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My dearest,

I went Friday morning again to Worcester thinking to do something There now, but Cutter advises differently – saw two or three men, went with him out to Shrewsbury where I preached once – to the ordination of a young man Sean by name – shouldn't wonder if he went to Oregon. Next morning went to Northampton again – saw several – Mrs Hopkins went with + introduced me to some. Got to Springfield at six, called on Rev Mr Buckingham + two others + my [illegible text] just now is to find large subscriptions + John Field promised \$100 if I will find another to join him. S. [W. Warren] will join another if I will find at least four others – think I shall do it. Feel encouraged.

So long as I can keep professing in This direction hardly know how to leave but must in two or three weeks see you – I ought to be back home about September 1st.

Lizzie how are you? + the children? The cholera is about a little + I presume its causes effect all some. I have twice been [affected], but I am armed with dr Hamlin's Cholera medicine + a small dose acts like a charm. Our hottest month is probably past. I presume there is a letter from you at 13 Cornhill. I am in a hurry to have it. Shall get it tomorrow morning.

Give my love to all. After you get this – you need not write as I shall probably start in a week from Wednesday to see you –
Sidney –