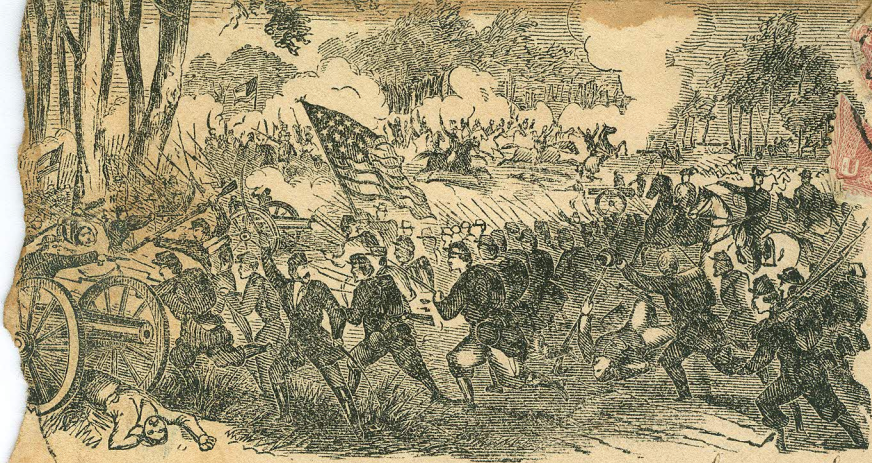
Great Naval Engagement off Fort Wright.

I was Brey Jan 6 1863
Dear Brother

I now sit down
to write a few lines to you
to let you know how I am
getting along here in this
Hospital. Well my hand is
about well it is so that I can
writing with it in this
letter I have had the measles
but I am got much well
over them now they did

Not much business
sick a bit and now I must
be careful so as not to catch
cold. I wrote a letter to you the
other day and I did not write
but a very short letter I did
feel much alike writing that
day so I thought that I
would write another to day.
Well I am if nothing happ-
ens I shall be back there
with you all again afore
long. All that I want is my
Descriptive Roll from my
Company and as soon as I can
get that I am all right
my Discharge papers
went over to Louisville and
I suppose that they are

made out by this time but I
don't know how soon I shall
get my Descriptive Roll Roll
in a week and I may get
it in a month I
have sent for it once and
the Doctors have sent for
it twice but it has not come
yet. They are fighting there now.
They have had a awful battle
Tennessee and to Vicksburg &
we have lost lots of men but
our men whipped them and took
Vicksburg and ten thousand
prisoners and a lot of arms and
30 pieces of Artillery and a lot
of horses and Equipage the
rebels has gone towards Jackson
and our men is after them in hot
pursuit



The great Battle of the Antietam Valley.

Mr Asa Dick Brother to
Calumet Co Wis

