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Leeds, Feb. 19: 1864

Hon J. S. Morrill -

Dear Sir -


I here
with forward a Petition touching
the matter of Slavery; a thing not
touchable much longer. Copy made
but two to whom it has been of-
fered have signed it. No effort has
been made to circulate out of the
village. Of course there will be
differences on one point in the
petition, but the tide is swelling
one and trifling will be borne away.

Mrs. B. desires me to say she
has a dozen dollars or so for the
Fair, but is waiting for a ~~cl~~amotic
Exhibition, twice adjourned on
account of weather. The proceeds
of which go to the fair.

I have read your Speech with

a good deal of interest. In these
times incomes and economies
are of unusual importance

Very truly yours
Mrs. Balch



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Res. W. S. Balch

Feb 19. 1864

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