

bones were broken. But my  
last account was a little more  
favorable.

Should I not record it with  
devout gratitude to the protec-  
tive providence of God, that for the  
almost twenty years in which  
I have labored in the cause of the  
Slave, <sup>harmful</sup> no accident has ever <sup>before</sup> to  
my knowledge befallen any one,  
at, or going to, or from my lectures.  
And in all the thousands upon  
thousands of miles I have traveled  
by land and sea, I never witnessed  
a disaster that cost one drop of human  
blood, or the loss of one hair from  
the head of a human being. <sup>P.</sup> While there-  
fore I do most deeply sympathize with the in-  
jured ones of the last Sunday, I still rejoice  
that the good hand of God has ~~protected~~ <sup>shielded</sup> me  
& my congregations, for so many years.]  
~~kept me safe~~ Hastily, but ever yours -  
Barker Pillsbury =

I hope Mr. May is recover-  
ed from his late attack.

Must we not all be growing  
a little older, that we are  
so frequently seized with  
these different forms of disease?

[Should Mr. May be <sup>recovered, and</sup> ~~restored~~  
in the office, will you please  
tell him that my Meeting last  
Sunday at Wear, was very satis-  
factory indeed. But we had  
a sad disaster at the close. Three  
ladies in a waggon, <sup>were</sup> ~~two~~ overturned,  
as they drove away from the church,  
breaking the arm, (or wrist, rather)  
of one, & very seriously injuring  
both the others. One of them, we  
had reason to fear, was worse  
hurt than the elderly lady, whose

To far as I understand  
your engagements, you  
could not conveniently come,  
before the second Sunday  
in July = Had it then, or  
about that time, you would  
come and give them a  
Sabbath Day's work, I have  
no doubt the results would  
be most satisfactory. I write  
now, not to get your answer,  
but only to state our wishes,  
and give you an oppor-  
tunity to keep us in mind,  
in making up your  
future arrangements.



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Dear Friend Garrison -

Our friends here are sadly disappointed about the Convention on which they had calculated; and as the next best thing, I have proposed that they invite you to give them a Sunday as soon as your already-made engagements will permit. This, I think will be satisfactory to them, & probably they would strive hard to make the occasion pleasant & agreeable to yourself.

I have enclosed a pack of this in brackets, to be printed if you think well of it.