

Wilmington 10mo 9th 1854

Esteem'd Friend William Lloyd Garrison
¹⁵⁰ Isaac S. Flint, and myself, are very desirous
for thee to Address an Antislavery Meeting
in this City, as may suit thy Convenience
on thy way to, or from the West Chester Me-
eting. I believe thou hast never had a mee-
ting of the kind in our City, and I really
believe that many here, are now prepared
to hear the truth Gladly, that but a
short time since acknowledged their Sym-
pathies to be with the oppressor, several
here that have never attended an Antisla-
very meeting, have expressed a desire to hear
thee, we therefore hope thee will make it
suit to be with us, and make my House
thy Home while here, we can provide
thee a way from here direct to West Ches-
ter, or from there here, as may best
suit, this has been an eventful year for
the successful escape of slaves from the
Peninsular, over 30 has passed on Towd,
Canada since the first of the year, two
fine young men the past week, please let
me hear from thee soon, so that I may

make arrangement for the meeting here
in case they can make it suit to
be with us, Very Respectfully they
friends Tho. Garrett