Camp of the 20th Maine Vol.
At Rappahannock Station Va.
March 6th 1864

Dear Sister

Helen I read your kind letter to day and was glad to hear that you were all well my health is good at present and I hope that thea few lines will find you the same you said that the army was on the move but it hasn't so but genl. Willparsh has gone to Richmond to let the prisoners free and I hope that they will the Bugle is growling for dress parade but don't have to go on for I have just bin relieved from guard. Helen hunt.

Pine Smith in the 17th Me.
If he at home & him
To Write & tell him
Well & all write Helen
I read a letter from Mother
To Night Dated March 1st
and glad to hear that you
did all smart but am
Sorry to hear that Uncle
Walter's Wife is dead Helen
Tell that to a good girl and
Show that I get home to
Mother to let Sarah go &
See the World may be She
Will get Homesick and not
Stop long Helen Live
My Respects to all Good
By This is from your
Brother Chester P. Baker
Co. F 26th. Maine 1860

P. P Helen I sent the
Soldiers Memorials
Write if you get it