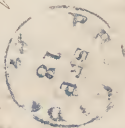


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Dear Edward & Family  
Richard Mackin



SHIP

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In regard to the present state of this Soc  
I can say that it is most pleasing &  
prosperous. To prove this to you I cannot do  
better perhaps than to tell you of what  
has past here within 6 days. Previous to the 10th  
Aug. I appointed a prayer meeting in our  
chapel to commence at day light on the morn-  
of Aug. it to thank God for our freedom &  
to pray for our brethren in slavery. At an early  
hour we were awoken by the song of jubilee  
sung by those on their way to the house of  
prayer, who a year since were permitted for  
the first time to call themselves free.  
Our chapel was well filled, & as we  
after another prayed for the poor slave  
& for the cruel waste of America I  
almost felt sure that God would  
hear & that while we were yet speaking  
the fabric of slavery would tremble, & that  
the chains of sin, at least of our brethren  
in bondage would fall. Can you tell  
us whether any slaves were emancipated on  
that day? At 10 we had a meeting for  
the purpose of forming a "Cold Water  
Soc." On the first of Aug last year  
we formed a Temperance Soc. & I called  
upon several of those to speak who  
united with us at that time & I fear tho  
it would have done you good to have heard  
them. Health had been restored. Peace had been  
enjoyed. Money had been laid up. God had  
been feared, & souls saved; & nearly all  
could tell of some good as the result  
of belonging to the Temperance Soc & 16 gave  
their names to the Dec. total pledge. The  
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