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Dear Father & Mother

we take this oportunity of writing you a few lines to you now that we are all well at presant thank God for it we got your letter in february we are glad to hear that George got safe home again & also that you are all well we hope these few lines will find you all in good helth we have had a very cold winter sence george left here we have had two verry deep snows last month and on ant gone yet it makes Corn & feed of all kinds begins to git verry scarce we ware thinking ove Coming out to your part but as the ware has ended & Coten is such a good price we dont now so well about it now we want to make some more of it before we leave the promist land Cotten is wort from 15 to 16 cents at this time tell Aley that we have nothin of much importance to write there bin none married since george left here but there is a great many wishes to be as you well now tell peggy that we wold send our boy by male to her if the postage was not so high as we have got and likly have a plenty with out him Tell Sally that little Nancy says that when her legs groos big anoph she will com to see her but she think her legs is big anoph to Come and see her first if she wants to see her bad William and famley is all well at presant and is a paps at this time we have looked for that big letter Isaac Loper & Pegay & Aley promist to write to us till we have got tired of looking we hope they will some Day take time to fulfil there promis and open ther heart and let us now all about it-- give our best respects to Joseph & Nancy eldens tel them that we wish to here from them as they have never wrote to us sence we left we want when you write to let us now all the newes you can think ove we hant much to write to you at presant as it ant long sence you heard all about this part we must Close by wishing you all well and good suceses threw the Journey of life we ever remain your humble sun and Dauter untill Deth

Harrison & Betsy Thompson

I think you have shorly a verry hot winter out with you as you never named in you letter anny snowe or even frost or whether you have rain or sunshine Mary says she has another shirt and wascot for george and she wishes he wold come and see how they fit & I wish to now what Peggy sed to me and intends to stand to as I have forgot all about it Send that paper you mention in your letter as we are scarce I wish you wold send a few sheats but take care to write a little on it to let us now what it cost you and whether we cold git anny more if we shold git out at anny rait a little will be thankfully received for the presant it maybe as the wore has ended paper may git plentyful Tell Aley that she must send us ward when She is going to git married and we will Come to the wedden as wedings is scarce here I want you write to us as often as posable I must close my nonsense by wishing you all well and great succes through the Journey of life short Day so adieu for the presant  
Gaston & Mary Terry