

My Dear Mother

Camp Terrible

We got here about 10 last night all safe & sound. We are quartered in the Old Depot about a mile from the City. For breakfast I had 2 pint tins full of strong Koffee & Chunks of bread about a yard square. We expect to remain here some time but do not know certainly as we have not seen General H. The Captain staid at the Virginia House last night. I got three bunches of flowers before I left town. Got the very ~~best~~ women here. I went to see one & she asked me to stay with her as long as we staid here. We are going to march to the Pres. Church today. You must excuse the scratch as I am writing it standing up & on the bottom of my Canteen.

Your Son  
Fred