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Keeler Civil War Letters

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Office of Acting Assistant Quartermaster, 2nd Division 23rd Army Corps Salisbury, North Carolina, *{Tuesday}* June 27the 1865

Dear Wife,

I now set down to inform you that I start for home tomorrow at 11 o'clock a.m.

The time has finally come and I am ready and only a few more days before I will see you. This is my last night in Salisbury and I shall soon go to bed, for I am tired and sleepy. I have worked hard early and late to be ready by the time the regiment started and I have only accomplished it. I have made all my returns and mailed them this evening and now I can say that I am not responsible for the first article of government property and for the first time in over two years I am off duty. You will hear of us when we arrive at Detroit *{MI*} and

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I will write as soon as I can after my arrival there. Do not come down to Detroit to meet me unless I send you word to come. You may expect me in about two weeks from now if no accident prevents.

I shall not write much this time for I do not feel like writing for I have done nothing but write for two days and so I will bid you a good night.

I am as ever Your Affectionate Husband, D. D. Keeler

Mrs. S. M. Keeler East Saginaw Michigan

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