

Fort Monroe Va

July 6th 1865.

Dear Friend—

It has been
sometime since I have
written to you. I suppose one
reason is because there is a
lady here which appears so
much like you that I
almost forgot but you
were my neighbor as of
old, really Mrs. Mansk, one
of the ladies (an officer's wife)
whom I neighbor with most
is very much like yourself.
I like living in the Fort
as well or better than I did
at first.

Do you hear from
Bradford often? I seldom
get a letter from there. I