

Bridgeport Conn

Dear Miss Tarbell I received
your telegram last evening when
I came home from work at 4 PM
it came at three & when the
women brought it to me I thought
that Freddie was dead it was
such a shock that I thought I
would choke & I guess I laughed &
cried at once Dear friend more
than friend I can never do enough
for you no matter what you ask of
me I am only sorry I did not come
to you sooner. but then it was
an awful lesson to Fred ^{the} experience
I mean

I also received your most
welcome letter this morning & it
made me so happy to think he
will be out of that place so soon
& be with us again

Yes Miss Ida I am going to send
him 80 dollars & a new warm union
suit & some wooden shoes & his
over coat & sweater & gloves & am
going to write & tell him to be
cure & take a berth so he can
rest good so he wont be all tired
out when he comes home to me
again I sent you his last two
letters he sent me & I was
thinking of going there but I
thought I would wait a few

days longer

Now when he comes home after
he is rected Fred & I will come
out to thank you and believe
me Miss Ida I can never do
enough for you

I will be more than pleased to
see what the Governor said about
him I know Min Ida he will
do you credit for what you have
done for him as he has always
been a good boy & never caused
me any trouble he has 200 dollars
in the bank here still
So thanking you again what you

are doing for us

I remain faithfully

Martha Wille

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