Murfeesboro Tenn Jan 4th 1862 (1863)

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And the star spangled banner in triumph shall wave,
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Mr B Newlin

Dear Brother, after a very hard days labor of dripping wounds, helping to amputate limbs, attend to the nurses & performing all kind of Labor. I will attempt to give you a few ideas. Behold the motto at the head of this paper then ask yourself how I came by this. I helped to drive them from the field and took this out of their cassons. They came here to drive us away, But they found it far different on Sunday. We were ordered to cook three days rations

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Regt 30th Miss lost a great many.
We took 7000 thousand prisoners
~~40~~ 60 pieces ~~Artillery~~ artillery, a great many
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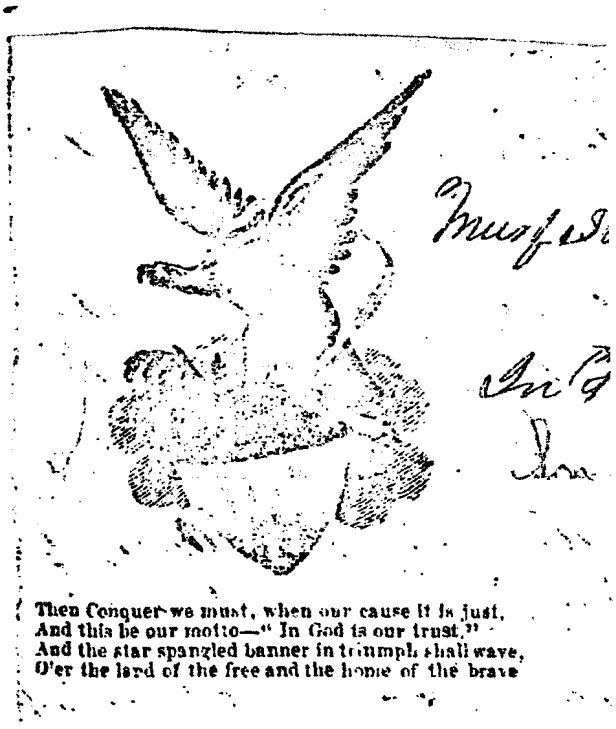
and Waggons, Coffee, Suggar & Molasses
& Medicine, Whiskey &c.
We Killed several of their Generals

and took many other prisoners.
We lost one Genal; Several Col.
We have been laying on our guns
ever since. They have drove the
enemy from their Breastworks
I remain George W Nowlin
To B W Nowlin

From:
George W Nowlin
To: J Bro.
B. W. Nowlin



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Co. A, 31 Tennessee Inf.
F+S.
COL. A. H. BRADFORD

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(Confederate.)

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