

think I have done
with me all your
Patellian drill that we must
be patient. he could not
span us all at once But would
let Sam go Monday and
when they come back he
would let Sam move go.
I had just as leave next a
month as not before I go.
Then "Johnson" and "Mite" are
married are they? is that the
way the soldiers do that get
furloughs now a days?
There has been a great change
in the program. No Kelley,
did not tell "there" I have
made a mistake "Mary" rather
did not tell me of the fake
Kelley got off on East and
me I never have heard any
thing about it "what is
it?" "Something Land" I
believe. Well my paper has
cut and I must quit
as ever yours Adrian
with
Darling
for

Camp Parale Annapolis
Jan 30th 1864
My Darling Sadie
I recd your letter
Wednesday but I have not
had time to answer it. I was
very glad Dear to get your
letter. The weather has been
very warm and pleasant
for the past week. We have
had only one hard snow
storm but yet there
was not snow enough to
make good sleighing.
Sadie I dont know but you
will think that I dont love
you near as much as I have

after told you that I did
When you hear that I have
reenlisted. But I do love
you Darling better than I
can tell you with my Pen or
even my tongue. Would
fail to express half the aff
ections and love I have
for you. I do not doubt you
love Sadie in the least. I
know you are a precious good
girl. and I shall be so glad
when this War is over and
we can all be at home again
and see men and enjoy the
society of our Darling ones.
But until the War is ended
I dont believe I could stay
at home and be contented
"that that I mean to hast ^{forward}
being Patriotic". But I want

to be in the Army when
Peace is declared. and that I
trust will be soon. One man
summer will unwind this
Rebellion and leave its scathed
fragments to the Mercy of
Old "Abn." perhaps as some
other worthy Union Man.
I dont expect to have to stay
three years longer. but then
I may if I do. it is not as
if I had got to go to "State
Prison" for some wicked crime
is it? I shall be home on
a furlough soon though I
cant tell how soon there is
a lot going on furloughs
Monday but I dont know
whether I shall go then or
not. Col. Root told us the
other day while we were at