

Give my love
 to all I think
 it is all up about
 one coming home
 and I will
 I will fast perhaps
 I am as well as
 contented
 you could
 Sister
 I hope you
 I hope that I
 I am I wish
 a mother to say
 you go hear and
 you go there
 and you and
 do just as
 that both

I was a looking for
 a letter two night from you but I
 did not get and the mail has not
 came in but I guess it will come
 there to morrow as you have wrote
 a few lines in Leonard letter I think
 that I will do like wise perhaps you
 have not got my letter but I think
 that you have and did not get it until
 the very last of the week and have not
 had a chance to put it into the office
 I am getting along nicely have not
 got farly over my journey yet I have
 got a bad cold I am glad to hear that
 the boys are getting those discharges
 I have most forgot though it was
 for I have lost the letter but
 Mr Parse is one of them and Alher

Colles is a mother Leathers has had
 a good time I suppose and I
 have not heard from him we
 parted only about you have us all
 I am glad to hear that you are all
 well and have got something to
 do Carrell wrote that that money
 was plenty and I expect that
 things are good by they doing good
 business with the Party I have
 not heard much about that since
 I came out it is 8 months today
 since I enlisted I have got
 six months pay in my pocket
 and when I shall get my more
 I have got three twenty dollar
 bills and I have been thinking
 about sending some of it home
 in a letter most all the boys have
 got two or three letters since we have
 been here I will give you my post
 office address Mr Seth H Alden, U. S. A.
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Yours &c Seth H Alden