

Richford Aug 20 1854

Remembered Brother and Sister

In compliance with your
kind ^{wish} as well as to gratify my own
inclinations I take my pen to address
a line to you. Various circumstances have
obliged me to defer writing I commenced
writing three ^{weeks} ago to night but not having
time to complete it I thought there would
be no danger in postponing it until the
next Sabbath when the next Sabbath came
I found myself unable to write, I was
sick a few days with the summer complaint
had the doctor; had you of been here you
~~you~~ would of smiled to of seen how
intent Mrs Green was I think she
is a ~~de~~ ~~is~~ delightful person is not
afraid of work, Mr Green is as affable
at home as he is from home.

It makes it rather hard for me
having so much care, I do not ^{yet}
know whether I shall stay here ~~this~~
winter or not