

Methodist Book Concern,  
150 Fifth Ave., cor. Twentieth St.,

NEW YORK, January 14th, 1891.

*Dictated.*

Rev. J.T. Gracey,

#161 Pearl St.,

Rochester, N.Y.

Dear Brother:

We are very much chagrined at the way we have treated you in filling your order of Dec. 16th. Through a mistake we sent the entire lot of books to Rev. W.H. Belden, Bristol, Conn and have just ordered "Autobiography of J.G. Paton" to be returned for shipment to Mrs. Robert E. Post, Oswego, N.Y..

In a few days we will be able to give you the bill for the entire lot.

Yours truly,

HUNT & EATON,

per *[Handwritten Signature]*

Come this way & stop at 161 Pearl going to Cleveland & send me some S.M. Paper

January 14th

Dear Belle

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I suppose you know what this means. I don't  
My order was specific for Oswego  
My Bell came right for that order  
If anything is wrong let me know  
If you want more Paton let me know

②

Why not subscribe for Bapt. Ref. Herald  
and a lot more say \$5 or worth  
and charge to S.M. I think  
we can get the money at C. Spa  
P. Mayne takes Gault's place

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S.M. article, I will be glad to use a  
short article, as soon as I can.  
Last month (Feb. no) I had nothing & had  
to write the whole 5 1/2 pp. Inknot myself  
and 9 pages of Monthly Concert besides.  
I stirred myself and laid lines for some  
more. But I am not flush with info. yet  
Why not write a good fresh article. You are  
full of the matter. Only I can't pray  
have no money allowance for anything.

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Write S. L. Baldwin 150 Fifth Ave and see perhaps  
Mrs B. can get you a better chance

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S.M. ought to be all out this minute & I have been pushed  
like yourself that's done nothing much - Gracey

Confidential

Rochester N.Y. Feb. 13, 91

Dear Belden:-

I have had my breath taken away, and I proceed to take yours away, that we associate together. I have a confidential letter this morning from Mr. Foster saying Dr. Deau has been for some time "many years" guilty of improper conduct, according to statements in circulation among the Missionaries of the Sanitarium, and he says it would "altogether" improper and hurtful to the cause to invite him to attend the Inf. Conf. in June. !

I am at this moment too confounded to determine what should be done. I am not sorry his name is off your head letter, however under the circumstances, and until I know more.

I wish you would say in the Circular that all intending subscribers  
must refer to me, with dates of years of Service, field, &c. and not to Rodwell  
at all - and that we distinctly do not agree to billet those <sup>Society</sup> who do not so report

You can take such course  
as you please about getting  
at the facts in a very quiet  
way. We cannot afford to  
stir up any mess, and  
have our name attached  
with it - nor can we afford  
to make an officer of any  
body, against whom there  
are any rumours even -  
I get each year increasingly  
convinced that we need to  
exercise great caution in our  
indiscriminate invitation  
to all returned officers.

Yours Gracely

161 Pearl St  
Rochester  
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Gen. H. H. Belden  
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