

Daniel reports fabulous reduction
of prices at
New York.

20. Tomorrow that
Friday May 7.

Dear Bella,

Colder than
Charity this morning; or, as
if (to use the expressive
phrase of Henry Wilson,
when asked of the what-
beans would hate down, -
He'd see hell freeze over first,
that place were preparing
to do that thing: I've been
to the office & arranged
for my printing, & this
morning, to the fair
where I saw John &

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Bennet - both most
proudly, - & I Key Waring
to evil it was seville.

John says the Republicans
will not back down he
trusts. God will come,
he thinks, out of this
last Spirit; for it will
show them what is
Expected of them by
the South - to lick the
dust. A Northern Spirit,
(not so much an Anti-
Slavery ^{or Republican} one) seems rising

I should judge. Wendell
& Ann I have just
called on: — he engaged,
& she too proud to see any
one. Mary Robbins has
been in to warn Mary Chalk-
man — that Elizabeth Tucker says
that there are people she hears
talk, who say, Wendell & Phillips
~~must~~ speak again in
Boston, & the talk runs
rankly, that there are
to be a mob, you'll see about
the 16th. Well — the 18th is
Sunday. We is not yet adver-
tised. The Cadets, it is said,
are all ready under the
order of the Mayor, &

the showholding ^{interest} all talking
of Civil War. I don't apprehend
any disturbance, but
maybe you'd like to come,
at all events. I shall
not come out. ~~Write Mary~~
~~Write Mary a letter~~
of ~~the~~, & I'll stay in
till Monday night. Edmund
has written a capital article
in the Standard, & Johnson
has put in my little one
at the tail of it. So that
point is manned.

I hindered Mary from
going out to Mrs. Phipps' till
Anne, to day, as she meant
you all
M.M.C.

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