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Genl Hospital, Danville Va.

To Mrs. Ellen Andrews

I sought and opportunity
of writing you a few lines
Your Husband Ed. is no more
He died yesterday Evening late
of Consumption, he appeared to be
very willing to go, he requested me
to write you. I am acting here as
Stewart of this ward in which he
was in. And there has been great
attention paid to him since he
came here, he was buried as the
Confederates bury their own Dead
he always got the best diet the room
could afford, when he got low I was
pleased with the kind treatment
He Recd. from the nurses & myself
I want you to write me as soon
as you Rec, this note I direct your
Letter to Gooden Wilson Danville
Va. Genl. Hospt. 2nd sub. div Ward. No 2

I have your Photo. in my
case of which I will forwa-
rd to you as soon as I can
into our lines. you can rely
On what I tell you

Gooden Wilson

C. S. Officials will please
forward this through the
Lines

To Mrs Ellen Andrea
Ellicottville
Cattaraugus Co. N.Y.