

Libby Prison Jan 20, '64

Dear Sister,

I rec'd your letter dated Dec. 20 this morning, Also one from Morris & Wm. Picket & one from Alonzo, they were all well I rec'd permission from the Confederate authorities on the 11th of this month to go to Bell Isle and see my men there is but 5 of my company left on Bell Isle now. One has died there, balance has been paroled, I gave to them \$65 in money and some tea coffee & pepper which I rec'd from Adams which will help them a great deal. I sent to them a short time Before this \$45 in money. We all feel in hopes to get home soon, but it may be we will have to stay here another summer. Morris writes me that his health is good. Wm Picket is enjoying good health. Alonzo says his health is good. Before this will find you enjoying good health if you can get Giley's picture on a card without to much trouble you may & send it to me I think it will come safe. I am in hopes that we will get out by the first of next month. Write soon.

B G Casler