I hear you have recently joined in the Closing Prayer. It was an earnest supplication for the blessing of God to enable me in obedience to the request of your letter for an instructing of the Spirit upon your Institution. I have just received a letter from dear Ella telling me of the death of her beloved Aunt—she died this morning at 9:30; she had been in a deep sleep, at times sleeping fitfully like a deep sleep—since then she has been enjoying a sweet sleep, making very real and sweet dreams like a deep sleep—since then the Lord has been enjoying the deep sleep. She seemed to hear it distinctly. I wish you could see Ella's letter—she has no time to write it. She was singing a melody. The Begley that the Sadler's had two little ones at the funeral. That they seemed not to change their clothes. Ella says: the last Saturday, the lady called me last night. I thought there was going right off. If I am going, help the Lord. It continues: Even when she wrote that I have felt an awe upon me, as if angels were around me and Jesus himself had come among us. Yes, Jesus is here! I love angels and waiting to hear the Blesser.
Yours love. How can anyone look with indifference on a death such as this? O my dear Lizzie! I will be the means of bringing him to Christ! O it seems as if it were to kill him almost. He will then & we the heirs of the great ones will roll over his church! dear wife! That was written yesterday & as I write, the minister was here. This morning.

O our prayer is for him. Can't you help us a little little? I know you will especially, dear Lizzie. who has just cut the cup, melt in sympathy with dear Ellen. A few weeks from either of both would be very sweet to hear. Besides the Jesus she didn't need consolation much but the does live sympathically in communion of the saints. Yesterday was a sweet Sabbath to me. We had a sweet lesson on the death of our Lord. I in my humble 

Believe. My prayer are with you dear Mother. Piece to me. Thank God in this precious frame. A lot for the little ones. Each I much love. From your Brother Rockland.
Dear Howard,

Grace be unto you, and peace from God our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ. Did you ever notice how St. Paul commences everyone of his epistles, except the one to the Hebrews, in these very words, or words of the same import? And I think there are the first thoughts which should enter the Christian's mind in reference to a further Christian, but they are too much neglected in these modern times. In commencing our discussions, we will ever remember that all our wisdom must come from God, as “It is the grace and gift of every good and perfect gift;” hence we will frequently call to mind its guidance and direction. Let us recollect that we are seeking for truth, not for the truth's sake, but for the arguments' sake, therefore all must be done in truth, love, and kindness. What I may offer as arguments I do not pretend to anything like originality, for there is nothing new to offer, but the more possible you may not have laid them presented to you before; as you need not consider these arguments as mine, rather than that I endorse them. In making quotations, I shall make the references so clearly that you can refer at once to the very place if you desire.

The unbreakable rule of interpretation of Scripture is the Scripture itself, and therefore when there is a question about the true and full sense of any Scripture... It must be reached and known by other places that
speak more clearly." — Westminster Confession of Faith.

I think the above is the true rule. Perhaps it would be well, first, to state as clearly as possible the difference in our belief, so that we may agree as to what we are arguing.

1st Of God

Trinitarian Doctrine
There are three persons in the Godhead, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and there is one God, the same in substance, equal in power, glory, etc., etc.

Unionism, etc., etc.

2nd Of Christ

Trinitarian Doctrine
We believe in the Trinity, etc.

Unionism, etc., etc.

3rd Of the Holy Spirit

Trinitarian Doctrine
The Holy Ghost, proceeding from the Father and the Son, is of the same God, etc., etc.

Unionism, etc., etc.

Note: The text continues with examination of alleged Scripture evidence for the doctrine of a plurality of persons in the Godhead. The text is filled with references to various passages and authors, including complaints and arguments.
of God would never have contained such form of expression, had there not been some sense in which there is a plurality of persons in the Godhead.

Carson, how Jesus Christ the Lord, and our Savior. p. 577

You think that the above passage indicates the three persons of the Trinity, holding communion with one another about the formation of man? Or generally (I mean Unitarian) think the Deity is simply utilizing on the formation of man, and makes use of the plural style of earthly Scripture. In all nations, men of high authority use the plural pronouns as reference to themselves.

And as found, not necessarily, in Scripture, by

Kings 1 etc. 2 Sam XV: 20 - 1 Chr XII: 6-9 - Ez 11:16-17 - 2 Sam XXIV: 14 -

by Jesus Christ. In iii. 11:12. Mark iv. 30 compare. Ex XIII: 18 -

by St. Paul etc. 1 Thess ii: 13 - 1 Cor i: 12, 13 - iv. 8-12 - 2 Cor X: 1-15 -

by Paul, individual. Gen XXIX: 27 - XXXIX: 14, 17 - Job XVIII: 2, 3 - Ro XXI: 1-5 -

XIV: 4, 8, 9, 10 - Rom, xiv: 13 - Col i XX: 8 - Dan ii. 36 - John iii 2 -

In this great answer of the creatur, Moses makes use of the highest style of language, which is consistent with our imperfect understanding - that see the following transitions among Thos. Moser, Fritsch, Schulz, Gotts, Ster, E. C. Remmiller, etc.

S. Sem. III. 22. "And Jehovah, God said, Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil; and now" etc.

Unitarian Argument. Certainly a very remarkable phenomenon, and not to be accounted for but on the supposition, that there is a plurality of person inheriting in the Godhead.

Dr. Tuckers Sermons on the Deity of Christ pp 253, 209.

You generally regard this as a strong proof of the existence of a Divine God, but we think one of us refer to those
Superior intelligence called in the Bible god or angel, as
Gen. iii. 5 - 2 Sam. xiv. 17  - P. viii. 5  - Job. xxxviii. 7
Besides the Hebrew past, translated one way, may not mean
ours at all, since it is rendered of separate phrase in the same chapter in the 32d, 11th, 17th verses, and by
adapting the same meaning here it may read, "Behold, the man has (by its essence) attained to know good and evil."
See the following memorandum written to Colonel Mower:

"And this who do not regard this as a solid proof of a plurality of persons in the Godhead,
I have offered them as the best arguments I can advance at present, in these points, and I really think
they are quite conclusive. What is the school or school in Penn.? When you were here I neglected
to ask you anything about it. Do you know where
It is situated? What school it is? What characters,
Moral or not. Or what its purpose is fixed? Do you know anything of the fund for its maintenance
Anything of the bequests or factored? What denomination it be, College, High School, or what? Whether or not
It is under any particular religious denomination.
what branch would they desire my services, if at all? And what is meant by a trustee position?
What security would I have for the salary promised.
Is it entirely independent of the State, or in some way
connected with it? Be so kind as to tell me anything
you may know on these points, and from whom
I could obtain more information, if I dared?
Mrs. Lee has a little stiff neck which trouble her
some, in other respects we are quite well, May.
Mrs. I like this state better than D. I thank you from my heart for bringing me to the valley. I hope you are well. I have long been near my heart. 

O Eld. I wish you had my present views of God's kingdom peace. I'm sure I wish you to be at peace. I desire to be with you. I am much better than before. 

I love to hear it all said. My hope is perfectly plain. I am now I need come to. I have two sermons to preach before Sabbath day. All my hope that I can do it is in God. He is the one great and holy name. 

God will help you and I am glad you are going to move. I will write when I can.
I am not more than one third of those who have lived a life. Some will die with other Church Baptists and Methodists, I hope also will find away again into their own state of indifference. The work of grace has been silent, solemn & gradual. I look back to our meeting there have been no indications of its abatement. I have passed the happiest weeks of my life. Have condeneed meetings almost every evening I preached the greater part of the time on the Sabbath. God has helped me. Charles, Ella & Mother have all been here. I think I feel more fully devoted to my Master.

Peace be unto ever & the I am hereby with new belief & hope I can but rejoice from day to day in the goodness of God. My health has at times almost given out. But God has supported me & I feel willing to now to die young. If it were not for Ella I should feel more so. I do not say this despondingly but cheerfully.

Rev. Mr. Thomas of Scarborough has preached for me. Mr. Sabbath & if there is one holy man on earth - one like Jesus, it is he. I love my Saviour better - have better conceptions of his Character now, than I have known Mr. Storers. He has been subdued & purified by suffering - Sellie his sister...
My dear brother,

I received your long but welcome letter on good news that confers a belated recognition in ascending it. I was glad to hear you can still engage in your former literary work. I did not know you would resume the tasks of which you make so hard for you. I hope you can daily improve and maintain your health. I am so glad to see you doing so well in the studies and I think you are coping up to the best of your ability. I am somewhat occupied with going to school parties with my cousin & attending to something of the secret in and getting ready for an exhibition.

I wish the winter season some warmer such exciting off time into a course of...
he very amended him that he should lie supported on the bed with a pillow.

In Sunday love the other day os the back, Mr. Train came that with Prayer and staggered into Sabbath. He bought

him at last Monday. Mr. Thomas Mr. Gower was more of the Church of the Lord.

Jesus than any one else. He has ever met with. Several have united with the Church and many more than 500

do a hope to go on it. It was foreseen

it was a warning that the Morning

of his coming again. The pastor told me that he was well 24 hours

long he showed play. The great discrepancy is his health. There was about a note that he could not write at all

in account of taking a draught.

I fear he will not live a long

useful life if he is not extremely careful.

now. The death of Prof. Cleveland

was a great blow to us. We have had no notice taken in the morning.

Of course as I am aware his hands were which Cleveland was, he failed.

He was liked very much by my

clergy. I think I must write to a

leader so well calculated to join

the good will of his people. He constantly felt his Competency to instruct us in every respect. The Pulpit is and

was excellent. The Church still remains being well in order. Neither the drapery

nor the matting or black cloth on of the back is other at the entrance of the

Chapel will be removed this time. Prof. Chadwick will take it on

spring and will probably be chosen to

the vacant Professorship in the

end event of Prof. Cleveland's death.
which is held here at Grant's point one o'clock instead of the
morning hour is very nearly attended. I scarcely ever
a day but the students do not generally attend. They are
not more than half a dozen to that
two men. We have had on addi-
tion of a previous member to our
Club,Anderson. He was, he
when I first entered a very
post-drinking goods fellow but
he has converted East Winds and
is a new convert to Christ.
Another addition is still of this
lame regent you may consider
normally. He was in the Club
that graduated Command
I was come to Prof. Cleaveland's from the 1st day of the semes-

ter. Then I left by going to

Falmouth to get a school. N. P. has best attended to his duties. He

asked me about you and whether

you returned to Nettie Poole.

Geller and I have made some

improvis of Nettie. She is an

assistant teacher in the

High

school. Brusteller, the principal,
is Nettie's teacher. He graduated

last August comes with me.

This term I have it at our club

where she always did board while

in college.

Drum on cellar, Kenton

house where Roseland I worked.
uninterrupted application to study. If he
only had the power of clearing to his
books that come in very slow, there
he would be a very superior scholar.

I am going home in about two
weeks to spend my vacation
there. Delia is to wait to me. Perhaps
if you could put time to write to him
again, especially with regard to success in
your studies. It is making plans upon
what it depended. It would invite him
to greater diligence. Perseverance. He is too
goof to stir up when he puts to a hard place.
If you should mention this subject
in a letter to him. It would be better
not to let him know that I knew
any thing about it or suspected anything
of the kind.

Our Thanksgiving comes the 27th of
this month. My term will close the last before.

We have had remarkably warm and pleasant
weather this fall. It has been rather rainy for a few days, but as yet no signs of winter.

I have a forecast to write this afternoon for Prof. Upham. Have been to dinner since I began this letter. Mrs. Wood gave me the direction of her son James & T. Wood, Santa Fe, N.M., M.P.

I hope to get a letter from you before many days. My love to Reggie and the little boy whose name I can't recall and who needs a help for their "rental fathers" to give it to them from home. I want them not to forget him.

Your affectionate brother

Chas. W. Howard
New York Nov

Dear Otis,

I should have been up to see you before this, if it had been pleasant weather and I may yet go up and spend the night with you before I sail which will be Saturday.

This rainy weather has kept me back a week as I could not load every thing as soon as I wished my clothes and outfits &c. will not be as large as I at first anticipated.

Mother's health remains about the same. She is very comfortably and her doctor says she is improving. Uncle Enzinger went home last week as he was so busy he could not go up to see you. He came...
on Bell street business
and was in a hurry to get
home again.

Give my love to Eliza
and all the rest of my friends
and believe me your affectionate

C.C.

A.R.
Newport, Kentucky
8th Nov., 1858

Dear Sir,

I received your kind letter of the 25th ult. and was glad to hear from you. I am writing in answer to your request to know about my health. I assure you that I am in good health and spirits. I have not been able to visit my home as often as I would like.

Regarding the business matter, I enclosed the contents of your letter with this one. I communicated it to Mr. D. who has been away recently. I hope you will receive the money in a day or two. I must say that it is hard to pay you a portion of it myself, but that the whole amount in paid very soon.

The weather here is very cold and dry. I have to wear my overcoat and boots, but the snow is not very heavy.

Mr. D. and John are well. I wish much for you all. I must be off now. I have no desire to return to West Point, but if I were to go, I would do so.

I remain yours truly,

[Signature]
I offer good quality of some of these Assurances to remain unrequited. I often bless of your visit and hoped to see you in your return—especially did I expect to have seen you and be more thinking of you a few moments before your letter came. It had done fear that you did not join the pleasure in our society you had anticipated or on return — have the consideration of feeling that if I have not retained the blame sufficiently of mine & silence you both have, nevertheless each your friend more secure than a toy desire to indicate the evil. Stronger & more determined. My prayer is that you may get much when we shall find that each pleasure in each other breed which pertains only to the soul — peace in Christ.

Please present our kind regards to all our friends — except our kind hearted wishes for your happy happiness — again.

Yours very truly,

James Thompson

L: Dr. Howard, M.E.


7-7-1.
Seems very much tugged as Roland
affairs her, I told her I was writing
to you this evening, she said give
my love to them, and Rowland
& wish I could see Otis & could convey
with him Rolando is quite distant
about the meetings, and I hope that
nestle, & that will produce a good
one, we have had a town fair, the
first day the people went out with
their horses, cattle, sheep, hogs &
the next day there Vegetable fruit
butter, cheese & their domestic work
that day the committee on the
stock, horses, & domestic
work made their reports, in the
meeting house, the house was
crowded full & saw people there
& had not seen before for many
years. Guy is in health and will
receive a kiss from mother for
grandmother and grace his her
her for me, have you received
and have all the news? you and the
accept my love affectionately your
Most loving forward

Levi S 1804

Lizzie My Dear Daughter I see by re-
proving your letter it is many weeks since
a letter has passed between us, either way, &
often thinkin’ about Otis and his family, and
the children’s pleasant ways, and more partic-
sarily at this time, as being the time of you
of his birth, this day makes him twenty-
eight years old, his whole life days before
this day in June, although a small part of
it has been passed with me, he has had a
largely in my fancy, or my anxious care, but
I have been blessed, with my heart lying down
on the Throne of Grace, where I could ask
Gods protecting care for him, you will
will wonder hear Lizzie if you live to my
age that I have sustained as we all see I have
I have a very sensitive mind, I have passed
many strait place, but recently God has been
my helper and protector, and I have a confidence
he will carry on, and take me to himself
Otis has no doubt, though how could Mother see us, go on, in sin, and not try to show us our danger, but I have sometimes had such perfect views of God's protecting one of my children, that, trusting the warning voice would reach them, I was dreaming of Otis, in my sleep, last night, it did not seem a satisfactory dream, I seemed to be in his house, it seemed to be in much confusion, lined snail, throwing about, and thought he did not seem at much account there, which made me wake unhappy, not being near enough to you to know your little trial, I am happier to imagine you going on-smoothly than otherwise, I saw brother Ensign two days since, and heard a little from you, he would have come up to West Point had he not heard of your being gone to Troy, I think Troy would seem very near to you, many dear remembrances to Mr. and Mrs. Lee still there? Ensign told much about a man, how he is unembellished with that heavy ground cancer, but says she is still cheerful, I fear she will feel the loss of Percy's company severely, I suppose he has sailed ere this, Ensign was about there ten days he went to See Ashley; I saw Laura Saturday she had lately received a letter from Bell, said she was well Laura's aunt Amelia lives with her, we are having a severe of meeting on the ridge, it is three weeks since they began, there is quite an interest about twenty have ask prayers, and a number have obtained a hope Mr. Mathews is one William King and wife John Kane and wife, Mrs. Sanford Gilbert, son-in-law married I think since you left, Sahm King has shown much feeling on the subject, but whether he feels the same precursor, to his soul (I can't say Thomas our hired man, a cripple like our girl are quite interested, in the meetings, Cynthia
Dear Otis,

I shall be able to visit you before I sail. Your note was received yesterday and I shall send it to Kingsley to come down if he wants to go with me. He had better come down tomorrow as I should have to get the things for Consul and endorse all Passages. Mother's health remains about the same. She is comfortable but will feel very lonesome when I am gone.

Give my kind regards to all friends at the Point and kind love to Lizzie & the Child. A Kiss for each till Lizzie & I will not forget her. I remain yours.

Affectionately,
Ann [Signature]
and exerted all my energies to live about such a dream. I am
going to remain at home this winter and study Latin and Greek
work to Charles who also is intending
to remain at home. I anticipate
a very good time all around with
him in the old North Home. Mother
has found it up for our use and
everything is all nice. Before I
came from Sewniss I had an
invitation from the President of
the Sewniss Falls Temperance Associa-
tion to deliver an address on
Monday evening next, but concluded
not to do so as I hardly was prepared
to show my ignorance before so
large an assembly of people especi-
ally as I shall probably go there to
school there in the spring. Mr.
Boadwin one month and Uncle say
true beloved teacher has left and
the school is now in charge of
Mr. Perkins who has been an

Leeds Nov. 20, 1837

My Dear Brother

I received your good
kind letter in due time and should
have answered it immediately but I have
had just as much to attend to as I
could and I have had time to write
letters to no one except my dear ones
and those of the next urgent character.
School is closed, Exhibition with all the
anxiety & excitement usually attending
me has passed and here I am in
a quiet room in our own near
college in Leeds writing a letter to
my brother. Charles comes home next
Wednesday and on Thursday is thanksgiving
day. I wish you and Lenand
could be here but I suppose it is
an impossible thing. I remember the
last thanksgiving day that were all here
was at the close of that term of mine at Monmouth when you came after 
me and found me with Mr. Strong in "Academic Hall." You was then under 
order to go to secession Audion.

What a change has taken place in us all since that time, not only in regard to 
a worldly position but also spiritual.

God had true helped the children of a 
praying mother. How few mothers there 
are that can look upon children like 
ours and say they are all followers of 
Christ. Th's is in account of our merits 
of our own but simply a keeping 
of God and how thankful we should 
be. I come home here to Lebanon 
and will see a very favorate account 
find myself in the very midst of an 
exciting and enlivening and enlivening revival.

There are meetings every evening and 
the week and we are continually many 
mails coming to the paper and offering 
his friends a call. Portland left me about 
(last Tuesday, the same day that 
I came. I saw him about half an 
minute while changing cars at 
Leeds junction. I wish I could have seen him longer but it was 
impossible to do so. Ella was here 
with him but she went away in the 
train province to me having 
not see her. We had a 
very good exhibition on Monday 
walking, it was a perfect success. 
Every one was very much pleased 
with it. I was entirely satisfied. I 
read you a copy of the Democratic 
Advocate as soon as I can get one.

I am writing you a copy of the Democratic 
Advocate as soon as I can get one.

In the vicinity of an 
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Miss Baranc has called to see me twice and I was out taking my walk both times, the second time she called she left the door in Hanover where she was staying but said she would be away yesterday so have not seen her yet and to-day is a severe storm so fear the weather will not be such tomorrow morning as will permit me to go and see her. Hope to send you some oranges and peaches for your Sunday schools and also your umbrella. Books are coming from Miss Julia Dwight. The oranges are gone that Frank sent to me, they are sweet and fresh and I hope Miss Baranc will not think it too much trouble to take them. Miss Dwight told me I wished to send
kindly to all friends and all my

very dear children I am very truly,
your affectionate friend,

Ann O. [Last Name]
Fort Monroe
November 22nd...-
Lt. Howard
Dear Sir,

You must not feel that I write to you as a last resort; when I inform you that of six letters written to persons and my friends at Trav's not one has been deemed worthy of notice, I sent write some books by meil and after a long time wrote to see (or rather learn) if they were read. I have written to Mrs. French and no answer.
I wish you to pardon my sensuivities and plainly inform me wherein I have merited the disfavor of those once my friends; if in the greatest of sins I need in justice a knowledge of my fault.

I often think of you and your threats of action in the school, or prayer meeting, I wish duty for me could run into that channel. I am not only doing nothing for the souls of others, but I am so often clogged in by doubts & fears. I long and pray for that clear and reasoning faith the ample record of earnest working in the cause of Christ.

Not only am I alone here but I am deserted by former Christian friends. I say alone, yet not alone never has Christ seemed more worthy of my love and prayers so refreshing.

I wish you would drop me a line and let me know the truth. Remember me to Mrs. Heswall, you are not forgotten. & this might one feeble letter. Prayers shall rise for your yest. May God receive & accept it.

Your brother in Christ

W.T. Tanner

3 Aug.
Dear Maggie,

I received your letter last night, glad to hear from you, and to hear that you are all well. But sorry to hear of Miss being so bad a time, it is too bad for her, you did not think to mention any money in your letter. I always want to hear from home and Momma has thought you might have if you did not mention something about him. He is to start a boy school on the 1st of next month. They are doing well with the children. I am sure, that if you do not think too much of them. This is the third letter I have commenced to you, the last one I got, is ready to send to the office it lay on the shelf and the last Saturday night after my dinner, Dad & I tossed up and you won, but meeting. I commenced another when dinner came to dinner last August here. I was
I am since, he has need of his home with
the health of going home next week. I shall
miss him. He would come Saturday nights and
stay until Monday. He's since been as merry
his mouth to Jones Gibson. Sam will feel bad
about it, and think he acquires him to start.

They boarded with Davies, who makes a strenuous
with all your snowy. I've only heard him to this
and his uncle has suffered very much, is hit
to the last I heard from him. Every that
the same concern it same good girl
and your idea that last week her husband was
sent to Union Field last Sunday. He the
last night was fired one Sunday. The first
one I can't remember, whether she was married
Saturday or Sunday. She was a complaining to
her children born the day before she died.

Allen his removal home is being
calls it colder. That of the same way
returns her to knowing one of his clearful spins
he told me once that the fall there was no
comfort in the mud. I told him I could not after

with him, he said he was glad if there was
one person that can take comfort. I told him the
same comfort for mine, he could not see. Thursday
is Thanksgiving I have. I too thought she'll
come away the whipping in that day. Then he
ought to. I had treat for the present goes
to feel the whip, very quickly, this blessings. I too
received, blessed with health, to take one of my
children. This week I wish to the shop teacher.

Wicks pays me two dollars to night he is to he
a soon supper. There is myself gets to the work.
I am a little tired. It comes on so strong,
so it does not come off. It might be then for
me a night, so it leaves me a little bad
in which it might, but not much of a mind
you will see. This you can arrive at that, when
the body tired. It never the same. I am my own
morning, at times I feel I must sick. I will the
more up, and that too much the first has close
for me, and my children. He centers all things
well all of his works look beautiful, and I have to
meditate upon it.
My Dear Hephzibah.

Liza sent letter to Laura & your last
to your mother reminded me of writing
yours yesterday. Thanks for the neat
in my household Laura & your aunt Bridg-
hen. Dined with John Heller at evening.
Laura went with me to your mother & spent
the night. Charles married her, was at home. It was
a sort of melancholy interest as I had alway
before been with our dear children. Martha
was related to mind many of my interesting
secrets of past years & departed friends.
Your expected surprise agree that while in N. Y.
I did not visit you. If you had known the
circumstances you would not have judged it from
want of interest. Nor an aunts desire to spend
a few days in your family & seeing the
scenery & the secluded retreat that have been
retained in pleasant memory more than forty
years. The two days spent at Peekskill was
intended for you, your family & pleasure. I cannot
reject that, as I could not visit but on.
It should be Peekskill. Mr. Cutman
could not have been chosen to in
fully upon my mind the farm. The farms of Ots
life & worldly prosperity than in
The life & death of more near.
persons with whom I had associated & retained in my memory while only 45 remained there to tell the tale to life of the others. The scenery the places of interest even the woods & trees were familiar but little changed by time for but men how past in body & mind were related by the face intelligent & steadfast. And other impression only held our minds who survive. The grace to us why were we spared? Has this year & its trials been manifested in us? On my visit there was I hope not only a sober but a moral lesson that I shall bear while memory & affection hold them secret as it now appears I might have remained there or four days longer & spent them mostly with you & but that I could not foresee. I have a trust of some week not 17 to 18 weeks on which 100 of thousands of persons were interested & it was necessary to give all diligence. If we would have an influence for good we must not only have an effeminate regard for men but we must make ourselves useful to them, such I esteem.

The law of morality implanted by our creator.
I have spent this week in town & mostly at home.
A painful sadness often rushes on me like a cloud which I cannot penetrate. The home of my bosom gone. I am but to give up my house & its contents yet that seems to be the way of Providence. We have not but followed some inclined to spend your mother & other friends.
...in your aunt Bright's house expects to leave Monday
...to live with Everett. She has already stayed
...longer than she intended.
...have a minister with us during the fall.
...had his daughter visiting from house to house.
...holding social meetings in which he is
...gifted and a good & clear expounder of the word.
...of God. If my circumstances would admit
...would have him make his home with me until
...this winter. I hope. If I let for NY.
...that Ann would make her home with me.
...should then have an object in continuing
...to keep house but I found she would hope
...that her physician could effect a cure & I could
...now consider it. Roland & Mrs. Patton spent
...always here. I was Delayed and did not see them
...until I came. We were much gratified
...to receive a letter. Issaibell occasionally writes a
...letter. Laura proposes to write to
...and give all the news. John & Helen?
...the girls are getting on pleasantly. Ashley
...has been three days & is improved
...by consulting [unreadable].

Affectionately,

Eunice Otis
in. Your pleasant Bratche home expects to leave Monday, when to live with Everett. She has already stayed a week longer than she intended. By then we have a minister with us, closing us I trust, by a good work visiting from house to house, in which is held a social meeting in which he is a good & clean expropriator of the world of God. If my circumstances would admit, I would have him make his home with me this winter. I hope all when I left for NY that Ann would make her home with me. You should then have an object in continuing to keep house, but I found she had hoped some other than his physician could effect a cure & I could not discourage it. Kolance & Mrs. Patton spent a few days here. I was away & did not see them. In a short time we were much gratified by a letter. Issabell occasionally writes her. Just let Laura propose to write to & will give all the news. John & Helen & little folks are getting on pleasantly. Having been sick three days & is improved now setting. 

Most affectionately yours

Osgin Otis
Dear Lizzie, I received your very kind letter today. I should answer it long before this, but quite a number of cares was waiting to get paper, so I should like to just write in your little cottage and see you and all those dear little children how I do want to see them. I felt so regretful much that I was so situated that I could not see you more when you were at Leeds, but am in hopes if we both live to another summer we shall enjoy each other's society and go to commencement & do feel lonely some times. I have reason to help you daily for the many kindness he bestows upon me when your letter came. It was feeling lonely it did me good how pleasant it is to hear from you in that unexpected & I should like to hear from you often. I do from Bell she is well sends her love to you. Rowland and Ella were here and made me a visit. Rowland seemed like one that had overtaxed his mind and body, he has been doing a good work. Egert has lost his former health in the conversions many souls. Aunt Batty's health is very poor. The heart disease your mother and I was up to see her last. God bless her if we are. John and Jemmy are well were here to tow this afternoon if I do not board the Inns in many a time I think some of looking up for a while go and stay at your mother's. She read the letter to me. I hope he will write some in your next. Mr. Eley is gone most of the time. I shall be quite lonely. Aunt B leaves to Morrow. I think some of having a Batty clock & should like to see yours. I hope you will both write me soon with those dear little children. Yours in love. Laura B. Howard.
Nov. 15th 85

Hagerstown

Rene

Dear Mother

We had a good tho' I fear, mean meeting this morning.Geo. Lewis inquired with much interest for you whether you were still actuated by the same love for Jesus that you manifested when here the letters to be kindly remembered.

I picked a very pleasant Thanksgiving at Prof. Shepherd's where we were all at table.

I have read two letters from Thomas Eaton. Excellent letters. By some mistake handling Elizabeth allowed disappointed them in their meeting. Baptism and Communion Sunday week.

It was a deep disappointment to them to not be on time. God will reconcile all for the best.

Wishing you a very happy Thanksgiving.

Love and Kisses

Your beloved son,

[Signature]
I suppose the best way to relate this is to observe that the lost and found relationships were observed. How I have not a clue. This was to be received into the Church. Our Fleming, who could reveal the blessings that God hath bestowed on us.

I was taken this fall. They gave me an institute of a研究所. They paid for them. I write particularly to call your attention in a helpful book that I have just read to which I am very anxious for you to procure. It is called the Higher Christian Life by D. M. E. Boardman, published by B. H. Meyers, Hexham, Privy, I think. In the author is an Episcopalian clergyman of Scotch descent. I believe he is the author of a book that will be of joy to many a Christian heart. He is the

Experiences. This point in Jesus
Our Lord, is as well as our
justifier. Of course, always, we rest on the love of God in the same way that we rest on Him. Our hope of final salvation, the hope of a second conversion, a heart

Conservatism, it illustrates its reality by stating from the
r, as it seems to me, points out clearly, the mode of the
Spirit's operation in leading us to experience it. This

new experience is never quite a perfection, an entire
freedom from sin, but a "full fall"

"full salvation" — Entire submission

to God and to the will of God.

It is the truth, which all is illustrated. To this, you may