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My Dear sister

I seat my self this evening to write
you a few lines to let you know that I am
well. and hope you all the same. I will tell you
how I spent ~~your~~ yesterday as it was fast day.
Mr Gilmer did not teach school. and we had
preaching in the morning and evening. Mr Shunson
preached in the morning. and Mr Luealing in the
evening. and that knight J and Mary Gilmer
went to Mr Barrows. Cousan Mat Gilmer is here
to day. so pleas send me a led pencil by uncle Lee
if you have it. and if not send me ten shence in silver.
There is a man here that has pencils to sel for silver.
tell Pa to pleas send me some money to have my
shoes half sold. tell Pa that Mr Gilmer sead to
pleas send him some of the best water miltian steel