

Handwritten text, likely a letter or journal entry, written in cursive script. The text is dense and fills the top half of the page.

I feel great hesitation in ex-
pressing much - deeply as I
feel upon the subject. I can
only commit them to the pro-
vidence of Him who has led
them into this work - who
has blessed the work - blessed
them in their ministry & in
their health - may them my
dear I do know the mind
of the Lord - I, for one, want
nothing more - In all this
express the sense of our
Board. I think I understood
them to say that they would
not leave, if called to do so,
before the close of the term.
I look back upon our short
visit with comfort & satis-
faction - I hope they sold
it better - My love to
Allen's family - affectionate
bid them hand me \$20 or \$25 each.

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Dear Sir

We returned safely. I have
now very sick all the way
home - from having to start
at 2 A.M. The cold tea made
him very sick - it did not
run nicely - I found it well.
I have a letter from William
requesting us "to look out for the
success at once". Then to the
generally tho' freely with me
upon the subject, yet I did
not inform that they had
fully concluded to leave me
at the close of this academic
year - but that they would most
likely go to Hawthorne. I do not see
that it is necessary for us to do
now - nor should we without
an official communication
from them to us. I think