

(Original of this letter in display; book
on counter of inner vault).

Gorham, Maine

May 21, 1847

Dear Sister Hastings:

All I know of you is from what I have seen in the Day Dawn, from your pen. When I get anything good I have a desire that all the faithful should share a slice.

This is my apology for addressing you at this time and enclosing these two visions to you. You can have more Visions, but under the present Post Office Law, I cannot send them in paper form without three cents in advance. I can send three for five cents or by Express. So if you want more, please address me a communication to my address, Gorham, Maine, and send for the number you would like to have and in what way and you shall have them.

Brother Bates of Fairhaven, Massachusetts, published 1,000 copies for us. He sent me his bill, \$7.50. I have borrowed the money to send to him to pay the bill, and shall trust in the Lord for the money to be sent in. All are invited to share the expense who feel interested in the little sheet.

Brother Bates is out with a book on our past experience. I think it will do good.

From your Brother in Christ,

(Signed) James White