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New Orleans May 23^d 1863

My Dear wife I open this letter to say to you that I wish you
to pay Mrs Lynch 10 dollars as Barney says he gave me
20 dollars and if I recollect right I only gave her 10 dollars
and a bounty Check on two I don't know which, we are all
well no especial news from Port Hudson as yet the
Division of Gen Augur had a fight yesterday and whipped
the Rebels on the Plains outside of Port Hudson. The freight
and Insurance will be 15 dollars on the 1000th I have
sent you though I do not know whether it has left here
yet or not

your loving husband

Thos W. Cahill &