

Bridgeport August the 4, 1864

Dear Sister,

I write a few lines this Morning
to you I am getting quite smart
and I hope these few lines will
find you well. and the Rest of the
folks. Clarissa here is a paper I send to
you to Read I get a paper every
five days there is a man that fetches
them around every five days a gives
them to the the soldiers in the hospital
Father they say that wheat is
worth two dollars a bushel I hope
it will keep so till you can sell ours
it will fetch quite a little bit of money
I ~~not~~ would like to be there and drive
freed & John and plow & get in a
good peck of wheat ~~th~~ this fall. Father
you must keep the seed of that wheat
for I beleve that is a good kind

Mother you ^{dry some} Must fruit and
if I stay here this winter
I want to have you send Me a
box with some butter and dried fruit
this fall. O some of your butter
would go so nice to eat on bread
for we don't have none. you can
send a box of butter and fruit that
will way 40. pounds for three
dollars by express, I Must go to
my company in a few days & try
it a time and see if I can stand
it. I can git along till next spring
I in hopes this ~~late~~ war will be over
by then, I don't see how the South can
hold out any longer if we get Richmond
~~it will~~ it will give them pretty
pretty hard one, well I must close my
~~little~~ little letter. So good by to you
all write often & I will try & do
the same. Mother you Must write
Lara & Father Must write.
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