

Head Quarters 2<sup>d</sup> <sup>Corp</sup> Div. <sup>Pa</sup>  
Morristown Tenn.  
March 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

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in Cincinnati. I would send by express or by telegraph to N and find out if such a box was at the express office if so what expenses were to be paid on it then he could send by express the money to pay for storage. It seems to me that it would pay to hunt up the box but if it is going to cost more than the contents of the box is worth of course it will not pay. Tell Yiba if he chooses to look up the box I will pay half of the expense if he concludes to let it go why all right. I don't care much anyway. I would like to have you send me by Yiba a pr. of socks and a good silk handkerchief Mary I wrote you for a memorandum a long time ago I have never got. Mary I want you to write me about the allotments from

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to write me all about it. I don't  
understand by what Father has  
written. I suppose Father has got the  
interest for that lent to the town.  
Mary did you get the \$2 I sent you  
from Lake Springs. Tell Liba if  
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will pay send it by express home &  
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