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Excuse  
this  
paper

Miss Ruby Carr

Kind friend i know you are [?] sweetest girl in the world. I sure was glad to get your letter Mr. Pendergast is a good man He gave my Husband a Job. He has been so good to the poor people I sure hope and pray that Mr. Pendergast will get to come home right away. I know you will help him all you can. I just have to cry when i

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think of him had to go to the pen. That an awful plaice for anyone to have to go. Mr. Pendergast family is so nice I am going to send you his boy picture. I feel sorry for his family. They are just lovely. Mrs Ruby Governor Starks think Kansas city is a mean plaice. Mrs Ruby you know it takes all kind of people to make a world. You know they drinking and gambling in all

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citys. I have live here evry sence 1916. I just love Kansas city Mo Miss Ruby if you evry come to Kansas city i want you to come to see me. I am poor as Jobe's turkey I know you love poor people. Miss Ruby I am going to ask a favor of you. Will you please send me your picture. i like to get something from washington

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if it only a tin type picture. My father and mother are dead. I was so poor I could not go to see them. They live in Marion Ky. Some day's, I have the blues so bad. I just have to cry. My Husband has heart trouble. My lord if he dies i don't know what i would do. I am 58 years old. Miss Ruby I sure love you. You friend. By by with love from Mrs Mattie Acock answer

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This is Mr. T. J. Pendergast Son. I feel sorry for him. He is a fine boy. I just hope and pray I can look in The Star paper. and read about Mr. Pendergast will get to come home to his family and his friends. Mrs Mattie ACOCK Leeds Station Box 7928 Kansas city Mo.

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