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Dear Sister,

Just a few lines in answer to your kind and ever welcome letter I received on Sunday. I am glad to hear John and you were at Delaval on Thursday and I hope you will always look at little Mary. Well dear sister I am proud our little darling is quite well may sorrow never trouble her young heart. Bring me some (?) to Moot Hall with you and what I asked you for. When you come down you can stay at Gateshead till I am tried with Joe's mother. Never mind about Mrs. Willis or anyone else having a shyness look after yourself and let others do the same about theirselves.

I have long waited for the Blyth paper but it has never come yet. I have finished all my book you sent. Give my best wishes to Uncle Bill and God speed him well. Our Bob told me he saw him on Saturday. Well Dear sister remember and love little Mary always never mind what may happen to me, it will only be for the best. I would like to see the child again and then I would not care. God bless little Mary and protect her always. I will speak to Mr Quinn after my sentence is passed. Give best wishes to father and mother, John and Joe. Be at Annie Gledson for my photo I need it here. Well there is no more to say at present so I will draw to a close with best wishes and good luck to all. Good day till I see you.

I remain well Your ever loving brother

Ernie xxxxxxxx

Were you at Mr Quinn's or at Leader's I know they are both good people

LOVE for little Mary
My Darling's child God bless Mary

Send the Blyth paper and some books in

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