

Sept 19th 1862

My Own dear Wife

Thanks to a kind
providence I have again
lived through another ter-
rific battle and am well

But have the sorrowful
news to impart that Dr
Parran was killed, he
fell gallantly fighting
in front of the Wise
artillery, his remains
were carried to his Aunt's

Mr Towers, who will
have him buried in
the Church yard at
Spartan town, Perrin
& We are well, I can
not write any more.
Love all, yours ever

P. C. Scott

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