

## **Samuel F. Lyman to Hiram Hill**

Samuel Lyman wrote from Northampton, Massachusetts, to Hiram Hill, also in Massachusetts, regarding Hill's responsibility to raise money for aid to Kansas. Lyman reminded Hill of the suffering occurring in the Territory. He added in a postscript that although Samuel Pomeroy had recently delivered provisions to people in KT, they were only enough to last a few days.

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H. Hill

Dear Sir

Will you please inform me what you have done about appointing agents for collecting funds for Kansas in Williamstown Northampton & Plainfield. I have received \$72.47 from the village church in Cunningham but nothing more from any town west of Northampton except what you paid me before the present movement. At the East the people respond to the appeal handsomely & the towns will average the amounts assigned them.



but hereabouts their  
contributions indicate either  
that the consciences of the  
people were relieved by  
their former gifts or that  
they despise of any effectual  
relief that shall save  
Kansas from the shadow  
of the South.

Yours Truly

S. F. Lyman

Pomeroy was on the border of  
the Territory 26<sup>th</sup> ult in good  
condition with a large conveyance  
of provisions. Dr. Cutler met  
him there - When Cutler left  
the poor people had not three  
days provisions except green



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corn & beef - He is quite  
desponding but left those  
behind me in good place  
who are determined to live  
or die in Kansas as shall  
be appointed unto them.