

I have collected the letters as desired. I should
 very much like to see you again. I am writing
 them over with you —

Martha Mott
 Decr 6. 1809

M^r Mott

Miss Childfield, daughter
 of Messrs Childfield & Co
 London

London

to get
 to the post
 and send
 I think
 myself
 it seems

I don't inform you should be
 one of your letters they must all
 back home either for as I can't let you know
 Uncle

Lewes, Dec. ^{6th} 1809

D^r. Brother,

I thought the last time I wrote to you I should have left Lewes entirely for this, but the Person who is to fill my vacancy could not come at the appointed time consequently I am obligated to stay longer. — I suppose you have heard that Uncle and Aunt George are gone to Brighton for the Winter; I was with them the last three weeks. — One evening Aunt and Uncle Robert, and both my Sisters drank Tea with us. (Jemima, Martha, and Mary all declared, 'there was but one thing wanting to render their enjoyment complete the presence of their beloved Brother). — I am going to Brighton on Sunday the 2^d th (the Day before Thomas' Day) and hope to meet you there. I am to stay a month, then I believe I am going

going to London to be with my Cousins in the
Berongh's Housekeeper. I don't know how
long I shall stay till I have tryed it; I shall
often have the enjoyment of a Brother's Company
and I shall have more exercise, both which I
very much want — tho' I ought to have mentioned
about M.^{rs} C. — Aunt has offered her my services
but it is quite foreign to any thing she has thought
of, and she did not think it at all eligible to take
me — Aunt George desires her love to you, and
shall be glad if you will ~~either~~ tell Alphonsse
to get 3 Quarters of a pound of Lamb's wool
to the palest pattern, and 3 Ozs like the others
and send it Down with ^{the} ~~Frank~~ ^{Frank} ~~seen~~ by you.
I think D.^r Julius you had better get the Lamb's wool
~~yourself~~ you will be sure then of no mistake about
it — remind Alphonsse about some bell-rope to
Uncle R. — is not going ^{to} Town till the 31th he will
then meet Uncle John — he wishes you to bring.

"The Law of Nature", down with you — I am very
glad my last letter did not displease you. I will
not despair of one day gaining (what I again assure you
is my earnest wish) the first place in your affections.
Alphonso was with us all the time I was at home
Poor fellow! I pity him sincerely — yet I am in
hopes his misfortune will be of service to him — it has
opened his eyes, that he sees how he has misdirected his
time in folly — he says he has neglected the improv^{ament}
of his mind so much that he can't bear reflection —
he used to seem quite confident that after Death we
should sink into nothing (dreadful thought!) but he
now says that idea does not sit easy, he
doubt about it — I have only time to press
Governor's and Miss Allive desires &
Sisters unite with me in love —

From
your affec^t
W. W.

P.S. If I receive no answer to this, I shall
on meeting you at Brighton or
before Christmas Day —