



Camp Griffin Fairfax Co.  
Virginia Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> 1861  
Dear Sister

I received  
you letter last-Friday  
morning and was glad to  
hear from home and to  
know that you are all  
well at home. I am  
tough and hearty as ever  
and able to eat my  
allowance of Beef and  
biscuits with any of them.  
The health of our company  
is improving some I  
think. There has been two  
deaths in our company  
so far, <sup>namely</sup> John Roland &  
Walter Osburn.

There are also a number