

Dear Father you must please
to give our kind love to all my
Brothers and Sisters and I
hope they will write to us
as soon as they receive this
we should like to hear from
you every month so now

Dear Father I must
conclude with William
and children I am with
me in love to you all

I remain your affect
Daughter Ann Wilson

please to excuse my bad
writing and spelling for
I have done it in a hurry

Newbury March 1
1857

Dear Father I now take
up my pen to write a line to
you and I hope they will find
you all well as Mary leave us
all at this time thank you
for it Dear Father I wrote a full
letter to you the beginning of
September and I have not
had any answer and I think
either my letter or yours must
be lost for we are very
anxious to hear from you all
the last letter I had from my
Dear sister said that poor
Mary was very poorly but
I hope she is better before now

pleas to tel Joseph and
Mary William thought thay
Wood have writ to us before
now but I hope you and
them will write to us as
soon as you can to tel us our
you all are Dear Father
I have not much muse to tel
you I shud be glad if Father
Wood pleas to send me word
the year of the Lord that I
was born in for I dont know
my age several people have
hest me the age of my Dear
Father but I cud not tel
them for I did not know
I have not seen any of them
from Woodhouses long time

I suppose thay are going home
in the old way I saw uncle
George in February he was
very well the other letter I sent
to you I inclosed ~~half~~ half a sheet
of paper from uncle George
in my letter to you I think
he was very much like a
letter from my Father if you
will ^{pleas} to write to him he is
the onley friend we have
he has been a good uncle to
me I think uncle Joseph
will not part with the red
of a pin til death faces him to
part with all ten holes and
Mary are keeping house for him
I think thay are doing well

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