

Camp  
Camp near Portsmouth  
April 26th/1864

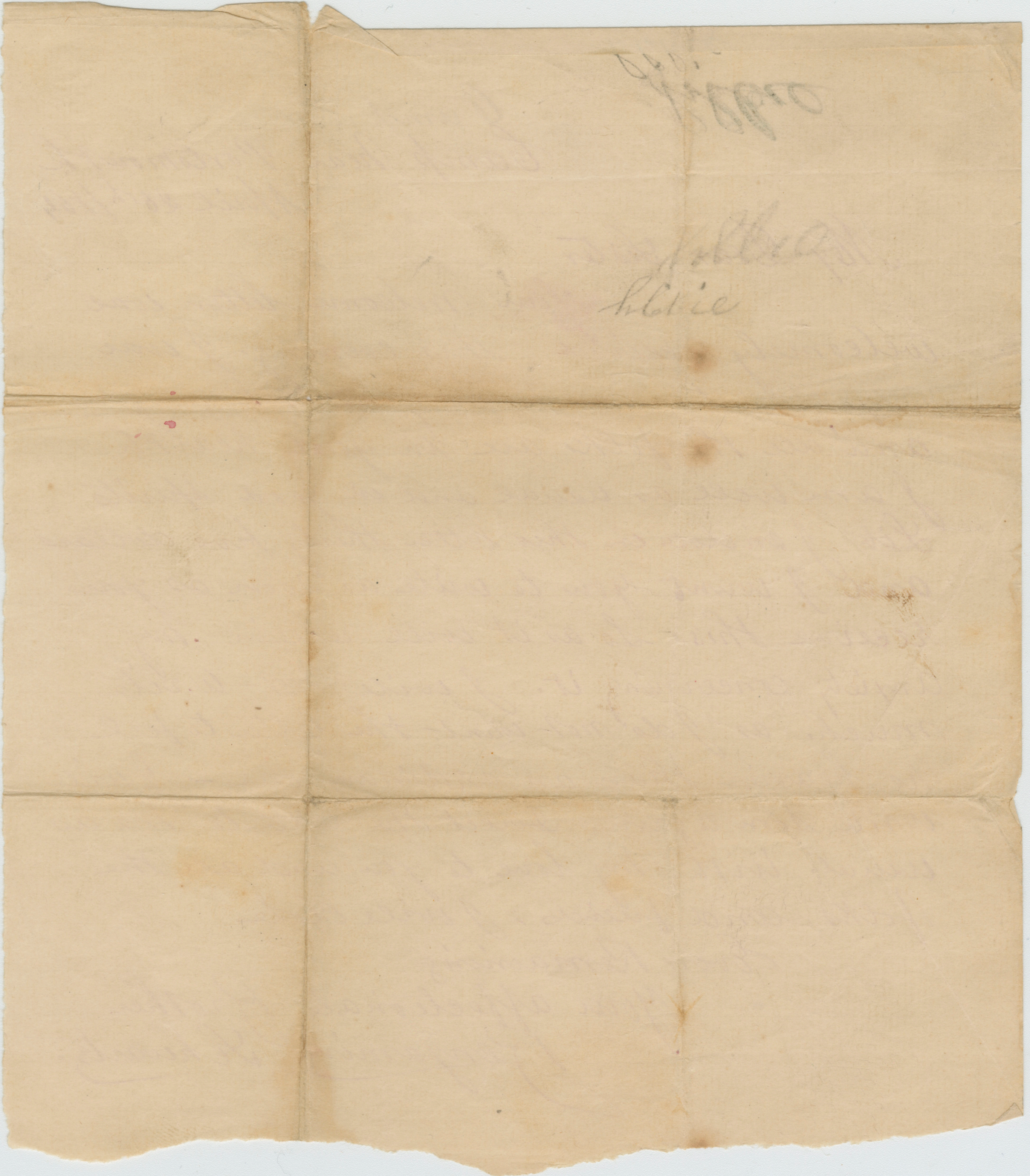
My Dear Sister

Your welcome letter was  
welcome received this evening. I was  
very glad to hear from you. To know you  
and all the folks are in good health  
I am well as usual and in good spirits  
Lib. I enclose in this letter thirty five dollars  
and I want you to write as soon as you  
receive this. So as it will relieve my  
anxiety concerning it. I will not write  
much. as I do not want the letter to feel  
so heavier than an ordinary one - I will  
write soon again. Direct the letter to me as  
usual. With my love to you and all the  
folks. and friends. I will close

Ever Remaining

Your affectionate Brother  
Benjamin Schwartz.





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