forget y any excesses — "a free pastoral ministry" In the evg the West Indies stay narrated Dalay's ancle x spends at Mallo's. He retires to Ho & till during Visty the day, have been to me unexciting & quite comfortable. It is a great pleasure to be y[our] earth friends. I can cannot tell whether any difficulties await me; but I humbly trust not, & crave ability to be quiet patient & resigned.

Joshua Hewlett's Flushing 6th day 6mo 5th

My return letter was brt in a 5th day let week bef. meets, & adopted with much unanimity, expression y consent, & without opposition. I spoke of some light in the Y.M.S, on Domestic religion, & on slavery. Kneeled after prayer in dispersed solemnity. This day week — 7th day after, after settling affairs, came to this place — & lunched — fainting for quietness. Meeting a First day most — a good one. I was a good deal, & unexpectedly enabled in ministry. Since then I have been "a broken pitcher at y[our] spring" — a good deal tried with indisposition — quiet within — & truly enjoyed, under this peaceful roof, in writing my Familiar letters to H. Clay. I have seen New England Yearly meeting & pretty bright news & cheering of the quickening y this country in the 7th mo. — Here are cheering & enduring in the midst y weakness & low feelings. I am utterly destitute y creatures. I ask from it fore for Love y the British Queen —

Dear Wheeler in a very low & shattered condition, after unexpected return from England, at Isle Platte; hardly expected to survive — H. Robson with the Yearly meeting of Shem Ds, Pleasantly, yesterday & this morning. On the whole, I sincerely believe that Holy-ways y Truth is — Thank God & take courage.

Mary Wilbur's Newport

6th day 6mo 19

We are this day come to the close y the most remarkable & favoured Yearly meeting I have attended in this country. C &c. On 1st day week to New York where we had such a crowded united meeting in with Rob. & Rebecca from whom I afterwards parted in love. Last call a dear Dear Wheeler at whose bed side I was very closely engaged in prayer. Afterwards in the solemn sweet after meeting, I had to pray for him & his family publicly. Spent the rest y the week at Sam Parsons's Flushing & wrote my book. 9th letter inclusive with Isabel Lucas — seems voluptuous. Not well in body. H. on 6th day eve. last, reached Rhinebeck Steam to Newport — low & miserable sofa — 7th day forenoon Public meeting morning & after y First day forenoon largely solemn & satisfactory to friends. I was much favoured in both. Many Friends & Strangers & after. "Believing the Lord's Children" Good meeting