

Tennessee.

Chattanooga. August the ^{27th} ~~28th~~ 1864

Dear Father & Mother,

I set down this time to write
a few lines to you, this time
& let you know that I am
well at present & I hope these
few lines will find you all
the same. I got tired of staying
to the hospital to Bridgeport so
I for the Company the 23rd &
got as far as Chattanooga &
here I have been here three days
to the ~~the~~ ^{the} Conventestont
Camp & as soon as I can get
transportation to the Regiment
I will go but I cant go not un
till they get ready to send me
they are a sending off every
day a squad of Men to the
front & I am anxious to go
but we cant go when we