



Local Union No. 1283

**United Mine Workers of America**



Girard, Kansas Sep 22 1916

Dear sir and Bro Efrowo Bartoletti  
by request of our local that I write  
you in regards to the strike up there  
we got a letter from new york  
asking aid but a majority read that  
would be sending it to far a way  
some Bro at the local knew you  
and was surprised that I write to you  
for the strait of it and if there  
was some body there that we could  
send what little money we have  
to spair what we want is to know that  
the strikers and there family get it  
we have nothing in the treasurer at  
present but we can put on a levy  
but that will be some time  
before you get it

order by return mail  
yours truly Henry Windle  
Girard  
Kan