RG104 E-1 Box 185 W. H. HOWELL & BRO., Wholesale and Retail Druggists, 221 ELM STREET, Dallas, Texas, April 12,894 Am. Mr. Carlisle; Dear Pir!
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W.H. Howell & Bro., Wholesale and Retail Druggists Dallas, Texas, April 12, 1894

Hon. Mr. Carlisle: -

Dear Sir:

We enclose yours, as you may perceive that which has been tried in the fire – a ten dollar gold piece, and just within a five dollar gold piece and the silver mass was two silver dollars and a half dollar in silver. Making \$17.50, now if you can be so kind as to send us a check for that amount we shall be greatly oblige and will hope you can do so or very nearly so.

As Uncle Sam wants gold and we want silver and more of it in I was, as you know from our Senators Coke & Mills and Congressman Abbott so you see we will be glad in exchange our gold for silver.

Yours Truly, W.H. Howell & Bro.

[Noted on back of letter:]

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