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My dear Williams —

I am heading a letter to you wanting some information. How many seasoned National Guard Regiments or how many total seasoned troops who served on the border are at Hatterburg? How many Regular Regiments are there which have been disintegrated by removal of seasoned men to green regiments. That is to say, how many regiments of Regular troops have been disintegrated by removal of trained men?

How many National Guard Regiments have been treated the same way, their seasoned men removed and they filled up with raw recruits? Of course this approximate number is what I want. I would like to know what has become of the