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Harrison Landing 1862²

Harrisons landing N.Y. July

Thurs. Morn

Dear wife

I recd. letter

from you a few days
ago stating that the
children had the chimney
which I am very sorry for
them I thought the were
over it since last fall
but with the help of
God it will not amount
to much loss for it must
be on decline also you
had mentioned about a
recit of 10 dollars which
you got I do not know any
thing about 10 dollars for
it is 15 dollars which
I sent home and if you

Don't get it wrote as
quick as you can and
I shall have it put on
the next pay roll for expect
to be paid the last of this
month I have sent all
the letters which you
sent me but I think think
that the all don't go for
I give a good many copies
of this letter I also mean
to let you know that I
am well and in good health
At present thank the Lord
for it the weather is very
hot for at present which
is the only thing that
troubles us I suppose you
have heard of the Battle
which held for 3 days
the papers & suppose gives
all particulars about it

Dear wife I feel very
glad that your Brother
John is landed and I hope
that I will have the pleasure
of his company some time
or other I live through
this war I hope it will
be over coming on the fall
as soon as you get this
letter get Brother John to
put up a small Box and
send it to me tell him
put 1 gal of whiskey in
1 gal of g^og. which it is the
safest place to put and
send me a towel and 2 pocket
handkerchiefs and that will
be all I want except
if you think that your
Bark has to stand some
time for I have not got
any soft bark for a month

Dear wife I hope you
will not feel uneasy
about me take all the
care you can of the children
and sumbro me to them
and tell Martha that I will
send her a present next pay
day Give Give my love to
Martin and John and all
the Kegan girls no more
at present from your
affectionate husband
Michael Lally

Direct the Box as this

Michael Lally Co. C
11 Regt. Mass Vol
Hookers Division - John
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