

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to



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Wilmington Ark  
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Mr Hankley sir I write you  
a few lines in regard to the money  
that is coming to the children of  
J. J. Williams. They want me to  
be their guardian to get it for them  
I hardly know what to do about it  
according to law of this state Mary  
is of age to act as her own guardian  
lawyers tell me that the receipt  
will have to be signed by her & there  
would be no imperfection in giving  
her the money I have rate  
Mr Brady twice to know if he  
would do that & get no answer on  
that point I hope you will answer  
me on that point I would rather  
have nothing to do with it if they  
could get it without it will be  
several years yet before J. J. will be  
free. James Williams is now living  
on the Mississippi river & will prob-  
ably stay there next year

he was here several days & carried  
the letter of with him. He will be  
back here about Christmas. You  
has gone to Woburn with a drove  
of cattle. He will be back in a few  
days. When they all get here to  
gather we will send the necessa-  
ry papers & get the money  
Yours Respectfully  
J. H. Haly

Mary has with her  
aunt Mary which will  
go with this