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Dear Anna

Enclosed you will find a Draft for Twenty Dollars, which you can use as you think best - I thought of sending you some at Christmas and then again thought of the uncertainty and delay that might occur and also if you had it at the time you could use it to a better advantage and consider it partially as a Christmas present - I wish I was doing well enough to send you the same amount every one and a while, but shall try and send you a little occassionally - or that you may buy a few little needfuls & articles and have a little money about You - Dam not doing as well as I might hope to especially having to encounter the many inconveniences of living in such a country and place as this - This is a great place, and a lively Camp. but well overdone in every branch of business and calling

I send you to nights paper with an interesting acct of a shooting affair that took place a night or two ago —
It will soon be a year since I left home and dont the time fly — It is after ten o'clock now, and I am more than ~~writing~~ thru off it has only taken me after moments to reach this point — a walk of a few block to office to mail it after I have closed up — We have had quite a storm — but to night it is clear & the coldest we have had yet — you can put your name on the back of the draft and give it to Uncle Alfred and he can get the money for you — dont put your name on the back until you get ready to give it to Stin or Tom Nealon or any one you may wish to. Tom comes to a ward as any one — with love to all and lots to your dear self

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