

Mary G. C.

Concord Jan. 21 - '55

My dear friend -

I received from Boston, a few days since, a box of articles from the Bazaar, sent, as I suppose, by the Committee -

Through you I would present my sincere thanks for the beautiful and excellent articles thus most kindly selected for me -

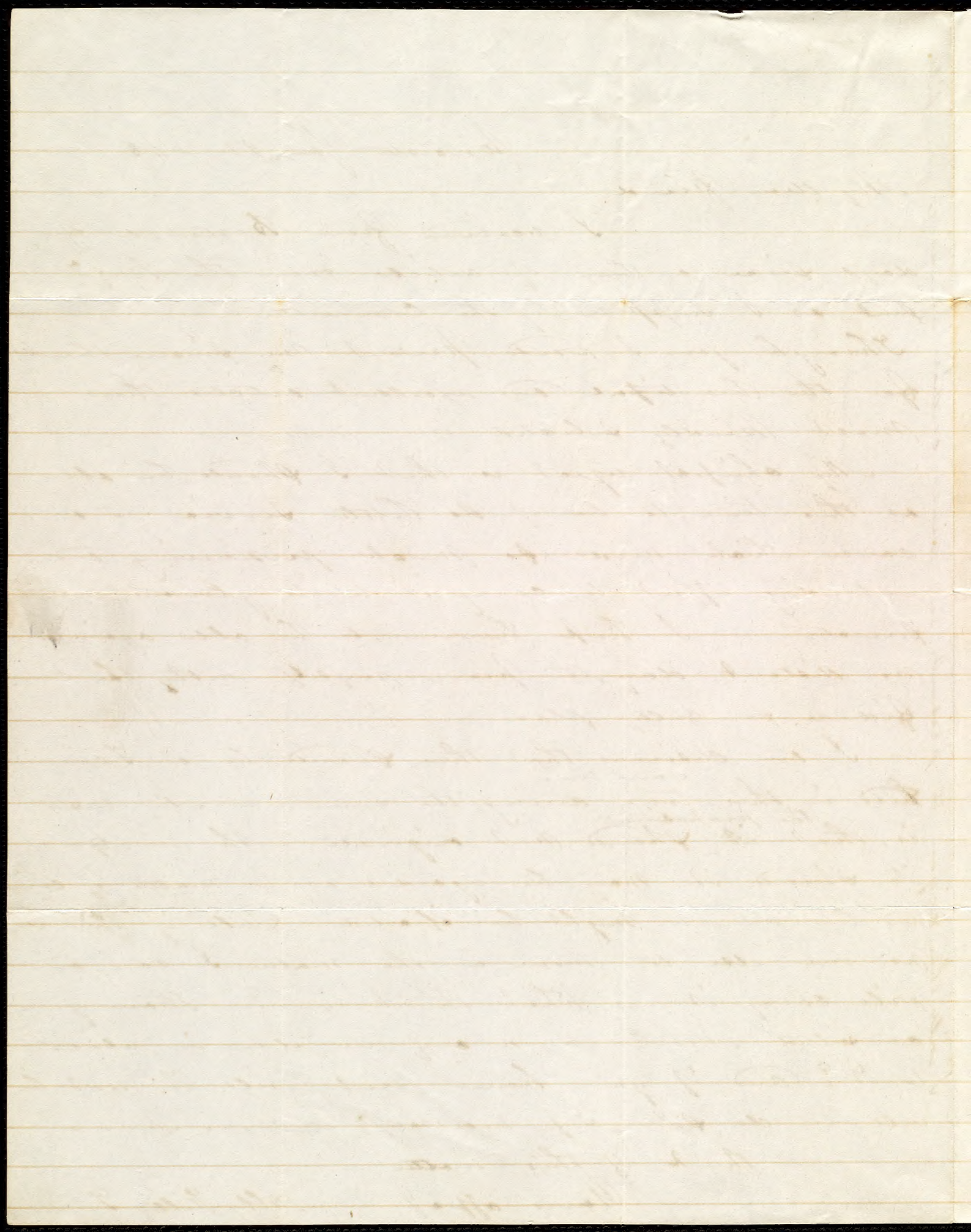
My chiefest request is, that I should be able, as this time, to be of so little service to a cause which needs so much persevering and unflinching effort, to carry it to its glorious consummation - I hope, however, to be able, again, at no distant day, to prove myself worthy the confidence so fully placed in me

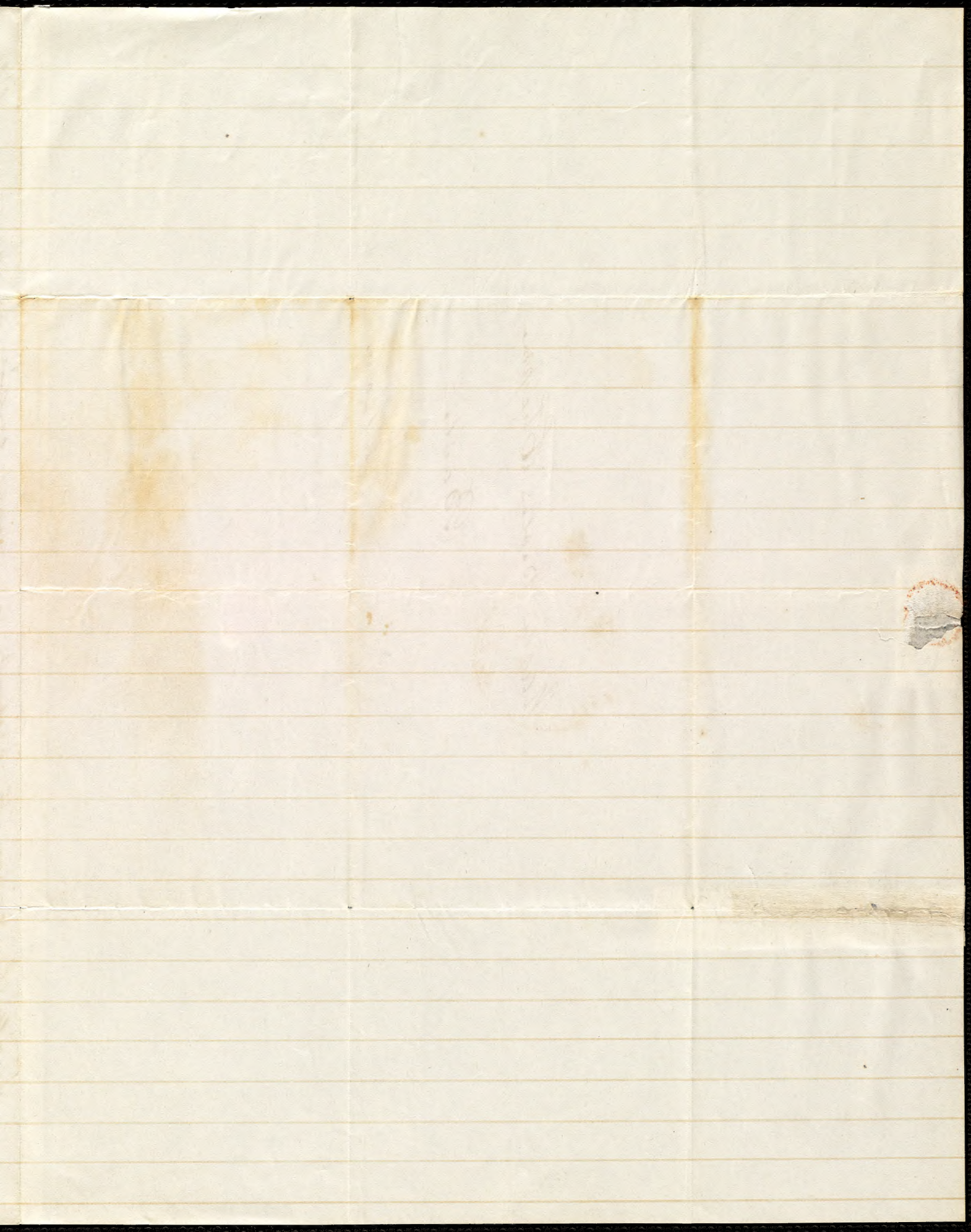
I am desirous that there should be a Fair held in this town ^{some time} during the summer - My wish is, that ^{the proposition} it should not originate with me, for if it should, it may be regarded as a matter of course and less interest might be excited - Still if there is no one else to move in the matter, I can, and will carry it - What think you? Have you consulted Mrs. Earle or any one else in relation to it? and if you have not, will it not be well to do so? - If necessary, let me know what you think of this matter -

Yours affly

Abby Kelley Foster

I will think you to present my most cordial regards to your sister





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