

Letter #3 to his father

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Camp Cooper near Shelbyville June 20¹⁶³

Dear Farther

I take this opportunity of dropping you a few lines to let you know that I am well at present hoping you are the same I wrote a letter to Davy telling him that we were going to be paid I received \$20 and will enclose \$10 dollars not deeming it safe to send more I will send more as soon as you get this I want you to write as soon as you receive this letter I have not the time to write any more as I have to go on guard today give my love to Mother and all the rest of our family I remain your affectionate Son

R.C.Long