

Section 5:

Child Labor and Industrialization

We are all
 Praying for our
 to slip out us but
 it is getting so bad
 without any air
 At once to libert
 said for you to
 wear his shoes and
 to nothing
 it is now half past
 one

Powell harmonica
 Watch is in
 Andy Woods hands
 Ellen & Want
 you to live right
 and come to heaven

Praise the children
 the best you can
 O how I wish to
 be with you
 good bye all of you

good bye
 Bury me and
 Elbert in the
 same grave
 my little Eddie
 good bye Eddie
 good bye Ellen
 good bye Lillie
 good bye Jimmie
 good bye Minnie
 good bye Horace
 We are together

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