

another summer I hope  
that I can get them for  
the more the merrier  
as I cannot think of  
any more to write  
I believe I will close  
this to & close

Give my love to all  
write soon & all of the  
news

Tell Henry that  
I should like to  
hear from him

Yours truly  
Henry

J. S.  
Johnson  
to L. S. B.

Morrison Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 1862

Cousin Lizzie I  
received your kind & ever welcome  
letter a few days ago I was  
glad to hear from you & learn that  
you were all well

I am as well as  
usual but awful tired I  
have been taking of a sick  
person since last Friday I have  
sat up three nights & part  
of last night, it is Elliot  
Pollard a nephew of Leonard Pollard  
of Addison, he joined an infantry  
company & was in camp at Dixon  
he has taken sick there with  
the inflammatory rheumatism, he  
is at home now, he is as  
helpless as a little child, cannot  
stir hand or foot, it is a