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Dear Sir it is with quite pleasure that I write these few lines to inform you of our safe arrival at New South Wales after a five months Passage from England. Dear Sir the Lord have been pleased to lay his afflicted hand on my wife she have suffered a deal of sickness the greatest part of the voyage but the Lord have enabled her to possess her soul in patience and believe that all things shall work together for our good Dear Sir I have to tell you that I hope by the time this reach you our family will be increased. Sir I have inclosed in this a copy of my employment every day from the time we first sailed; till we landed at New South Wales. Dear Sir I hope you will be so kind as to send this Russell to Windham as soon as you can. remember us to all our friends at the Prisonary house Dear Sir we are all at this time pretty well bless the Lord for it. It is trusting on his promises that I have found quite comfort and I hope will be the comfort and support of my soul to the end of the world. Pray for us.

I remain your humble
Servant Jas Kemp