

Albany N. Y.

July 12th 1865,

1 O. Clock PM

Dear Parents,

My Head Quarters are now in Albany. I have been here since Friday morning (7th) left Camp in Virginia on the morning of the 5th.

All hands came through safe and are here now waiting for Pay. We expected to get Pay this week but from present prospects. we will have to wait here over an other Sunday.

I hope it will come as soon as the first of next week at the most. We were mustered out, on the 3rd & spent the 4th in Camp anxiously waiting for the morrow: & to start homeward.

I suppose from the last I wrote you, you will begin to look for me home before long. I hope I shall be there Soon, but will not as Soon as I expected. when I wrote you before we are having to waite [sic] here longer for pay than I expected.

All the boys of your acquaintance with me are well.

The weather is fine & tolerable warm, But not so hot as in Virginia.

You need not look for me till the last of next week at best.

I shall be there when I come anyway.

Nothing more to write.

Your Son Albert

If you have not told anyone of my coming home,

You need not!