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Guthrie, John R., Sergeant, Died 1862 August 29

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Biographical Note

John R. Guthrie enlisted on August 1, 1861 in Clarion County, Pennsylvania as a Sergeant and mustered into Company F of the 63rd Pennsylvania Infantry Regiment. He was killed at the Second Battle of Bull Run on August 29, 1862.

Content Description

A single four page letter from Sergeant John R. Guthrie of the 63rd Pennsylvania Infantry Regiment remarking upon the food, pay, and medical conditions with Samuel Heintzelman's Corps. Written on letter sheet with a stamp featuring General McClellan. Includes derogatory language directed towards enslaved people.

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