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dear rhoda i have ben wating for a letter fram you a long time i want to hear from you very much i wanted to write but i have no stamp i borrod one the last time i wrote and i must now borrow another and i would like to have you send me some if you can i expect that i will get my pay ina short time i would like to know how you air getting along with your winter prevision and how much munney have you got and what is the prospect of getting the bounty if you can tel which town i belong to i will get the captan to write an order for it if nesesary the last time i wotre to you we were in hie mountans we air now back to fairfax i donot think we will march much more this winter but i cannot tell any thing a bout where i may be i am glad that george wrote me that letter tell him that i get along sleeping on the ground very well sometimes we have straw or hay and when we cnt get eather we get pine or ceader browse

rhoda i hoate you will make your self as content as posable i think that the war will soon be over and i can come home remember me to all my friends tell elisabeth that i should like to have her write to me

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