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219 West Broadway

Dear Henry,

I am dreadfully troubled about the way the Ingles are treating us. They took charge of our coal mine in 1854, forty years ago, promising to mine for us, and have mined for us one year, in 1883 only! Now if they had been dealing with men, instead of women, would men have submitted? Not a bit of it! — I think they have treated us shamefully, and am out of all patience, and can submit no longer. Thinking they would have paid what the Coal Lease requires before this time, I have made some necessary purchases, and contracted some debts, which must be paid, and owe sister Sarah nearly