

## United States Sanitary Commission.

Camp of the 11 Mass Vol,  
June the 6<sup>th</sup> 1865

Dear wife I sit  
down to write those few lines  
to you Hoping it will find  
you and Children in good  
Health as the Departure of  
this leaves me in at present

Dear wife I should  
Ans<sup>r</sup> your Letter before this  
date but I was waiting  
to get orders to get home  
Every day but we have got  
none as yet there did 50  
men leave our Reg<sup>t</sup> for home  
yester day. They are Discharging  
the army as fast as they can  
get transportation Except  
the Veterans will be the  
Last now I think It

that the balance of the  
Regt will not get Home  
Before the middle of  
July and so I would  
as we get orders to  
go I write and let you  
the day we will start  
and my Love to  
the Children I hope  
to see that I will see  
you all in a few days  
I'm now at present  
from your truly

Husband

Michael Lally

Sergeant Co C 11 Regt  
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Let me now see is  
Father and all the Friends  
And let me now where is  
Michael Kelly working  
this summer

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