

# United States Christian Commission.

## Individual Relief Department.

The UNITED STATES CHRISTIAN COMMISSION seeks to afford a sure and effective medium of communication between the wounded or sick soldier—whether in the Camp or in Field or General Hospitals—and his home friends. This is done by furnishing facilities for writing and by writing for those who are not themselves able. Soldiers, for whom special inquiries are made of us, will be sought out if possible and relieved and their condition made known to those asking. All letters of this character should give the Corps, Division, Regiment, and Company of the soldier, as also the Hospital in which he is supposed to be. Address, UNITED STATES CHRISTIAN COMMISSION, 500 H Street, Washington, D. C.

U S General Hospital <sup>City</sup> Frederick Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1864  
City

Dear Mother i now take my pen in hand to let you know how i am getting along i am quite well i wrote you a week ago yesterday and i have been to the office twice for a day but i havnt got no letter yet but i think i will have one to day i want finish this until i see i havnt heard a word from my Regt since i left it i suppose i will go to my regt before long So i guess you hadent rite until you hear from me again I dont hear any thing about those papers is it all gone through if it is so rite and let me know and if you can get me home i should like to come first but if it cant be done i shall be contented and do the best i can of course Dan thinks that November will tell the story but i think the war wont be over as soon some thinks it will but the sooner the better for i am for my Part iat <sup>hand</sup> Enough of Sougering it is 2 weeks ago yesterday ~~and~~ since i came hear i have had good a Rest it is the first time that i have been away from the regt



The Weather To day is quite Cold  
it seems like fall. If weather well i  
will wait until after dinner and see if i  
wont get a letter Sept the 14. 1864

Well i dont get no letter yet so i will  
Finnish up it its cold & rainy to day well  
I think i will have a letter in the course  
of a day or so now if you dont get my discharge  
i wish you would Write to Abe and state  
the case Just say that you have five sons  
and they are all in the army. And so on  
Well dont Write until you hear from

Me Again for i dont know where  
I will be i will close By Biding  
you Good by This is from your Absent  
Seth Hill To His Dear Mother