

gratis addition which will
be very useful to us. I do
not think I ever thanked them
for thy valuable letter dated
"July 12th". It was most
acceptable & gave great
interest to many. - Much
of its contents referred to the
change of plan; & how various
feelings in reference to it, in
many cases I hope the letters are
only matters of history, & that
you, our dear friends, are able
to overlook what pained us &
to unite in working in the new
way to test it fairly, & if it
helps the cause better, than to
rejoice in it greatly. - We, in
Edinb, were very desponding of
doing any thing proportionable

To the amount raised by the
other plan, especially as we are
so much crippled in power by
the Commercial borrowings, but
we distributed the circular & have
received \$40. - we wish it could be
\$50 at least, but we shall keep it
for a month yet & see if more comes
in. - I believe Dublin & Bristol
will also send something of the
same amount - but you will
know in good time - I can Mary
Cottin took charge of packing
the box to Philadelphia from
Bristol. She is better & I think
I do believe than she was, but
very far from what we might
wish her to be - in her new little
house she has much better air
than in Park St. She is the mistress
of the house ^{not a lodger} & has two servants. -
it was a great trial to disperse
the old furniture & make

some of it fit into the same
space & store up other pre-
sidewhere - & all the overture
of letters & papers & books with
varied associations, were a
strain upon her, from which
she is not think she has yet recovered.
She is situated very near Dr
Armstrong, on the Downs, &
is very pleasant. & she tells us
her windows command a
splendid expanse of sky & sea
& a little water, & at night,
stars & distant lamps & later
the comet form a very pictu-
resque scene. - I long'd to
see there, but although it is
less than 400 miles is a
long way to us. She writes to us
very frequently & the letters form
a very precious link - As I
write again now I must conclude

Rec^d. Nov. 10/58.

From
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N. S. America

Will thou give my love
To dear W. L. Garrison, M. W. C.
P. Pillsbury & any other friends
whom may know us -