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Dear Sir

I reckon

you think I am a very
strange, fellow, to write
to you that I would be
at Perryville such a day
and then to disappoint
you, but you know man
proposes and God disposes
my wife and Anarion and
I, were all ready to start
in July had the day set,
clothes all washed, ready
to pack up, and the
yellow fever broke out
in Memphis, and, we could
not go through Memphis,
as the cars was so crowded

it would have been impossible for Sis to have gotten a seat, she has not set up all day since Feb'y, let alone getting a berth on a sleeper, so we just concluded to stay here as we could not get away, and besides we did not want you all to run any risk of taking the fever from us.

I received a letter from Mr. J. W. Bottom, and also one from Mr. James A. Bradley Stewards, P. O., Mr. Bottom's letter was dated the 22^d Augt and Mr. Bradley's was dated 23^d Augt, both of them ^{was} received the

same day. I have not
heard anything from Uncle
Bew, dont know whether
he will sell or not, and
dont know how much
to ask for my part,
Mr Bottom and Mr Bradley
both want to buy, and
Mr Bottom wants to rent
for next year, is not
able to buy until he sells
some town property, my
interest is for sale, you
can tell Mr Bottom and
Mr Bradley. I do not know
yet, what to ask for it,
but will soon, you can
tell Mr Bottom if I do
not sell, the place is
for rent, and, you can

continue to act as my
agent for the renting of
the same, I will come
up just as soon as
my wife's health will
admit of my leaving her
for a week, but rent
it with the understanding
that it is for sale.

Who is James A. Bradley
Stewart, P.O. I thought
till I saw the post office
that it was your brother-in-law
but if I remember his name
is Brady, write me about
both. Love to all enquiring
relatives and friends till
cousin Nannie I am going
to stay the most of my
time with her when I come
up, Sid sends love, write soon
Yours &c W. King