

Fair Oaks Station Va
 Mrs Bridgett Lally June 13 1862

Dear wife

P.S. I letter from you on the
 "which gives me great pleasure
 to hear that you and the children
 was in good health which the
 departure of this leaves me in
 the same thanks be to God for
 his blessing to me Dear wife I am
 glad that I have the opportunity
 of sending you some money this
 morning for fear it might be the
 last for we have a dangerous
 battle before us in few days
 but with the help of God we will
 save you from all danger and
 bring you safe through it
 as he was before and with the
 hope of him I will get through this

Dear wife I got paid to day
2 months pay and in few days
you will get 15 dollars I suppose
It will come to Roxbury to you
for that was my direction. And
As soon as you rec^d it you
will write and let me know how
it also I send you five dollars
in this letter for to help to
dress the children for the summer
which I hope it will get to
you in quick time you will
let Patrick know that I rec^d letter
from him last week which
he wrote on the 2 of June and
I have got on the 5 which I was
very happy to hear that you were
all in good health I will
write in few days to him
and hope by that time I will
be safe in Lebanon

Dear wife I should mention
little about the Battle of
Lawson but about the
whole particulars in the
Paper so far as I could
come to it but with the
Help of God I will long enough
to write the particulars of the
Battle of Richmond. I have not
much to say at present but
let me know if Martin stops
with you or is he doing anything
and give him my respects—
and also give all the girls
my respects (and remember me
to them all) No more at
present from your Affection
Husband Michael Lally
Good by Mary and Martha
and Margaret and tell Johnny
that his Father is in the
Soldiers—

Direct your letter
as this

Michael Lally
Co C 11 Regt. Mass Vol.
Washington D. C.

You made mention
of sending me anything
which I should need but
I thank you there is nothing
that I want at present

from my person but
I am blessing for safety
Home
