

with the wine
I have sent to John
I have and I
directed it to father
So that you could
get him to go and
get it for you for
I thought that
you could not go after
it and I want you
to write as soon as you
get the money and
let me know if it
come all right have
father to go as soon
as he can after you
get this letter for

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My dear beloved
companion I have
taken my pen in
to let you know how
I am at this time
I am as well as com
mon in and through the
mercy of god and I
hope that these few
lines may find you
in joying the same
blessing I want you
to write and tell me
if you got that
money - that I sent
you I have sent
fifteen dollars more

if he dont it will
be advertised in
the paper and that
will cost some thing
I have paid for
the exp^{re} pressing of it
I sent it to day

So no more at
this time but re
mainds your
af. fictionnet hus
bant. un till we
meet a gane rite so^{re}

Andrew J. Schickel
To his wifes life and
children