

Dec. 27

Today is pretty cold and windy. We have not had as cold weather here as I thought we would in Va. About two hours ago, nearly all of our boys in the company went outside of the breastworks in an old field and we chose sides and played "Town ball" and after we played that awhile we played a game of Bull-pen. This is the first time that we have played anything of the sort since we have been in Va. It reminded me very much of my past school days. Did I tell you that Col. Colquitt had gone home on furlough? He left with Capt Barclay. Capt Barclay has become very unpopular with his co. He has got to be most too big. I believe nearly every man in the company dislikes him. I used to like him very well, but don't now. Fred is now the best and most popular officer in the company. The men did not like him much at first, but they all like him very much now. We never drill any now, but just go out on dress parade every evening. How was Troup Witcher's co. armed? Is there any other company forming anywhere in the neighborhood now? And are there many men there now who should be in the army? Do you know where the Rome Artillery is stationed now? Is Billy Gibson at home, and is Mr. Bell of C.S.? There are no prospects of a fight here, but we are well prepared for them if they do come. If there are any men to go from our company to carry those Yankee prisoners when they go, I think I will try to go on account of my box. I am afraid it will never come from Richmond unless some of us go after it.

Give my love to Ma and the children, tell them to write to me as often as they can.

Respects to the neighboring families.

When you write, tell me all my questions and all the news.

Write when convenient.

Your obedient son

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