

ORIGINAL MISSING

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Dear Mother, I got those
stamps all right but they
are all gone they went with my
Pocket book so I would
like a few more you neednt
send me any money for i can
borrow some until we
get paid off I want too
know if you got that money
that i sent by Express and i
want you too use what you
want of my money too make
you comfortable i felt some
what bad when i mist my
Pocket book but there is no
use of Whining nor spilt milk
the 7 is elost by us they have

been Paid off Christopher
was let too Washington
Sick We dont know where
We will go too from hear we
have bee sent on the 9 a every
day this this month but we
left and laid at chain bridge
and i have felt beter since
i got back then i did all the
time in Louisiana I am in
hopes i will get my Discharge
but if i dont get it i think
i will be home on a further
furlough after the fall
Campaign is over & we go
into winter quarters but i am
in hopes Every Mail that comes
in that my Papers will come there
is one good thing we have got a good
Captain as Ever so was he is a
very good too his men. Will Mother i
want too get home if i dont stay more
than 2 days and if we get into winter

My Masters, I will be the first
one for a Furlough Well I don't
think of any thing more at
Present only Write as soon as
you get this and direct too
Washington So you wanted too know
What you would do this Winter
if didn't get home I am shure i do
not know but if i don't come home
i will try and send you money
Enough too make you Comfortable
I will close by bidding you good by
Hoping too hear from you soon
Thy This is From Your son
Son Seth Hill

Too His Dear
Mother

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