Chestnut Hill Hospital
June 29th 1865

Dear Sister

I have written several letters home but have not received no answer from them — I have waited very ~~patient by~~ patiently to hear from home but not one word do I hear —

Considering that some of you are getting rather negligent — I thought I would write and ~~say~~ see if some of you would not write a few lines to me —

I am enjoying

first rate health — ~~I~~
It is very warm and
pleasant ~~here~~ here. And
farmers are getting along
very well with their haying
I could find plenty of
work close by the hospital
but I do not hardly think
it will pay to break in-
to it for what little time
I shall stay here —
I did think that I might
possibly get home by the
first of July — but I shall
~~I~~ be home before the first
of August — They ~~are~~
have transferred a large
number of men from
this hospital within the
past few days —
but there is a considerable

many here yet —

I have not time to write any more at present so I will close hoping to hear from you soon — With a kind regard for all inquiring friends I remain

Your Affectionate Brother.

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