

Cin July 18/63

My Dear Wife

We are on the eve of leaving for Nashville "prospects good" I have not read any letter from you since I wrote and am disappointed!! Ella was here yesterday & today your mother is well as usual Elias is sick & I could not leave the boat long enough to see your mother Our Cargo Consists of Sutlers goods and as they are in so many small pkgs it Kept Joe & I both bussily engaged all the time on the wharf till late at night we have no Passengers but are full of Frt & if we are successful will make a good trip. I have been very well & all on board are well except Elias I got Dr Dave Indkins to See him and I think he will get well the water appears to dissagree with him I think he is mending now I will write you from Evansville or Nashville again Kiss all the children and tell them to be good I wrote to Russell to day & Sent him a statement of My income Tax to Pay it? I am in a great hurry and have not time to write long get what sugar you want from Russell

Ever your affectionate Husband
W.B. Anderson

PS Excuse all Errors Write often