

Dear Mrs Chapman,

Inclosed here-  
with, I send you some lines  
for the Liberty Bell, if they  
meet your approbation. -

I think that you will like the  
subject, but, although I have  
laboured very hard upon  
them, with the critical assis-  
tance of my dear friend,  
your sister Caroline, I still  
fear <sup>they</sup> are hardly deserving  
a place in the anniversary  
book. I trust that your  
great interest in everything  
that relates to the Anti Slavery

movement, as well as your  
friendship for me, will make  
you perfectly free in declining  
their publication, should you  
deem it proper.

Yours affectionately,  
Daniel Ricketson

Woodlee, Nov 18<sup>th</sup>  
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