Wilsons Wharps Jan 22 Dear Mother with pleasure that I sit down to an write you a few lines to let upose know I am well and I hope this will fired you the same I received o letter from Amelia Hoger night be fore dast I have got socks enough for the present but your can send me a cest if you are a minel do face can send it by mail and at doldiers clothing and it will come

all right in regard to that seventy five dollars That upon sent me I got Things that I needed I was a bout three weeks se in getting to my company and I see rather hard times we encountered heavy storm when I expeted way minute de go over board and gain a watery grave but the lord took care of me and he is able to protect whe still don't wary a bout me for I think the war will soon be over it never worked so favorable a it don now I have being in aire a year and the

other lever years will soon pass over if I have to stay my livre and but I don't think I shall have to what is the general opinion of the people up there a bout butter the beast as we soldiers eall him am glatt he has bere relieved several of our bous are prisoners now I had all my money stolen the other day but I had got a bout every thing that I needed I lost all of my cloths to the hospita so that I had to by and it has cost me a bout a hundred

dollars write how mutch our tapes was this year I have bought me another watch it is a good one show does your watch get a long I could not get a long with out one write soon from your George of Hill to sally (4) This hi Modher I was surprised to get a letter from Amlia but was glad to think that I had found a frience. who a would give me good activice A A