

Copy of the original letter owned by Foster A. Rice,
Rowayton, Conn.

New York May 1, 1833.

My dear Brother;

In a few minutes, I leave this port for Liverpool, in the packet ship Hibernia; consequently I have scarcely to scrawl my name. The package sent by Mr. Herwin was promptly delivered. I had considerable conversation with Mr. Tappan, respecting you as an agent for the N. E. Anti Slavery Society. His only doubts seemed to be whether you could arrange your business and whether your compensation could be secured as the funds of the Society were nearly exhausted. I think he regards such an agency favorably. I wish you would correspond with Samuel E. Sewell, Esq., the Corr. Sec. of the Society, and state to him, confidentially but explicitly, your views and situation.

The Lord be your strength and wisdom, the prayer of

Your unworthy brother,

Wm. Lloyd Garrison.

The above letter is addressed to Rev. S. S. Jocelyn, New Haven, Ct. and bears red h hand stamp and 20 cancel.

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