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York 2/4 Mo 1842.

My dear Fr<sup>d</sup>  
G. W. Walker

My fr<sup>d</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Wheeler of Strood,  
Rochester has applied to me for a few lines to some  
friend in Hobartown, to introduce Stephen E. Hughes,  
a young man who served his apprenticeship with  
a fr<sup>d</sup> at Rochester, and is going out steward of a  
convict ship, with a view to remaining in N.  
D. Land. He professes with the Episcopal Church,  
but his conduct gained him the esteem of his employers  
in Rochester. My fr<sup>d</sup> does not know that he has  
at all forfeited this character during a residence of  
two years in London. — As a convenient means  
of introducing him I therefore send thee by him a  
few copies of two tracts lately added to the list of  
the Year Association.

With love to thyself & Sarah & my  
other H. Barton friends, I remain  
thine affectionately,

Lat. Backhouse



Jos. Hope 20/ Subn.  
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Stephen B. Hughes

Geo: Washington Walker

Stobartson

Wm. B. Remond's Land

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J. B. Kehouse