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This is page two of a letter from Elizabeth Watson to her husband, James Watson during the Civil War. See page 1, page 3 and envelope in which it was mailed.

your father's folks is all well and getting  
along very well allison is a darking for me  
and expects to work 10 or 12 days he has left  
home and expects to man before he goes  
back he is a talking of coming to you but  
I think it is all a talk getting is really  
a good crop of corn and is milking 2 cows  
that are increasing and doing well  
franklin was up a bout a week ago and  
that was all well and franklin has a fine  
saw miss McKenry is dead has bin dead some  
is weeks this has bin several deaths in our  
country and her dying words was pray for  
me the Calhoun cause dare of killing  
crane this is 3 company of volunteers  
made up in macon county one starts  
to day this Capt is Alfred Bell and  
allison amons will start before long  
we shall have quite a warm winter then  
for this time of year and the next  
rain is ere hand of a fall we shall have  
had some frost but it hasn't  
come now including this is good crop  
made in hinchbury but it is too warm  
and wet to gether yet I hope there  
will be a change of weather for a little  
cooler weather would be the best and  
perhaps would be better for you

my dear I wish I could see you  
- we could have a heap of good fun  
look on next page

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