

CIVIL WAR - 1862

Wounded Soldiers in Hospital



My love to Mrs Dale
and all the friends

Wilmington Monday 31st

Dear Husband

I just recd
your very welcome letter it
gave me the blues you seem
so lonesome and talk as if
you wished me to come home
I wish it was so I could
but I must stay as other
need get Mr Fuller told me
this morning he could not
get along any faster with
my head just assumed I
will be on hand some with
will do for I am home sick
yet I have had a very pleasant
visit taking all things in
consideration "We had a
splendid trip to Camp James
it was worth a great deal to

must say that they
are such nice boys
she does not want
to go home yet we have
a great time about in the
children get along so nicely
together they can't think
having her leave I felt
much better than I did when
I left home "Now don't
think we are not coming
home in any short time if
live I will be on hand I
want to see you all very
much yourself and family
most of all I will again
in a few days unless
this immediately don't fail
do not make me home sick
when I can't come my love
to all your self all I have
to give has Tomson come
home yet it is late my
Wach is the nicest thing I
ever had — Good boy
your Abbie