

Kenosha Camp Harvey Dec<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1861

Dear Sister Jennie

I thought

I would write You a few lines on a sepe-  
rate sheet as You ~~se~~ did the same, although  
I have nothing speshal to write having  
written all the news to Fidealia, and poorly  
did at that, as You will see if You get a  
squint at it, although this specimen  
will convince You of the fact probably.

But You must have measy, as my table  
is a pease of paste board laid on a  
blanket and my seat is the straw in  
the botton of the tent, a splended rig  
for writing try it and see if you dont  
belive me. Now Jennie it seems to me  
that You and Fidealia are troubled  
with the young men, or elee they are  
troubled about You, I think that -  
Mr Hempsted has made quite an impre-  
ssion