for the good account from England otherwise I am favoured up to 12mo 12. My dearest children at Yarmouth. — Precious letters of the right stamp in their letters — for ever praised be the Lord! Night — A good meeting this morning — a good sitting at S. Parson's this afn — & again much solemnly in the family circle this evg. But it has been a day of inexpressible fear poverty & tribulation to me — much deep humiliation; & scarcely any sense of good for my own self. A perplexing subject thrown before me in kindness by J.E. has worried me — & I seem sadly to want the help which some would withhold from me — but my cough too is troublesome to night. If I pass it has taken considerable hold. But through all the Lord again seems arising for our help — & the words, "He kept him as the apple of his eye" have been revived for my refreshment. Sixth day morng Good night — & sweet peace fell this morning in the prospect of commencing the family visit, in good earnest. Can I be too thankful? Third day 1mo 15. 1839 Probably I might ~~begin~~ recommence my work too early — as I am still indisposed & am nursing to day with a blister on my chest. The family visits on 6th & 7th days

passed off satisfactorily — especially a dinner visit at Judge Clifford's Lawrence's — by by the Bay's side. Walter Lawrence & Wolff my two companions & elders — First day was one year of much renewed favour. In the morning meeting (large) the distinctions between sound quakerism & Hicksism were clearly, yet I hope inoffensively set forth. In the evening a full meeting at Saml Leggatt's new meeting Ho. in which the truth was Hebrew fully declared from the first ~~six~~ few verses of Hebrews — many of the Hicksites who had come expecting the preceding 1st day afn — were disappointed, of their own accord, again & a very solemn time we had. I had rather peculiarly the feeling of getting at the minds, I hope the hearts, of the hearers. We lodged at Saml Leggatt's mansion — I was nervous & ill in the night — ministered to most kindly by Doctor & Mr. Hunter. Yesterday we had memorable times at Saml Leggatt's (a Hicksite family) at Gilbert Lawrence's Do — then called on Dr Mathesbury head of the episcopalian College. Then dined at Mr A Leggatt's (another Hicksite) & in the evg had them with the Walter Barnes's (Do) at home — a remarkable opening for service among them, through a talk with the school girls in the first instance — but that a red sleeping seemed to rest on the day but O! the painful, nervous night which ensued —

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