NEW BERN-BALTIMORE BOIT EVERY FIVE DAYS

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## A PATHETIC APPEAL

What is Your Money to You In the Face of Such Misery
Dear Harriet:-I am very sorry that I could not write to you sooner. Ilost my little book in which 1920. dresses, were in. I hunted everywhere until I found it. Dear Harriet, don't be angry that I didn't write quickl Oh, how I miss Crahford and the school! Here I don't do anything. Oh, how I wish I could go back to America
Here they don't leave anyone go out to America, until they get a ship-card from Washington. Dear Herria how i long to hear from my friends in Cranford. I I didn't get a letter from anyone since I am here. Think out in your head how lonesome and bad it is for me. Not a word from my friends. We reached home safely, than
God. I long for America and Cranford. It is terrible bad here. There was a war here in this spot where live. Great cannon, machine guns, and all sorts of things were here. Shrapnel and shells, were flying in the air ton wo I could go out. Dear Harriet, if you see my father please tell wimld send me a ship-card from Washin
a letter fack. Tell him you receive a letter from me in which I wrote it is very bad here. Tell him to please take us back or we will die here. Even if we give money for things here we can't get anything here. We can't get no flour, sugar, lar
ter, eggs, or nothing at all. The people here can't get no wood or coal to burn. We will die of hunger or ter, eggs, or nothing at all. The people here can't get no wood or coal to burn. We will die of hunger or free
to death. Dear Harriet, I ask you kindly to please tell my father everything and to take us back. Dear Harrie Are you on the honor roll, and Betty, too? What news have you got to write to me? Must close my letter now because it is growing dark and we have mothing to burn. We go to bed as soon as it is dark It is dar
here at 5 o'clock. It is snowing here and all the waters are frozen. There is skating here. Will close my le ter, sending you and the family our best regards and wishes. Also give my best rēgards to my class-mates an
all the teachers. Good-bye! Mrom your friend,
FARY KAROMI

What a contrast that little girl is finding as she thinks of the comforts and peace she knew in Ameri compares it with the cold and hunger and devastation all around her in the spot where she now lives! Wh over there, who are, in many cases, "living in dugouts, unfurnished except for a pile of straw in one corner, which all the family sleeps in a heap huddled together for warmth;" or "roaming the country like, wild animals," food and someone to love them and give them shelter! Their cry must be heard by thousands more in this land fatness if the tragedy of their suffering and death is not to be an everlasting reproach to America. still believe that whil be heard and answered.
entire wheat crop into cash and sent every dollar of a farmer in West Point, Ill., for example, who converted his A few weeks since I sent you a $\$ 100$ contribution for the Child Feeding Fund. Now I am encl other contribution ( $\$ 880.04$ ), and I. Want to tell you about it. I am a farmer and this is the proceeds of th
year's wheat drop. I put this wheat in the bin at threshing time when it was worth $\$ 2.50$ per bushel ing to get a bigger price for it. But when wheat dropped, I says to myself, 'Well, Im left this time, more I got to thinking about this Child-Feeding Drive, I says to myself. I'll win out on the wheat all, for I'll just cash it in and send the proceeds to feed starving children, and by so doing, I will realize highest price I ever received for wheat, if it is only $\$ 1.70$ per bushel.' I will close, hoping that you may fally successui in raising the $\$ 23,000,000$.
No deductions for expenses. For every dollar you give, two dollars will be furnished in labor, transportation Make checks payable to European Relief and send to MEARES HARRISS, City Chairman.

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