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Saturday a.m.

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Dear Sir:

I expected to pay the whole amount of your coal bill on the first of the month, but money is so slow coming in that I have been unable to do so. Everybody makes an excuse of the "financial stringency" to defer paying over money until absolutely compelled so to do.

I enclose a check on Westfield for \$30.00, on account and would like you to bring me 5 more tons of furnace coal as soon as convenient. Why do you charge me \$6.25 per ton? I have been getting coal of Mr Madigan all winter and he has only charged me \$5.75. He was out of furnace coal when I ordered the 10 tons of you. You should not charge me so much in consideration of the bad ton of coal you furnished me last year.

Respectfully,

E. F. J. —