

George W. Bell to William Hutchinson and James Blood

From Hickory Point in Jefferson County, George Bell, an agent for the Kansas Central Committee, writes William Hutchinson and James Blood at Lawrence, Kansas Territory, regarding the condition of the "Burr family" and their specific relief needs. The Burrs are described as "destitute" of food and clothing.

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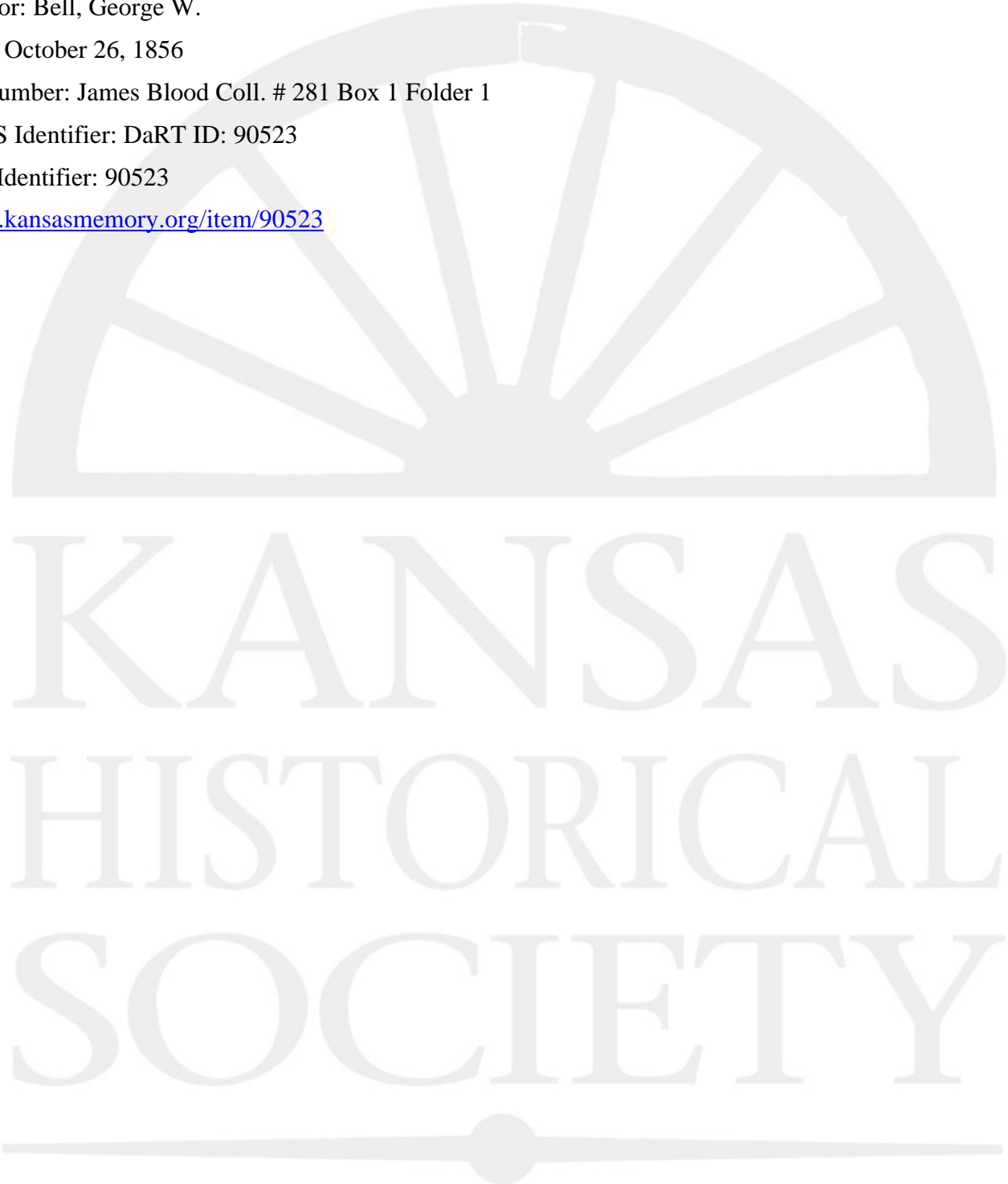
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My^r Mr Hutchinson & Blood

Wm. & Committee

Trut: we have investigated the condition
of Mr Burr's family and found
them destitute of either clothing or
food. We would therefore advise
that the children have two suits of
clothing each, - that is two dresses, each
one pair of socks, one pair of shoes, and
one Bonnet each, and something for
under clothes. The old Lady and
old Gentleman is quite destitute
also. His son-in-law's wife is
entirely destitute of dresses or shoes
and her Husband is not any better.
We would therefore recommend
that they be furnished with
something also. We would advise
that they have 1 lb of flour, meat in
proportion. Coffee, Tea, & Sugar also
at your discretion.

P.S. There are 4 little girls.

Oct 26th 1856.

Rocky Point,

Your Resp

Geo W Bell

Wm. Hutchinson
James Blood

see Receipt of Oct. 29, 1856