

Wells there has been a board meeting this morn-
ing & Edmund not there - & Garrison I know
feeling that - it was a mistake in Dr. No address the
London Committee at all - I feel afraid that Ellis -
who is by no means the man to manage this English
battle - will do some unwise thing - but perhaps the
some will push the Old Mass through this hedge as
he has through so many before - Edmund has
written to you an account of his letter from Collins
I am going to run down to the Office as soon as
the rain stops & see what they have done - Moreover
Bishop is beginning to repent - & has this morn-
ing appeared before the board at his own request
to try to smooth matters over - what he says I will
tell you when I return & put a little note into the
Journal some where - Mary has written about Lucretia
& Anne - I suppose -

Henry Jew came in the Britannia &
is to go back again, I believe soon - he reports
that Mr Bates's passage is taken for May -
Mrs Garrison writes to Mary that they cannot
come because the Bates are coming - & Mr
B says decidedly to Francis that he is coming -
So the failure of the N. S. Bank does not
in some way make business for him then & I
don't see how it can - he will probably come home -
I suppose Boston will tremble to be founded
twice then - they will yet see in May I suppose
So if you come in June - you will see them &

not being at home keeping you will be
relieved from the trouble -

I forgot to tell you about the "Liberty
Convention" that was held here the 24th &
25th inst - I only know about it from Mr Spear
whom I met in an Omnibus this morning -
he said it was a very poor affair - about
40 persons present - & Correy saying at such a
rate that even the 40 were dis-
satisfied - Phelps & Toney did not draw together
but quarrelled - Fairly & Phelps evidently did
not believe Correy's simplest statement -

They both intend to edit the new paper "the Free
American" - This Paper Mr S. went & got at their office
as he has not known - I desired Mr S. to send it
to you with his respects - - further more he said
that they confessed that the Emancipator was
going down - Sam Sewall did not seem comfort-
able - & they could not pass the resolutions that
the business Committee prepared - These resolutions were
prepared by some democratic persons to suit Thomas Curle
how could the Whigs vote for them? they had respect
to questions of general interest - such as modes of voting
- choosing electors, Bank & Anti Bank -
Tariff - Protections &c, - as well as Slavery -

I must close this part of my diary here
with many apologies for its incompleteness - &
fragmentary effect - but if you could guess

The continual press of business that I have struggled
with ever since you left - you would wonder that
I write at all -

I put in a letter from Eliz - that I
have not read - I could not find time to see whether
it was legible - or not - wrote to her agent & to
Hunday too - who felt your neglect somewhat
before & I had to write her a letter to compose her
It was rather her pride than her affections that
was wounded - but it is a pity to hurt either
much etc.

I ran about on Sat to get the
rest of the news for you & found that no
business of consequence has done at the
house - Meeting Bishop was saying to make
friends - but they came to no conclusion &
took no action respecting the press in the
emancipator - this I was glad of -

I got a letter from Warren saying that
he was to go to Russia in course of a month
& was going now as far South as Baltimore
- I wrote by the way of sending to Uncle
Bates telling him about your absence
& ~~the~~ of our poor accounts of Henry -

I hope you will rather keep the most
careful watch over his health - hope you
will not stay too long - I yet I hope you
will stay long enough - even every place

infested by Yellow fever - it is I
think at Fort Annapolis -
We had Capt Luffin here to tea &
knew him very much - he said to
you all about us - Deborah & I were
here & he saw the baby & Lizzy
- Mary is slowly getting better came
down to tea yesterday -

All well up to this present -
My best love to both - I wish they
were to stay to us at home

Take care of yourselves! -

Truly yours

Caroline Weston;

Edmund has
written 9 pages
he says --
& begged us out
to touch his
Manuscript -
meaning 6 letters

Dear Maria, I have just
returned from the office, saw
Garrison (who says that Joseph
Sturge has requested his name
to be taken) from the roll of
members, he is an honorary one
you know from the Glasgow
Society I mean, in consequence
of their report. A very strict
sentence this, but I am in
great haste. Just on my way for
Weymouth I saw Mary
Robbins who sends much love

Ms. A. 9. 2. 6. 60