

Leic<sup>r</sup>. Nov. 16/54.

Dear Cousin S.

As you are collecting  
evidence of the actual position  
of the Friends, as a body, towards

Slavery, & Antislavery, I enclose  
this letter, which I found in the

Boyle. - As to its source,  
authenticity, &c. you can doubtless  
learn more, by inquiring of W<sup>th</sup> Perry.

S. Jones (<sup>Ed. of Boyle</sup> Salem, Columbiana Co.,  
Ohio,) where he got it. It has

internal evidence of reliability. Hope  
you are well, & not broken down by

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felicitations & rejoicing. Truly Yrs  
S. May Jr

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Nov 16, 1839,