

Camp Tinkins Lookout
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My dear Rhoda

I received your of the 25th containing 95 cents and 8 stamps but I don't like the style of your half sheet letters it seems to bad to send just half a sheet more then 1000 miles when you can send 3 or 4 sheets just as well and there is not a day since I left home that some thing did not happen that I would be glad to hear of I am going to make you do with a half this time but I have wrote a whole sheet to your father and then did not write all I wanted to Leut S W Beardly Comr of Co. E was in here this morning he saith our letter should directed Co E 154th Redgt

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you need not put 11th Corps on them but N Y S V should be always on though I have had some that it was not on you must not think that we have moved Camp because that I have dated this Camp Tinkens I done it on account of an order by Col Jones that this camp should be known as Camp Tinkens in honor of 1st Leut J. T Tinkens who died at Richman a prisoner of war now I want to know what is the reason that you have not sent me your likeness here I have been telling that I was going to have your likeness so long that I am ashamed to get a letter as it never comes and if you will direct a few papers and put a 2 cent stamp on it I will want it to come

James D Quilliam

my love to you