

Barringer

Chestnutt Hill Hospil

June 7th 1865

Dear Sister,,

I left washington 5 days ago and am now in Chestnutt hill hospital eight miles north of Philadelphia___I am enjoying first rate health,, and expect I shall be home in about a month – There is about a three thousand men in this hospital___most of them are convalescent___The officers are discharging the men in this hospital as fast as possible___They do not intend to transfer the N,Y State ~~now~~ men to their own State but will discharge them here___We are having very warm and pleasent ~~w~~ wheather here at present___This hospital is situated in a very pleasant place and is the largest & best hospital that I have seen___¥ The Philadelphia market is crowded with the luxuries of the season Such as strawberries, green peas, cheries__and many other ~~h~~ to nurmous to mention

I wrote to you yesterday and through mistake directed the letter to my Mother I thought I would write again to try and see if I ~~could~~ could do any better

I have not much news to write so I will close hoping to hear from ~~y~~ you soon___write as soon as you get this and give me all the news___Have you heard from Uncle Lo,, F,, Peevler ~~lately~~ lately if you have please let me know where he is___With a kind regard for all inquiring friends I remain

Your ~~aff~~ affectionate Brother

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You will Direct

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I wrote this with great haste