


 Camp of the 11 Regt Mass
 Hol of War Jericho N.H. to a
 January the 27th 1865

Dear wife I did
 down with pleasure to write
 those few lines to you hoping
 it will find you and the
 children in good health as the
 departure of this one in at present
 thanks be to God for His Blessing
 to us all I mean to let you
 know that I received a letter from
 you dated the 17 and another
 on the 19 which is the only
 ones I have got since the
 16 of December

Dear wife I feel happy
 to hear that you are over
 your trouble and I hope that
 you will take good care.

of your self and a not
to get up to Seoon ^{time}
Also you must not be uneasy
about me for I will try to
do the best I can for ye all
I main to inform you that
I can not go home at present
but I will try to see ye in
two or three week after
I will get paid

So you are
better get the child baptized
and you will feel contented
I have not much more to say
at present give my love
to the Children and all
Magistering friends and
No more

You must get some
bread with for Mary and
tell her to write to the
Directors settle with

for the inf's two
pale

And also I mean
to let you know that
you can call the
child what name you
find to it will

Sent me

your truly

Sargant Michael Lally
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I sent as this

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