

Bray Family fonds

Ann Elizabeth Rawson to Abraham Bray (GA265-44)
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24 Moor St

Jack Lane

Leeds

Dear Uncle & Aunt

We have got you [i.e. your] papers

they are very nice to read I like them

very much they are so different to ours

We got your Carte all right Mother is

middling she fell down the cellar steps

in september last & hurt her back but

is better now John Henry is all right He

is a good lad I have poor health &

have been at home a fortnight I have

not yet worked a whole day Trade has

been only vey [i.e. very] slack is [i.e. in] Leeds although

I think it is a little brisker now we
have been sending some of our people
away but have got them nearly all
back I do not know if you have any of
my Cousins at home I wish some of
them would write do you know how
all my Aunts & Uncles are getting on
I think some of them might write to

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my Mother can you send us any of their
direction's [i.e. directions] I send you my Carte I may
say that it is like me perhaps you
will think I look vey [i.e. very] solemn it is as
I am generaly [i.e. generally] you see I am forewoman
at the Shop I suppose with been quite [i.e. being quiet?]
there I am the same outside we are
very comfortable at home John Heny [i.e. Henry] is
staid He has a Violin & is generaly [i.e. generally]
playing it at night we have many a good
sing when I am well while he plays

We hope you are all quite well Please give
our kind love to all our Aunts & Uncles
Mother's Particulary [i.e. Particularly] & accept the same yourself
from your Affectionate Niece
S.E Rawson