that I would have nothing within my means to make home pleasant to our children than any other place. They can go. I will require labor and self-sacrifice. I have no doubt, but I need rather more self-sacrifice for that purpose than any other. —

Mowing morning; — sometimes after midnight I used order to get ready to mow, but up to 9 the morning nothing further has been heard, except the artillery bang way away in front. If we move we go in that direction. You will please have my Life Ins. sent to me, as it may make some difference, in case we should go into action. I wrote to Siler in my last, don't fail to tell me what you think of the letter to that lady. If you feel like making any suggestions into the style or the

M. L. B.,

was very near coming "Sir." — My Commissary has just added a letter (10 P.M.) directing him to leave three days rations ready for a start early in the morning. What it means I don't know, but I have very little belief that we will move early in the morning. To be on the right side I have come and add a letter so that you should not be wholly Without explanation. Comfort at the expected time in case we should move.

I have not yet a letter from you twice Tuesday. I confidently expect to see you this bright, but the weather is

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faith and wish you success,
I doubt not. So never mind
the letter till it is all. The news
welcome when it does come.
Here is an article in the
"Atlantic" for Oct. " بكل HOUSE
and Home Papers," which I wish
you would read. It has some
ideas on it which I have been
acquainted to teach myself, but the writer has been
believed them more fully than
Lena did. The writer makes a
distinction between keeping
a House and keeping a Home.
Your mother has succeeded ad-
monitely in doing the latter;
cloths I have say many hours
keeping women, like Mrs. Bredy
for instance, these friends of
their mother at home, for last
being a House Keeper in the
least. Of course, you will
not suppose that Mrs. Bredy
will anything in my presence
or better my knowledge to make
her dispensable. If she bad
the boxes been got "fit,"
ever if I had not known her; daughter, you'd better be
true.
There is too much trust
in the writer's article, that I
wrote to Mrs. Bredy for more than
we knew ever done to make
one house a home for our
children. If she is made to, I
have little doubt that they'll
become all we wish them to.
Those children love. Turned out
bad because home was, made
depression to them. Then for my
other words, in my opinion,
and I have always thought.