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B. Stanton to Caroline Spiegel, 1865 June 14.

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Dear Madam

My object in writing you this evening is to enquire whether you have heard from your brother Joseph or Mr. Sinsheimer. I supposed that after the surrender of Kirby Smith the Texas prisoners would be released. I have not yet heard of it having been done but I thought that perhaps you might have heard from them. Many times have I thought of them since their great disappointment at the mouth of Red River. It seemed very hard that they should have been taken back after getting that far on their way home to endure the hardships of a rebel prison for so long a time.

If you should hear from them will you please let me know where they are. A letter addressed to B. Stanton, Asst. Surgeon, U.S. Vols General Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio would reach me.

Hoping soon to hear of their safe return I remain

Your friend

B. Stanton

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