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Dear Genl

John Buck of
Bethell, came home ^{on} furlough
for 30 days some three months
ago, & as I hear has not reported
to his Regt, or Majr Gardner

has said
that he would not return to his
Regt., &c, have given authority
to Jonathan Jewell, to take
him to Augusta.

if I have done
wrong, please inform me

Yours Truly C. P. Ripley

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Capt. C. H. Ripley
Paris
Aug. 11th 1862