



Camp 140 Reg<sup>ts</sup> & 3 Bns  
Deep Bottom, Va

Mar 21<sup>st</sup> 63

Dear Brothers & Sisters

Your welcome letter  
of the 19<sup>th</sup> just was duly  
read. I was glad to hear  
from you. As usual

I rec<sup>d</sup> your letter this  
morning and rep<sup>d</sup> by immediate  
mail. We are now under  
marching orders expecting  
to leave every moment.

General Sheridan's forces  
formed a junction with  
us yesterday. The Army  
is all alive and you may  
expect to hear some  
interesting news from us  
in a few days. I sent  
Mr Allen three hundred



and fifty dollars by Express  
 a few days ago also a  
 Box with some Clothing  
 I could not take with  
 me on the march

The Box is addressed to  
 Aunt in Care of Mr. Allen  
 was sent to Connecticut  
 I will enclose five  
 Dollars for you. I recd.  
 a letter from C. J. Bates,  
 the same time I got yours  
 I have answered it and  
 enclosed ~~five~~ 10  
 dollars for him to give  
 to Father. Give my love  
 to my mother. Tell her to  
 be a good girl I will  
 soon be home I can  
 not give you any  
 friends in this  
 letter. Love  
 Anne



Answer soon  
My love to all  
Your loving daughter  
Alvina D. Smith

Mr Henry A. Safford





Mr Henry H. Hoffman  
New York City  
Schuyler Co  
N.Y.

received this ~~April~~ April 4 65  
Answered this April 6