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Dear Brother

We received information this morning, that the 7th Regt. is to be sent in Motion for Oregon via the Lithium without delay. We will probably embark about the latter part of this month. I was very much in hopes that I would be able to visit Newark again before I left for the Pacific division. But if the news of this morning is correct, it will be impossible for me to do so.

As soon as the official news comes I will write and let you know.

I have not time to write more at present. My love to all our family and to all enquiring friends.

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