

Money of the northern, state of
Money a brave man, but I hope the
thing is made out now,
wal Father I gess it is as well
that you did not sell out for
can do best ^{well at} home as eney whar
else, I can by land enuff to make
me a farm & git along best as well
there as eney, whar I want
to see my neighbors get rich & fleshy
Miss Tooby Swane I expect wood
git rich forr this time, making
berels, wal peter has finley got
the bar post out & swan, that is good
but not much to brag, you will
have plenty of Mudick at eney Kate
wal Ambrose I wish you was here
doing the same as I am & laying
still 16, dollars a month I have
now, hundred & 78 dollars due me
& if the war is settled & I come home
I will have over three hundred
dollars, the talk is that we will
have 20, dollars a month from