

June 28, 6, P.M.

Hard fighting all
with artillery and small
arms - Charged Chatham
Ceborn Hindman - Go for
possession of Chatham's works
- above work immediate -
Ceborn's Div. stood as firm
as a rock - killed 7 of Chatham's
men with bayonets - Good many
Yanks killed with bayonets
- Havort's Div. report says
several thousand
Yanks killed & wounded - Saw
2 Granbury's Brig. - Said very
small loss - Saw train cars with
64 Yanks prisoners several 100
more captured - Very heavy
shelling along the entire line
- This morning cowardly Brigade
run to F. did not tell Prof
of it - Yanks flanked

Bob before he knew it & he
but he come off with the loss
of 10 men = Robt Brigade is
very confident of whipping up
the other Brigs. will stand
by them = Pete is sick = he
has the Bronchitis = he is terribly
sick though not dangerous
he went to the hospital yest-
erday = his med. not be
under any apprehension for him
for I think he will be well in
a week or two days. I am
taking care of his horse.

Dear I received the letter
that you sent by Cobb yes-
terday evening & you stated
that the reason Robt. did
not join Cobbs Co. was
that he was gone after
Fannie. That is the least of
smallest reason why he
NOT join the Co. I will write
you a letter & send it by Cobb
himself giving Robt. every
reason that any body could

hope he should not join
that could if he will not take
any advice after 3 years of
rough experience & a fair
chance. No judge of the charac-
ters of a disposition of men
especially a man that I have
been as closely connected with
as I have been with Cobb.

Cobb is a brave man, but
that is the only qualification
he has for an officer - he is
the most tyrannical man I
ever saw & not without
he has had a good deal of
Success he fights without
any judgement, the consequence
will be that one of these days
him & his men will all be
captured or killed something
through his want of judgement
& besides that if Robt is deter-
mined to come in to the ser-
vice before he is of age he
might wait until I
can come down (if I ever do)
for I will come this this fall

if ever get a jurlough & then
I could have got him into a
place where he could have done
well. Dear I want to know
whether you got it or not.
As soon as you have an opportunity
of writing to me if it
all all means till Boston I am
at home until fall if you
repeat what I have already
wrote to ^{him} that the business
is something he knows nothing
at all about & it does seem
to me that ^{he} ought to have

Confidence enough in me
to take my advice, and ad-
vantage of the experience that
3 year of hard service has
given me, but if he will not
do it let him go & do as
he will. Yours in haste
G. W. C.