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My Dear and Beloved Bell

I write these few lines to you hoping they will find you and the Children in purfect health as leaves me at present thank the Lord to God for all his tender mercy to inform you that i mail'd fifty Dollars with Adams Express you Can Call there and get them as soon as you will receive this letter i Could not send the money safe no Other way if they wont pay you your Relief money tell them to go to Hell I wish if you plese to go and by a Barrel of flower and your groceries before the winter Sets in and get what Coal you want if you mean to Stay in that house and by for your Self and the Children what Ever they want in Shoes and Stockings and Every thing you want dont Spare any thing make your Self

Comfortable i will get a furlow as soon as i posible can get one i was looking for a letter sure last night from you but in vain i wish to get a letter from you every week i rite one allwais as soon as i receive yours except the last time i had no time i had a letter from you last Saturday a week ago and never a one since i have kept a two dollar Bill for pocket money and send you the fifty Dollars we were payd for four months and they owe me a month and a part of this i have no more time to rite at present i must go and cook diner i will send you some News next week answer this letter as soon you will receive the money

May love to all my old neibors and My love to you and Ellen and the little Blue Eie Bell Kiss them for me

your Affectionate and Loveing

Husband

Thomas Hamer

Bill Jesse B

Bill Semberthis wife is very sick he is promis to get a furlow to come home she lives rite handy to you there i will send with him two flanen Shirts i have your if he comes you will see him