

Patton County Ga.
August 14th 1862

Dear Mother

I was a Father
a few days ago. I was on
business. I was giving an
account of the battle.
Since the fight we have
been busy getting ready
to meet them again should
they come. They suffered
severely in the attack
I am sure that they
will be glad to repeat it.

Our reg. lost two or four
hundred men. I was
killed about a week
ago. I was
among the killed but
my name was not
on the list. I was
in advance of our
line. I was a
very good
soldier. I was
very
well.