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Letter from A.J. Clawson & Hannah M. Clawson to James B. Finley

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West Alexandria February 6th 1849

Dear Grandfather I take
this opportunity of dropping you a few lines to inform
you of the good health of the Family in general
me and Hannahs children is in moderate health
at this time James Hough is better since you left than
he has been since he has been here the medicine that
you left done him a great deal of good the folks at home
is well. I have not heard any thing from Charles and James
since you was at home; the business of clothing is moderate at
present I think it will get better in a few weeks the
money is not plenty here the money that I have out
I cant get in a fall and the money that I get in
the cotton business is small Benjamin wants his money
the balance due on the cow that is coming to him
and I have Ben Triggs to raise it for him and
cant do it and I want I would see if you could
send me a little so as to pay him if not to
send me a few lines to that fact and a best
Yours in love and Fidelity Grandfather if
I could get the money that is owing me I
would not send and bother you but I cant
get it at the present and Benjamin said
if I did not pay him a quarter next
week that he Benjamin Levert at the
Square for election and I told him that I
would try and get it for him if I could get
ances this a moderate Grandfather and
No more at the present But Remember
Your true Grandfather in till death

A. H. M. Clason

James Hough

J. Hough
Feb 49
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