

Monday Bth 5th 1877.

Dear Fields:

I am most agreeably surprised at the success in transferring my name into a fifty dollar check which has just come to hand. It beats all other the tricks of the old Alchemist.

I am rejoiced to hear of the success of the Coffee subscription. Some ladies from W. Va. have just called on me with the excellent intelligence that our anti-slavery

found time so far recovered
as to be able return to his
home. If now we can raise
two hundred dollars for him
it will enable him to hold
the old home where his ancestors
for many generations have lived,
and set the old man on his legs
again, & warm & gladden his
heart. His bodily & mental
health seems now very nearly
restored, & he fully up to every
every kindness. Tell Harbelle
that he has done so well, already
I hope he will be able to raise
his figure to \$100. I felt sure
he would be the very man for
the object. -
Thine Every & affectionate
Father