

This indenture made this twenty fourth day of
October one thousand eight hundred and thirty
four. between James Beard of the county of Lewis
and State of Kentucky of the one part and Samuel
Ireland of the county and state aforesaid of the other
part witnesseth that the said James Beard for
and considerations of one hundred dollars in hand
paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
hath granted bargined and sold and by these
presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the
said Samuel Ireland his heirs and assigns all
that tract or parcel of land situate and being
in the county of Lewis on the waters of Cabin
Creek and bounded as follows to wit

Beginning at a Hickory in the line of Cretcher and
comes to Mrs Lacks 40 acres. Thence S 54 E 152
pales to two sugar and Buckeye trees another
of Mrs Lacks comes. Thence S 79 E 40 pales
to an Elm comes to Edwards. Thence S 34
E 26 pales. To 2 sugar and Ash trees standing
at head of branch. Thence down the branch
with the meanders Thence S 49 W 58 pales
Thence S 26 W 56 pales S 69 W 26 pales to 2
sugar trees. Thence comes Thence with
Cretcher line to the beginning. Containing
Eighty Acres be the same more or less together
with all and singular the appurtenances there
unto belonging, or in anywise appertaining. To
have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with
the appurtenances unto the said Samuel Ireland
his heirs and assigns forever. And the said
James Beard for himself his heirs executors
and administrators. The aforesaid tract of land
and appurtenances unto the said Samuel
Ireland his heirs or assigns against the claim
or claims of all and every person or persons

whatsoever claiming by ~~through~~ or under him
the said James Beard but from no other
person. doth and will forever warrant and
defend by these presents. Now it is the fair
understanding of the parties if the land should
be taken by any prior or better claim the said
Beard is to refund the purchase money with
-out interest. In witness whereof the said
James Beard together with Mary Beard his
wife who hereby relinquishes her right of dower
in and to the lands conveyed in this deed
both hereunto set their hands and affixed
their seals the day and date first above
written

Signed sealed and
delivered in presence of
Mary Beard
James Beard

his
James Beard Seal
Mary Beard Seal

State of Kentucky Lewis County Sit
We James Boyd and James McLean justices of
the peace for said County do hereby certify that
James Beard and Mary Beard his wife parties to
the above deed. personally appeared before us
in our Court of said County and Lubberbeck and
acknowledged the same to be their act and deed
we having previously examined the said
Mary Beard separate and apart from her
husband and she with her own free will
and consent. relinquished her right of
dower in the said lands and desired us to
certify the said acknowledgment to the Clerk of
Lewis County Court in order that the said
deed may be recorded - Given under our
hands this 24th day of October 1824
James Boyd Seal
James McLean Seal

State of Kentucky Lewis County Tel.

I Joseph Robb Clerk
of the Lewis County Court Do certify that the foregoing
Deed from James Baird & Mary his wife to Samuel
Ireland was this day produced before me & proved
by the Oathes of James Boyd & James McClain wit-
nesses thereto to be the Act & Deed of the aforesaid
James Baird & Mary his wife for the purposes there
in mentioned - And the said Deed together with
this & the foregoing Certificate of the relinquishment
of Dower thereon endorsed is well & truly recorded in
my Office - Given under my hand the 20th day of
April 1835 -

Joseph Robb Clerk

James Beard Wife
To S Deed
Samuel Ireland

Passed 20th of April
1835 At J. Robb. C. M.

Recorded in Deed
Book G. Page 220

Two Pence

Samuel Ireland
to M^{rs} Ireland
Sarah Ireland

Know all men by these presents that Samuel
Ireland of the County of Lewis and State of
Kentucky have this day for and in consideration
of the sum of one dollar to me in hand paid by
Sarah Ireland the receipt whereof is hereby
acknowledged and for and in consideration of the
natural love and affection I bear to the said
Sarah Ireland I have this day, given granted
conveyed bargained and sold and by these
presents do give grant convey bargain sell
and confirm unto the said Sarah Ireland the
following described property, to-wit: Fifty head of Stock and
ten head of Cattle Five Horses and Mare
One Note of hand on Jacob Ford the due for
Twelve hundred & fifty dollars & fifty cents One
Claim on the owner of the Steam Boat Com-
-grant for four hundred and thirty dollars one
Claim on Lewis & Ruffner for One Hundred and
fifty dollars, and the grain on hand and all
the present growing crops all household and
kitchen furniture including Beds bedding desks
Bureau tables and Cupboards, together with all
and singular the appurtenances thereunto belonging
or in anywise appertaining. To have and to hold
the afore described property to her Sarah Ireland
her heirs and assigns forever and the said Samuel
Ireland for himself, his heirs executors and ad-
ministrators, doth hereby Covenant, promise and
agree to and the said Sarah Ireland her heirs
executors administrators and assigns that he
will forever warrant and defend the right
and title to the property hereby conveyed to her
the said Sarah Ireland her heirs executors
administrators and assigns against him
the said Samuel Ireland his heirs executors
administrators and assigns, and against the

claims or claims of all and every person
or person whatsoever.

In testimony whereof
the said Samuel H. Ireland has hereunto
set his hand and affixed his seal this
1st day of April A.D. 1837

Samuel H. Ireland

State of Kentucky, Mayor's Office
Madison County 3 City of Maysville
I Chas B. Williams Mayor of the City of
Maysville do certify that this deed of conveyance
from Samuel H. Ireland to Sarah Ireland
was this day produced to me in my office
by the said grantor and acknowledged
by the said Samuel H. Ireland to be his
act and deed for the purposes therein
specified

Given under my hand and
seal of this 13th day of April
A.D. 1837

Chas B. Williams



To James T. Shepard
Lakin's Creek N.Y.

Logan County Ohio May the 25th 1858
Dear children I have this evening received your
letter which gave rather an unfavorable ac-
count of the health of your family in answer
to which I can only say that I feel it in
to sympathize with you for all your losses
either of health or property with such feelings
of sympathy as becomes a father and phi-
lanthropist but in return as it regards my
own health I must inform you that I am at
this time far from being well but am much
better than I was some time past for I have
had a very severe attack of cold or at least my
sickness first took its origin from cold but
had very near terminated my existence in this
world as I was for some time entirely speechless
and also deprived of my proper mind and un-
able to eat or swallow any thing where upon
to support life my throat was very severely
swelled and my tongue and jaws so sore that
I was unable to move them in short my
pain was so severe that considering my age
and feebleness of body that it appear almost
a miracle that effected my recovery I had an
idea if fate had not came out until after
harvest that I would have went in with
him and probably stayed there all winter
but my past and present feeling have caused
me to abandon that idea you state
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that you wrote me a letter which I never
received and the reason ^{was} because I never
received it I now will inform you that
this is the only kind of communication that
I ever expect to have with you in this world
unless you come to me as I expect not to
be able to go to you and as this is
the only kind I would wish it not to
be neglected I am happy to inform you
that I am well situated with regard to the
care and attention which my situation requires
as both children and grand children appears will-
ing to do what they can to make me com-
fortable our relations are all in tolerable
health except Nathans son John and he
is very much afflicted with a polypus in
his nose I have nothing more to write to
you but remain your affectionate father
until death
Matthew Cutbush

Miss Lane & Co. New York
Care of 88 Kent.

Miss Lane & Co. New York
and Alexander Madary
Genl.

It gives my pleasure to inform
you that circumstances have arisen,
which render me dissatisfied with the
management of the S. B. Madary, and
which compel me to make you an
offer of my interest in said boat. It
is unnecessary to state the objections, I
have to the existing regulations, as
they must be known to you all. I prefer
it to say that I am not willing to
own any interest in the boat, and suf-
fer her to continue in the present trade
and in the most pleasant manner
of settling the difficulty will be for
you all to purchase out my interest
I therefore offer it to you all the fol-
lowing terms viz. I will take for my
share of the boat the sum of 900⁰⁰
payable 200⁰⁰ in hand, 200⁰⁰ in
the next month, 200⁰⁰ in two months and
the remainder in three equal month-
ly payments thereafter, without interest
with the privilege of extending each
of the last three payments six months, by
paying 6 per cent interest.

I will sell to you all the above
terms, and would prefer settling our

difficulties in this way amicably. Should
you however decline to take my inter-
est on the terms above stated, I have
no other proposition to make, and
shall be compelled in self defence
to resort to other measures, to which
are within my reach, to change the
present aspect of affairs.

I will be glad to receive your an-
-swer during the present week.

Your truly Servt

Rich^d Henry Ransom,
Mayfield W⁴ Aug 1839

P.S. Until some satisfactory arrange-
ment is made, I beg leave respectfully to
protest against the making of any repairs
to the Survey, as I am unwilling
to incur any part of the expense atten-
-ding them.

Rich^d Henry Ransom

Samuel D. Ireland
John Sparks

The Indenture made this 19th day of August
1770 between Samuel D. Ireland of the county of Lewis
and Commonwealth of Kentucky, of the one part, and
John Sparks of the county of Adams and State of Ohio of
the other parts, witnesseth that the said Samuel D. Ireland,
for and in consideration of the purchase and of the sum of
one thousand Five hundred and fifty Dollars for the
term of two years from this date, due and owing from
the said Samuel D. Ireland to the said John Sparks,
with granted, bargain, and sell, and by these presents
doth grant, bargain and sell unto the said John Sparks
his heirs and assigns, all those certain tracts or parcels of
land herein after particularly described, together with
all the personal chattels herein after named, that is to say,
a certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and be-
ing principally in the county of Lewis in the territory of Cal-
in creek and bounded as follows, to wit, Beginning at two
large trees and Hickay, standing on the South side of a hill,
come to George Drury's land, thence N. N. W. 3/4 poles to a large
oak, thence S. E. 1/2 mile to a large tree, thence N. E. 2/3
to a Red Oak, thence N. S. 1/2 poles to a Black Walnut,
thence N. S. 1/2 poles to two large trees, thence N. S. E. 9 poles
to a Buckeye, thence N. S. E. 3/4 poles to a Spruce standing
on the South side of the East side of Calin creek, thence down
the said fork and landing thence S. S. W. 1/4 poles, thence S.
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44^o M. 10 poles, thence S. 65^o W. 20 poles, thence S. 45^o W. 14 poles, thence
 S. 50^o W. 16 poles to a large Spruce, comes to Thompsons mill tract,
 thence S. 74^o E. 19 poles to a stake, thence S. 59^o W. 20 poles to a stake,
 thence S. 69^o W. 24 poles to a stake, thence S. 75^o W. 28 poles to a
 large Hickory, two Buckeye and Sugar trees, thence S. 5^o W. 20
 poles to a Sugar tree, thence S. 80 poles to a Sugar tree, Buckeye
 and Turkey standing on the East side of a drain, thence N. 85^o
 E. 20 poles to a stake standing in Browns line, thence N. 10^o E.
 106 poles to the Beginning, containing One Acre and Three
 1/2 Acres and the fourth Acre, and the other tract is part of
 same tract, lying and being in the county of Lewis in the state
 of Ohio and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a
 Hickory in the line of Crutcher and comes to the Suck's Place, thence
 N. 64^o E. 18 1/2 poles to two Sugar trees and Buckeye another of Suck's
 comes, thence S. 77^o E. 14 poles to an Elm comes to Edwards, thence
 S. 81^o E. 20 poles to two Sugar and Ash trees standing at the head
 of a brook, thence in the brook with the meadowy things
 149^o M. 28 poles, thence S. 20^o W. 20 poles, S. 69^o W. 16 poles to two
 Sugar trees Samuels corner, thence with Crutcher's line to the
 beginning, containing Eight Acres more or less. Also one
 way line, and about and land, and lay out, and one 1/2 Acre, by head
 of mud cattle, five sheep, five pigs, three hogs, three chickens, three
 hams, 18 acres of ground, and 2 Cat stables, 2 Stalls of hay, and 10
 of wheat, one cutting, one and furniture, 2 mowers, 2 scythes, 2
 saws, 11 chisels and 10 axes, 2 stables, 2 cattle stables, 2 cupboards,
 and furniture, 2 safes, two set boxes of desks, two silver table spoons,
 and silver tea spoons, 7 bedsteads and furniture, 1 Chimney,
 2 cupboards, with also some singular and appurtenances unto said tracts
 of land being in or in anywise appurtenant to the same and
 to hold the land and personal estate hereby conveyed with the
 appurtenances unto the said John Sparks his heirs and assigns for ever
 And the said Samuel D. Ireland, for himself his heirs, executors,
 and administrators the above tracts of land and personal estate,
 and appurtenances, unto the said John Sparks his heirs or assigns,

against the claim or claims of all and every person or persons
 whatsoever doth and will for ever warrant and defend by these
 presents. Provided always that the said Samuel D. Ireland
 the grantor herein is indebted to the said John Sparks the
 grantee in the sum of One thousand Three hundred and
 fifty Dollars, Three Pence and Sixty Six Cents of which sum is a balance and upon a note bear-
 ing date in the 20th day of Decr. 1806. & the residue of said
 sum of \$1500. is due upon last account; And if the said
 Samuel D. Ireland shall not and truly pay or cause
 to be paid to the said John Sparks the said sum of
 \$1500. or before the full end and term of two years
 from the date hereof with lawful interest thereunto due
 the payment of which interest he is hereby authorized & empowered
 to cause all or any portion of the premises hereby conveyed, that the
 indenture to cease and be of no effect, otherwise to remain
 in full force & virtue. In witness whereof I the said
 Samuel D. Ireland have hereunto set my hand and
 seal this 10 day of date first above written.
 Signed sealed & delivered by Samuel D. Ireland
 in the presence of
 J. Caldwell.

Matthew Cutchin
of the County of Lewis
and State of Virginia

This Indenture made on this the 21st day
of August 1780. by & between Samuel D. Ireland of
the county of Lewis and Commonwealth of Kentucky of
the one part, and Matthew Cutchin of the county of
Lewis and State of Va. of the other part, witnesseth that
the said Samuel D. Ireland for and in consideration of
the sum of Seven thousand and Seventy Six dollars
in hand paid by the said Matthew Cutchin the receipt whereof
is hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained
and sold, & by these presents doth grant, bargain and
sell unto the said Matthew Cutchin, his heirs and assigns
all those certain tracts or parcels of land hereinafter
particularly described together with all the personal chattels
belonging thereto after mentioned, that is to say, a certain tract
or parcel of land situate lying & being principally in
the county of Lewis, in the waters of Cathey Creek, being the same
tract of land formerly purchased of & conveyed by the
said Matthew Cutchin to the said Samuel D. Ireland
by deed bearing date on the sixteenth day of Fifth 1780.
as recorded in the Clerks office in Lewis county in said last
said paper & 2nd containing One hundred and thirty nine &
one quarter acres. Also a certain other tract or parcel of land
situate lying & being in the county of Lewis, being the same
tract of land formerly purchased of James Beard & wife
& by them conveyed to the said Samuel D. Ireland by
deed

was bearing date on the 24th day of October 1834, and
received in and book E Page 220 in the clerk's office
of the Lewis county court, being the same tract of land
herein before mentioned by grant, and to John Sparks bear-
ing date on the 19th day of August 1840, in which same
tract of land are more particularly described. Also two
hens, three axes, one crop ear saw, one hand saw, two axes,
three chisels, two pair of steady axes, one pair of axlets, two
pair of wedges, three large kettles, one cutting box, two
shovels, one pitchfork, three beehives, four cythes, two log chains,
three hump knives, two sickles, three blades, two set of chains,
one one half kettle, three saws, 5 hoes, two shillings,
three pots, two coffee ladles, two letters, Richards's law,
Hobbs's Ancient History, one fire wheel, three barrels,
two looking glasses, two earthen, two dozen knives, 5
pots, four cucumbers, three musky tubs, together with
all and singular the appurtenances unto said tract of
land belonging or in anywise appertaining. I have
and to hold the same of personal chattels hereby conveyed
with the appurtenances unto the said Matthew Crutcher his
heirs and assigns for ever. And the said Samuel D. Ireland
do hereby his heirs, executors, and administrators
the personal tract of land and personal chattels and
appurtenances unto the said Matthew Crutcher his heirs
or assigns against the claim or claims of sale and every for
one of power whatsoever with 5 mile for ever granted and
conferred by their president. Provided always that the
said Samuel D. Ireland the grantee herein is intended

to the said Matthew Crutcher the sum of
Seven hundred and twenty five dollars, and by two
notes, one bearing date as a about the 10th Sept. 1836 for
five hundred dollars with accruing interest, the other bear-
ing date as a about the 10th Sept. 1839 with accruing
interest, now if the said Samuel D. Ireland should die
and not to pay or cause to be paid to the said Matthew
Crutcher the said sum of \$725. & interest as a before
the 1st day of January 1840 with lawful interest thereon
then this indenture to cease & be of no effect, otherwise
to remain in full force & virtue in law. In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 20th
day of October 1840 at New York.

Samuel D. Ireland
his true and lawful attorney

To Mr Samuel Jackson
Spencer County Pennsylvania

Champaign County, Ohio July the 27th 1840
Dear children - with loving feelings
of gratitude and humble submission
to ruler of the universe and thankful to
him who governs all things for giving
me health and strength and the right
exercise of mind to communicate my
thoughts to you who still remains dear
to me by the ties of nature I received
your letter a few days since which gave
me much satisfaction to hear from you
and I gladly embrace the present opportu-
nity of answering it and the first thing
occurs to my mind worth relating
is that I am old tip to the heels and
further I am in as good or better ^{health} than
usual but am not yet very nimble in
my knees the cornucopions are all well
our corn crops looks well and oats the
same wheat ~~crop~~ ^{crop} with in crops is
good in places but in some places they
were injured by the fly and in others
ruined altogether times is exceeding hard
there is but little money circulating
through this part of the country I ~~would~~
wishes to know what Peter complains of
in your next letter as you stated he had
~~not~~ been well since he went home
it affords me much pleasure to hear
that you and William have taken
to work give my best respects to all
enquiring friends so no more at pres-
ent but remain your affectionate
father
Matthew Gatch

OCT 20th 1844

Dear sister I recd your letter by the hand of Jettie
Guiding I was glad to hear from you and family
that they were all well through the ~~the~~ blessing
of him whose watchful care is over the works of
hands with the exception of your self and that your
health was in part in some respects ^{letter} ~~was~~ at that
time ^{we were} enjoying the common blessing of health and still
are for which I desire to be very thankful to him
whose ~~with~~ watchful care hath ever been over us
by day and by night you said you would be glad
I would come in this fall it would have a great
satisfaction to me if I could have complied with your
request but the same difficulties still remains that
was in the way when I wrote to you before it is now
late in the season I have almost if not altogether gi-
ven it over this fall I think if life and health is
continued that I will try to come in in the course
of next season Dear sister let us strive through grace
to live daily by the faith of the son of god that
we may have his presence to go with us through
Life and he will not forsake us the trying hour
Death but will lead us on to certain victory
then we may bid farewell to all sorrow and affliction
and hail each on the banks of Eternal Delivrance
with all our relations who have died in the ^{faith} of the
gospel of the son of god with all of our Infants
who died in infancy bessed god they will have
part in the first Resurrection washed and made
white in the Red Blood of atonement let us
take the scriptures as the man of our Counsel and hum-
bly pray that the holy spirit may guide us into all
truth Tell Samuel S Ireland that I have not forgot
him I wish him well and much desire his well fare
in this life and that wish is to come my not
writting to you both more than I have done is not

Sarah Ireland
County Carlow Ireland

owing to any thing like disrespect for I must ~~cannot~~
acknowledge that you have treated with a tender
regard but I believe from a ~~correct~~ ~~careless~~ dispo-
sition so no more on the present subject
the relations as far as I know is all in ~~in~~ common
health Except Elizabeth Cretcher of middleburgh
who at this time is very sick my hand ~~stands~~
in writing that I was come to a close Nancy and
Bethiah with the residue of the family send their
best to you and all our relations and friends ~~to~~
that may think worth while to enquire after us
so no more at present but remains your affection-
ate Brother and sister till Death
Jabez and Nancy Cretcher

March 11th 1648

Dear brother I take this opportunity to
in form you that I and will at present
and hope these few lines will find
you in the same health the friends is well
I saw Mathew Cretcher to day he was at Calk
Cretcher yesterday helping him look over his papers
and he says that you are ^{to the state} indeed Jabez & no
John is eaven according to the Inventory that Will Ireland
got when he was here there was \$1302-87 cents
and the amount of money that was collected at
the time that he received the business to settle
was \$228 and 62½ cents making in all \$1531 and
20½ cents I have received \$40 and he has me charge
with fifty too Jabez says he ^{has} not received quite
sixty you know how much you have got and
John I expect will have much he has got so
I from this movement you can ~~probably~~ per-
haps form some ^{idea} of the matter I understand
that Mathew has made arrangements to settle
with the spring court which will be
I expect in this month I would like
to hear from you soon let John see
this letter so no more at present
but remain your Peter Cretcher
to Samuel Ireland

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Samuel D. Ireland
Cabin Creek N.Y.

Stony Point N.Y.
Feb 4

Cabin Creek June 12. 1848

Dear Son.

Read you of yesterday. I am glad to hear that
Mr. Wiley will come. your mother is as well better
than when I wrote you last - baltham of this
family as well as usual -

(I Run Mr Robb letter in ^{the})
we had a meeting on Friday I read the letter and explained
I dislike the most of the Whigs ^{and I do not know} but
they all was that was ^{perant} ~~perant~~ will use all the time I
have to spare in doing Robb all the good I can. I think
he had better come down as soon as he can in this part
of the country. if Gordon is proud to of plea the
Limitation that is all that will be wanted in this
neighborhood, to kill him for the simonrats hearse
will not take for him if they are certain of that
I suppose you will hear here is the Whig candidates
for president and vice president before you get this
Baylor for president & Gilmore of new york for
vice president. at our last meeting we appointed
Lewis Galt and you to attend the State at Frankford
and there to employ a Lawyer to assist Thomas G. Payne
the money is to be paid to you ^{and Galt} and you are to employ
the Lawyer and pay him your expenses and a reasonable
compensation for your time ^{that} is what is a need an
I wanted some money for George and I cannot get
my horse to Town an amount of the road which will
not be first for a week or two. I would like to get a part
of your that is here if you could do with out it for
a short time the country cant is in mapable & ~~mapable~~
after that we will not be long with out a sale
I do not want it with out you can see you can
do with out it a few weeks as I expect you will want

all the money you have before long - if you have the
Gunn send it by George. Write by George if you see
him as you say you are going to him you must not
see him if you do not see him write by Mail. Come down
as soon as you can with out neglecting on my business.
If James Baden wants Gordon best and he proves that he
did please the imitation on him I would like to have
statement of it
I remain your Father
S. D. Adams

Mr. D. Adams
Charleston
S. C.
Dear Country
Dr. G. Adams

Mrs. Pamela D. Ireland

Charleston

Louis W.

Kentucky

Decatur August the 21. 1849

Dear Sister Harvey is here on his way to your place and I thought I must write you a few lines by him we are all well at this time there is a great deal of sickness here yet but we have no cholera here now the sickness is the fevers the typhoid fever is very bad around here and some in town there is two or three of Dr. Wiley's family very low with it Aunt Sarah is well and enjoys good health I have not much news to write you and have not much time to write any thing as Harvey is waiting on me now you must be sure to write back by Harvey and tell me all the news and every thing else you know let me know whether any of you are coming over this fall and if you know any thing of our dear Sister Louisa write to me of her let me know if she thinks of coming to see me this fall if I could hear she did not intend coming to see me I would try and visit her if we should all live and keep well when it gets healthier here I cannot think of doing without seeing her so long write to me about Morgan tell me where he is and how he is I want to write to him soon he wrote to me and I have not answered his letter yet Jimmy wrote to him since but we have not received any answer to it yet it was such a long time with me about the time he wrote to me that I had not time to answer his letter he must excuse me Eliza talks of writing to her grandpa soon we want some of you to come to see us soon it looks rather bad now if you have been here for so long you must be sure to write to me by Harvey no more Your affectionate Sister
Pamela D. Ireland Susan H. Saxatun

W.B. give my respects to all of my friends and to your husband
especially M.C.

Frankfort, Ky
Jan^y 31st 1850

Dear Sir,

Yours of the 27th was handed to me
by J. H. Pett Esq. In reply, I have briefly to say—
I accede to your proposition— And send you the
necessary release, as a proof of it— I do this not so much for
the consideration therein named; (for I look upon it as almost
Nominal), but because, you have been unfortunate! And because
you have been, an honorable foe— For although our personal
inter-course has been slight, & we have been contending at law
for upwards of two years, you have always met me like a
reasonable Man— With that gentlemanly, & honorable frank-
-ness, which invariably belongs to an honest & good heart—
With my best wishes for yourself & family I remain
Yours with respect
Rich^d W. Estlin

I ~~xxx~~ There are so many Jones, and I, depending on memory some
may have been left out, if so I will correct it. I am at present
staying a few miles out of town I did ^{not} bring my papers with me—
Captⁿ S. B. Ireland _{not knowing I should want them}

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Capt^m Saml. L. Ireland
Lewis County
N. Y.

Susan Soudall

Decatur May 1 1851

Dear Sister. I sit down to night to write you a few lines, I did not forget my promise to write to you but have put it off longer than I intended to have done but I think you will excuse me if you ^{will} ^{know} the reasons why I have not wrote sooner. We started to Concord Mass. on the next Monday, after you left here we had a very pleasant time of it we got there on Monday evening about sundown got a hack and went out to the Walnut Street house and got boarding before dark it is a very pleasant house to board at Jimmy says it is the best house he ever found in the city, I was very well pleased with my visit I found some old acquaintances there and spent two evenings with them I went one evening and went till I could hardly stand on my feet when we got to where we started from so I took good care not to go so far at once again nor could not walk very far the next day for my feet and ankle was so swelled and sore it is a very disagreeable place to be in Jimmy was sick one or two days while we was there with the bowel complaint it is almost dangerous for him to go there for he has that complaint every time he goes there and after we got home he was hardly able to do any thing for one week I staid in the stove for two weeks after we got home he was so thin and done nothing scarcely in the house I was obliged to help him and then the next week I made soup and had not time to write to you that week and then the

Associate Reformed folks had Presbytery, and sacrament
and we had to attend to that some so that and other things
kept me busy that week ~~and~~ and then the next week
I white washed and cleaned my house up and then
last week I was fixing for our big meeting it commen-
ced on last saturday we had a good meeting and this week
I have not had time to write in day time for Jimmy has
been afflicted with a boiling in the corner of his eye it com-
menced paining him on last friday and he did not get his
hours rest untill tuesday night it quit paining him he
lay in bed 4 days with it & threw him in to chills and
fevers and he ^{was} quite sick with it so I have had a busy time
of it ever since you was here but enough of this to me
you I know

I have not much news to write you or news
that will interest you Mrs. Emrick was sick when you
was here I think well she died tuesday evening she
would always say when I would ask her how she was
I am not sick nor have I any pain I am weak so the poor
thing just lay there all that time and was not able to
sit up one hour at a time since she was taken sick I do
not think the doctor knew what was the matter with her
she sent for me early tuesday morning she told her mother
and Emrick she had something to tell me she got so flighty
though she did not get to tell what she wanted for she apper-
red to be the pappy person I ever saw she would sing and
shout all day ~~she would say~~ when she would miss from
the bed she would ask for me and have me to come back
she was flighty through allday I staid with her as much as
I could untill she died she died about 4 in the evening

Well and
your sister
for me Jimmy sends his love to you
to all the friends, tell Willie to write soon to them

Aunt Stearns is well at this time Mary Ann is still
grogging, about yet but quite poorly, Caroline Beane
is well and has another daughter 4 weeks old
Ebel and Mary Sheafstall are both well I saw
them yesterday

We have not heard one word from
Jos Morgan since you was here Jimmy wrote
to him but had not received answer from him
since he thinks he will not trouble him with
another one soon unless he hears from him soon
I have I herd from you or Louisa since you left
have the children all talk about you and Lucy at
most every day you must write to me soon and
tell me when you get home and how you went and
all the particular news how you are getting along
and how the friends are and if any are coming soon
to see us Jimmy was so disstressed about not
getting some butter to send to mother but it was
so scarce for two weeks that he could not get any
we was very sorry we could not get any for her
I would like to know how she got along give my
love to will to Father Mother and to the boys Rock
might write to me I think tell Father to write to us
if he gets time I feel anxious to hear how he is get-
ting along I must write soon to Luke I would like
to hear from her if you have any news from her or
Lucy do write it I cannot hear from Lucy I want
you to write soon and try and fill a whole sheet
of paper it is getting late and I am sleepy or you may
guess by this some but you must come mit

Maysville April 19 1858
Mr J D Ireland
Bot- of W. W. Lamar

12 yds	White Flannel	41-	540
4 "	Cambric	20	80
1 Pr	Silk Gloves		75-
1 "	Hose		25-
1 Do	Ribbon		25
1	Cap		75
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			820

I send 1 Do of Ribbon for Binding
Should thinking you would want
I send Plain Sarsatan Cap which the
Milliner told me was most used for
the purpose George was detained owing
- 9 to my having to have the cap made
H. C. BARKER

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S. D. [unclear] Esq
Cabin Creek
Lewis County
Ky.

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✓ Mr Dunbar	Ironer	10
✓ Mr Dunbar	Trammel	16
✓ Mr Dunbar	Trammel	14
✓ L M Crafford	ring & flat iron	14
✓ Amos Meglathlen paid	Wire iron	10
✓ J M Dunbar	Barfet candlemas	28
	Coast tigger	
✓ D M Dunbar	1 Beausseau	8 05
✓ Samuel Blunt ^{Paighe}	Beastead & under bed	3 04
✓ Thomas Perry	on bed ste	3 00
✓ Mr Dunbar	bandle stain	65
	bandl stain	
✓ Mary West paid to Ireland	And iron	53
✓ H. J. Bell	Dining Table	1 50
✓ Richard Berard	low Bell	16
✓ Mary West paid	Looking glass frame	30
✓ Arthur Fry	box of mirrors	15 4
✓ Mr Dunbar	one old ^{new} cushion	1 25
✓ A. D. Blunt	on chair	10
✓ H. J. Bell	put chairs	30
✓ H. J. Bell	Soap barrels	5
✓ L M Crafford	Grindster	53

A List of the sales of personal property of J. Dunbar made on March 1860

Person's Names	Articles	Amt.	
		£	cts
✓ J. M. Dunbar	One fettee	2	05
✓ Caroline McClamahan	One Bedstead & bed paid	35	
✓ Mr Kilgore	one Bookcase	15	
✓ Mr Dunbar	one Chest	15	
✓ Robert Dunbar	one Kitchen Table	25	
✓ James Kirk	one Cooking stove	18	00
✓ Samuel Paighe	one Walnut Lubbock	5	50
✓ Elias Sebell	one Brass Kettle	2	00
✓ J. H. Degman	one Chair	80	
✓ Mr Fenwick	one inch auger	50	
✓ J. H. West paid	one 2 inch auger	50	
✓ A. J. Mason paid to Ireland	one 1 1/2 inch auger	30	
✓ D. C. West paid	one 1/2 inch auger	16	
✓ A. J. Blunt	square & 2 inch chisel	35	
✓ Mr Dunbar	one Maddock	1	25
✓ Elias Sebell	Table Legs & hoe	25	
✓ Mr Dunbar	one Jug	15	
✓ J. M. Dunbar	one Jar	10	
✓ Whelan Kelly	one Jar	10	
✓ A. Killgore	one Jar	10	
✓ Virginia Belle	one Jar	10	
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✓ J. M. Dunbar	one Jar	10	
✓ Mr Fenwick	7 Shoats per head	3.60	25
✓ Samuel Paighe	one Shear	2	00
✓ Samuel Paighe	one pair of Sheathers	1	30
✓ D. J. Fry paid	one bleas	25	
✓ J. H. West Samuel Bar	one Log chair	1	00
		61	85

✓ H. S. Bell	on old head	4	00
✓ J. P. May	on Wagon & tire	9	30
✓ J. H. J. Bell	on set of Britches	5	05
✓ James Fay	on collar		30
✓ George W. List	on collar		75
✓ R. D. Wherry pd to DeLaud	gears, on farm	1	60
✓ Mr Meadows paid cash	on pair of gears	1	10
✓ Mr Meadows paid	line & riding tidles		35
✓ John Hizer paid	check lines		30
✓ William Crofford	pair of best harness		75
✓ Eliza Kelly	one shovel plow	3	85
✓ H. S. Bell	on cutting Box	1	15
✓ Elias Seibel	on scarrow	4	00
✓ J. C. Legman	on Brown Horse.	80	00
✓ Robert Lumber	on Wheat Fan	8	00
✓ James Kirk	10 Bushels Barley	4	15
✓ D. K. Richards	10 bushels 40 cts	4	00
✓ G. W. List	10 bus barley 40 cts	4	00
✓ G. W. List	10 bus corn 40 cts	4	00
	the balance of farles sent to A. J. Blair at 40 cts per bus		
✓ J. W. Crofford	36 bus corn at 56 cts	16	80
✓ G. W. Seibel	5 bus corn at 55 cts	2	75
✓ Geo. J. Fay	10 bushels at 55 cts	2	40
✓ D. S. H. or to the Meridian	at 57		
✓ J. C. Legman	Steelyards	1	06
✓ W. Seaman	on lot of Damagcon 30 cts		
✓ Dr Cooper	one White cow 26		00
✓ Dr Cooper	one Red cow	18	50
✓ Mr Crofford	on bed bolsters pillows	17	00
✓ Joshua Fay	one bed bolsters & pillows	18	75
✓ Joshua Fay	on big wheel	1	85
✓ J. P. Mow	on little wheel		75
	10 9 8	20 6	25

✓ Geo W. List	one Rooken chare	1	55
✓ Henry Falkner	5 l hears	1	00
✓ Henry Falkner	1 smol chare		30
✓ Henry Falkner	3 l hears, Windsor.		31 1/2
✓ Darling Glascock P ^o Ireland	one big Kettle	2	50
✓ Henry Falkner	1 16 gallon Kettle	2	50
✓ Mr Henderson paid	on hatch		25
✓ Henry Falkner	Syckel		35
✓ W. Lumber	on jet		40
✓ W. Lumber	one wire		25
✓ W. Lumber	Slop bucket		10
✓ Robert Lumber	lot of old irons		10
✓ J. H. West paid	horseshoes		50
✓ Rob Lumber	on Cooking Stove, No 2	1	00
✓ John Davis paid	Wash tub & Bar Nets band		60
✓ H. S. Bell	Buck saw		80
✓ Deather Ellis paid	Cross cut saw	1	00
✓ Mr Killgoar	one hors & hetchers		50
✓ Samuel Fay	1 Bea Staw	2	50
✓ Samuel Fay	1 Bea Staw		45
✓ Samuel Fay	2 Stands of bees	6	55
✓ Samuel Fay	2 Bea Stands	4	00
✓ Samuel Fay	2 Bea Stands	5	75
✓ Samuel Fay	2 Stands of bees & empty queen	8	12 1/2
✓ Samuel Fay	1 half barrel Soap grease	1	30
✓ Caroline McClenmahan	one lot of Soap grease paid	8	25
✓ J. C. Legman	1 Keg of Soap fat		75
✓ J. P. Mow	1 cleaver and toolt		15
✓ Geo. J. Fay	on band pellets	1	30
✓ H. S. Bell	Slop panel		15
✓ Mary West	one Shellit & Led		40
✓ A. J. Blair	smolt Steelyards		50
✓ Henry Falkner	flat iron		40
✓ J. W. Crofford	flat arons		36
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Dr. Steam Boat Emigrant
 1834 In acct. MGA

July 9 th	To cash paid Saml. Hardy	\$	25
" "	" 1 ft. Linen paint tools to Saul		1. 00
Aug ^t 1	" 500 Feet Shanty plank @ 50c		2. 50
" "	" 1 Stone Boat	\$100. as 7	
" "	" 1 Flat do 100 feet Long	200. 00	300. 00
" "	" 120 Feet Shanty plank @ 50c		60
" 22	" 229 " do do		1. 15
Sept. 3	" 91 ^{cts} " Scouring for arms 3¢		2. 73
" "	" 133 Oak plank for Buckets		1. 66
" "	" 75 feet Shanty plank @ 50c		37 1/2
" "	" amt. paid Hereford for Services of Negro		22. 94
1832 Janry 17	" 75 ^{cts} " Satted pork @ 5¢		4. 13
July 22	" amt. paid by J. H. Fry to J. A. Lewis		4. 06 1/4
" "	" Goods p: Roumans Saub		7. 40
" "	" To amt. of Bill of Flour		20. 82

To 1 Flat Boat p: Hans Pretlow

in my absence I send
of the bill of sale the orig
it be obtained at present
I would recommend that
the back of this copy be
the father of P. A. Henford
to the negro & let him
use state how P. A. Henford
said of him, a little
this time may save
the trouble

am respectfully
Yours

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Rufus Rodger

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Capt Saml. J. Ireland
Maysville
Kentucky