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Head Quarters 9th Indiana Cavalry
Camp Near Nashville, Tenn.
May 22nd 186...-

Dear Father,

I arrived here this morning at 8 A.M.

I found all the boys better that were hurt except

Jim Kennedy, John Howlin, By Smith, Anthony Chambers

who are still in hospital at Nashville.

I feel all most well now and will take any horse

when he gets here which I think will be tomorrow

or next day. We are camped about 3 miles from

town on the East side of the river and south

side of the R.R. He will probably go to Pulaski

about the last or middle of the week and go to

camp there the 1st day men will take the camp

here. I have just come from hearing a sermon

the first I have heard since I left Alabam. Our

Boys will be pretty well worn out by the

time they get here as it has been very very warm

for the last 6 days. We have traveled very badly

on our march from Louisville and there is talk

of Court Martial my led Anderson when he gets

here I hope he will be here. I write you

a long letter from Bowling Green and I will only

write you a short letter. Know I found some

lettter here for me this morning when I arrived

I was very glad to get them as it was the first I

"
In a few days now, they will write to you when he gets here.

I left him at Nashville soon.

Write me who went into the Hundredth Day Service. I want to hear all about it.
Head Quarter 10th Ind Cavalry
Camp near Nashville Tenn
May 22nd 1864

Dear Father

I arrived here this morning at 8 A.M. I found all the Boys better that were hurt Except Sam Camby[[?]] John Surber[[?]] Al Smith Arthur Chambers who are still in Hospital at Gallatin –

I feel all most well now and will take my Horse when he gets here which I think will be tomorrow or next day – We are camped about 3 miles from [[one word]] on the east side of the River and south side of the R.R. – We will probably go to Pulaski about the last or middle of the week and go in Camp there that [[one word]] day men will take our camp here – I have just come from hearing a summon the finish I have heard since I left Columbus.

Our Boys will be pretty well worn out by the trim they got here As it has been very very warm for the last 6 days we were treated very bad on our march from Louisville and there is talk of Court Martialing Col Anderson when he gets here I hope he will be sure – I write you a tiny letter from Bowling Green and I will only write you a short letter now I found the letters here for me this morning when I arrived I was very glad to you then as it was the first
heard since I left you at Louisville.

   I will write to Uncle George and Aunt L [[hole in letter]]

In a few days now George will write you when he gets here he was feel pretty well when I left him at Bowling Green

   Write me who went into the [[one word]] day [[one word]] I want to hear all about it – I

will not write more now

   Good Bye

James B. Safford
C.N. 10th Ind Cavry
[[one word]]