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Description: John W. Day of Co. C of the 14th Maine Regiment wrote to
his sister Annie Mathews in New Hampshire, telling her that he had not
heard from her since the Battle of Cedar Creek October 19, 1864.