

~~Weymouth~~ District of Columbia
Washington May the 27th 1865

Dear Father & Mother,
I set down with pleasure to
write a few lines to you to
let you now that I am well
but not so well as when I
left Raleigh, in coming
through on the March I took
a very hard cold which has
made me bout ^{or} sick for two
weeks, it was a very hard
March the days was hot & the
nights so cold, in Virginia the
nights are colder then in any
part of the South, I think but
we are through Marching now
we are in camp about 4 Miles
the Cities on a high piece of ground
in site of the whole place we
had the 24 of this Month ago