

Letter No. 12

Hospital Near Rappahannock
Station. Nov. 8th / 63

Dear Parents & Brothers; I improve the first opportunity to answer your last two or three letters you will think perhaps that I am getting fancy like by using red ink but I got all out & you can't guess what this is, well it is the juice of garget berries. it makes a very good substitute. We moved yesterday from Warrenton here I was not able to march so they let me ride in an ambulance I had gone from the Hospital to my company three days before but had done no duty & carried no gun. there was quite fight last night but my being sick I was not there, my Regt was engaged. I dont know where I am but I dont much