

We expect to hear from Bro. Binney
in the state-house this evening.

The natural operations of the res-
titute will be suspended for the pres-
ent year. We have lived so much
off lay on the credit system, as to
require a pause to settle our affairs.
Our petitions have been so much
embarrassed by the late commu-
cial distresses, still pressing upon us,
as to cripple their endeavors to
help us. I hope & trust that we shall
at length emerge from the debt
waters, with more courage &
vigor than we have ever had.

Remember me affectionately
to Mrs. Phelps - to Mr. & Mrs. Fuller
- & all inquiring friends. May
God our Spirit be as ours!
Yours affec. J. S. Allen.

Beriah Greene,
Feb. 1841

Dear Phelps,

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By our dear Bro. Wright, I send you a copy of Green's Miscellanies. I hope, that between you & him, some little notice, if you can find room, will be taken of it in the Abolitionist. I have spoken to him on the subject.

He takes 60 copies along with him to sell in Boston. If you can help a little in this matter you will thus help our Institute. We are now enjoying a state convention, looking to the National Convention, expected next May in N.Y. Bro. Wright will give you, probably, an account of the meeting.