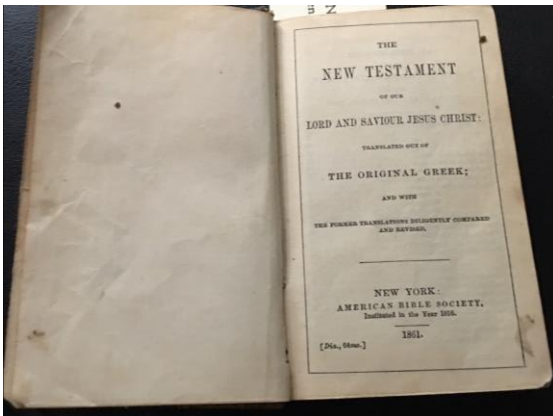


# Camp Comforts

During the Civil War, both the Union and the Confederacy fielded massive armies. Camp life became the norm for thousands of men during those years. These soldiers often carried small comforts from



home with them. Soldiers would pass hours playing card games among themselves using cards like these produced for the Union Army. Also, with a vast majority of soldiers

being from Christian backgrounds, pocket Bibles like the one here were not uncommon.