

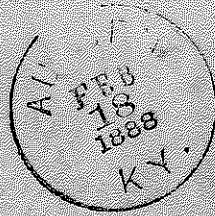
Feb. 18 / 1887

Mr James Sharrod -
Dear Cousin I will try
and write you to let you
know that we are all well
and I hope when these
lines reaches you they will
find you all enjoying
the same great blessing
we have not done much
towards farming yet we
have sowed one plant
bed. we have not plowed
any yet. I will send you
some tobacco seed would
have sent them sooner
but could not get any
we got these from an
Black man I guess they are
whalebone he said they were
at least. We got a letter
from the boys some

time ago they were all
well they have been
having quite very cold
weather, Willie said the
thermometer had been
down as low as 26 degrees
below zero and you know
that was pretty cold. Tell
Willie to write to me and
tell me all about the
good looking girls down
there. Well I will close
for this time I will try
and do better next time.
please write soon and let
me know wheather you get
the seed or not excuse
haste and mistakes
and write soon and
often Love to all

My Bldg.
1155
SC 1372

Yours Truly
J. W. Ligon



Mr James Skene,
Shinn Grove,
Tott Co Ky.

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New Years Gift.

Jan. 1st 1888,) Blossom Prairie
Mrs Bentah Sherrod
Beloved friend and
Cousin

Your long expected and
highly appreciated letter
was received a few weeks
since. I was indeed glad
to know I was still remem-
bered by you. I thought the
bond of friendship between
us was too strong to be
so lightly severed, of course
we can't be expected to
write as often as young
people would as we have
other ties and duties, but
as you say we could write
often than we do, and

I hope we will

We have spent a very tedious week here. I had
-and-Christmas, that is it to take a fresh at it - and you
we may call eating & drinking the aim to have a new house
and for the new the always some time but want to finish
the old - it was) I am sure of saying for the first of
Pete had a dining - Christmas day and the first will get
the food on the table, and if I had out this year
I would we all went to the I guess you had some
Barnard, that's spent a day rough stone about there, but
and would write me this if I write no more well, a course
next, the table well and if I have some advantage to, but
no a third longer than the other places
you can see, says she thinks we need not expect to find every
of the people on her and - advantage in one place, the
Barnard - I, in it is a small have plenty of food and more
woman compared to the, and good water to drink
her table is pretty and they and we ought to be content
seem proud of it and that we have a nice little
the more inclined to a boy I wish you could see
dining today but the people here, the so great getting so
more so that for us to go to can talk and the days

I know you enjoy your

My Betsy
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every thing we do

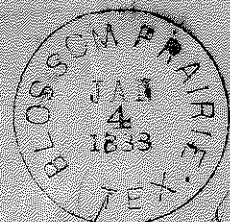
I am both surprised and
pleased to know you have
learned to crochet, you know
you used to consider that
one of the impossibles for
you, I crochet some though not
as much as I used to, have
been embroidering some
worked and boy a flannel
dress, every one says it
is beautiful,

Benah, if I could see you
I could tell you so much
more than I can write. Hope
to some time

With best wishes to Jimmie
and yourself from Nick and
me I close your cousin Jennie
Link

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If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to



Mrs. Beaulah Sherrod
Mrs. Beaulah Sherrod
Wood Co } Sharon Grove
Ky

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To: Mr. C. L. Williams
Mt. Sharon, Ky.
Todd Co.

John S. L. Jan 28/1913
Well Mr. Williams I
will answer your letter
I received today was glad
to hear from you was
sorry you could not
sell my tobacco there
is a part of Henderson
Co tobacco sold there
was about fifteen
hundred night riders there
yesterday and they told
the buyers not to
receive any tobacco until
these five counties had
sold out they went on

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to receiving me. And
Emmett carried two loads
to day there was about
a hundred loads of
tobacco there at one
factory we are going to
put on two more loads
tomorrow they said that
there was two hundred
soldiers up stairs at the
factory they are looking
for trouble To night you
take down all of my
tobacco maybe I will come
up there and help you
strip it out if you will

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give me a hundred
and five dollars and
that five that Jessie
owes me you can have
it you said that
you would see that
Jessie striped tobacco
to pay it now if you
dont want to give
me that much for it
carry it to Hopkinsville
I wish you would sell
it as soon as you
can for I am afraid
it will damage in the
bulk

(4)

There has been lots
of tobacco damaged
down here if you
carry it to Hopkins
and I'll let me
know what day you
will be there I will
meet you up there and
help you to sell it I
want to see ^{you} anyhow
write as soon as you
get this letter and tell
me whether you will
by it or not I will
close from Al Richmond
To S. J. Williams

[Henderson, Ky.]

Merry Xmas

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[1923]
Dec. 20-23

Mena Ark-

Dear Sister Gosa

How do these days
find you we are all very
well except my eyes have
been giving me a lot
of trouble one is entirely
out the other one was
bad but I have been
going to a Specialist
for quite a while and
my eye is lots better
now he is trying to
prevent an operation if
possible I went to two
others and they said
nothing but an operation
would do but it is
so much better now

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that I feel encouraged
well now is winter there
we are having lots of
rain no snow. I had a
letter from Nina ^{& Ed} yesterday
she said they had a 2 in.
snow said they heard
poor old George was nearly
dead I wonder if they
are still at Krasnobor
Susie May & Rena are
married. Nina sent me
a pretty chair cushion
the top is made of a piece
of E. C. Juniors pants the
lining is like Gladys's dress
it is sure pretty. I guess
your girls are great big
by now.

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Well Code I am sending
you a little something apoor
I wish I had a nice present
for you but we have been
at so awful much expense
on my eyes. that we are
all about broke. but I
will send this little apoor
to let you know I still
remember you as ever.

Cunice made it for me
she made me a blue one.

Code Sammie & Ed short
live in Mena.

Well Code I would love
to see you again.

My Children are all
grown Cunice & Edgar are
at home Mina teaches school

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Eunice I think will make
a Teacher she will graduate
next year. Code we don't
have any thing to give
our Children so we try
to give them an education
Edgar is taking a course
now he is planning to be
a Railway Mail Clerk
pretty soon.

well I must quit
and go to town

bye write me a long
letter when you get this
be good

as ever

Your loving sister
Hannie Crawford

[Mrs. J. D. Crawford]

