

Moay 1st March 1852

Dear Father I

Received your favour of
the 1st Dec and not having ^{any thing of}
interest to communicate have delayed
writing till now, but not being very poor off
and perhaps never will be in that respect
think it best to wait no longer I was happy
in hearing of the good health of my friends and
their prosperity there seems to be some anxiety
on your part to have me come home with my
Family to Niagara Co- perhaps if I was alone off
here I might conclude to come back but I am looking
Ahead to the time when my Children shall have been
of age and want some little start in the world
that is one thing that prompts me to suffer deprivation
and endure hardships patiently and having a desire to
experience and know some things for my self that are
transpiring in the world I prefer not to stay in
one place any longer than the prospect bids fair
of doing something for myself and family we
are to run some risk in order to gain very much
even of the wealth of this world I wound up my
business in the merchandising rather sudden and unprepared
to all but myself altho I had concluded to do so some
time previous seeing how things were going I thought
best to do so not exactly breaking down for I have
paid all my debts of my own contracting to the satisfaction
of my Creditors and got a plenty of the
yellowboys on hand the little quaker thought to
buy it w^t me and was laying his plans to do the
same I rather guess he will get caught in his own
snare he has proved himself to be the quaker whoes
father told to get it any how & I guess if he gets
what belongs to me I will be amy how

the prospect is very flattering at present
of this being the Turnous point on the
River for the Railroad or at least
it will come to this place all are wide awake
in reference to it but myself I calculate
to keep cool. I am not fully determined at present
what to engage in this summer probably
shall be rather cautious having fully satisfied
myself that it is necessary to strictly caution
I sent a little matter to Albany for him to
attend to for me and would like him to ride
in reference to it we are all well at
present and probably as well or better
off than when we came here nothing as yet
to discourage. Cont'day when I shall come
home please give our love to all to

Yours truly D. Moore



Albany N.Y.
March 1st

1703

Cyrus Warren,
Lockport N.Y.

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