

We have not had any
pay yet and I dont
know where we shall
get any

We have got a good place
here good barracks to stay
in but we have to go on
guard pretty often

They are as strict with us
as they can be We have
got to come to town as
go to the guard house
for a sack of bread and
and butter

that is all this time

Write a gain soon
you will have to send
a postage stamp if I
write a gain
Adrian

Memorise No. 10
This is pretty good writing

Camp Parale No.
January 24th 1864

Dear Brother

your letter of
the 18th I received about
3 minutes ago. I was glad to
hear from you you are just
the man I wanted to hear
from. I thought you had got
over your War fever.

I dont know but am sure
idly has the War fever.
there is one way that it can
be cured that is the only way
it can be cured too I guess.
And that is to enlist for

three years as during the
War. Then at the end of three
years I. let you want
have the least symptoms of
the War fever.

Do you see the boys have
an flourish that have enlist-
ed. they have got plenty of
Money they can get movies
spend their money and
enjoy them selfs good for
a few days. But it is as
we after express it here
When a man enlists.
he is 30 days in Paradise
and three years in Hell.

I shant advise you to enlist
as not to you can do as
you think best. But mind
one thing if you know your
As you must sit on the
Blisters. I thought you were
working for Wright what

see you not work there now
I have had a great notion of
enlisting but I have got off
from that notion now I
think I shall wait until I
have served three years and
then if I want to be a Sol-
dier any longer I shall go
where I want have to eat
a knapsack all around the
country "with the Red tan
Duck", go a hard a man was
that is the place for me.

I have not seen Bell Kingsley
he is down town in some
Hospital. When I go town
town again I will go and
see him if I can find
him. I think Dad is real
ish to keep that arld
Ply if he has to buy
pay for her