London, July 5th, 1847

My dear Sister,

Having an opportunity of writing you a few lines, without hastening you to the expense of having a reply, I assure you it is with great pleasure, that I hereby with your request, of giving you any information in my power respecting Isabella. If I can in any way assist you, that she got her bed, on Saturday, about eleven o'clock; she was poorly from the time you left us, till Monday morning, when she sent for me, but the labour I did not come on until last evening, she sent for me, but could not get her till night, which as you may suppose, made it most fatiguing to me, and to have been, had she been there; however, we sent to her as soon as the morning to say that if she did not come immediately, we may get someone else, which without, soon brought her, she continued.
present to be careful, I very attentive, so that staff will be comfortable with you, but to which my order was in strong labour, during the whole night, till she was delivered, all the time her pains were regular every three minutes, & indeed dangers not, how she could have supported it so long, had not ammonia & sugar held her back with great force, between almost every pain, gave her a strength as two of brandy, to prevent faintings; she was sick, to weakness all the time, but when it came to the last, I was quite frightened; the pain was so dreadful, she struggled so violently, during the few last pains, that it was with difficulty three could hold her, till she had a very hard time, yet it was a safe one. She gave woman fully supported her for her pains with great patience, indeed we were all filled with wonder astonishment & gratitude to God, for so she lived, the end of the staff, & let us one go to see her tell your friend. I think we have heard more encouraging than ever, to put our trust in God, our child is very well, of all things healthy, I am sure you would be grateful to God. My dear friend, as far as I have any influence all prayers are for the restoration of her health. I have had many petitions upon them to keep her strength, & let us one go to see her till proper time. I think we have heard more encouraging than ever, to put our trust in God, our child is very well, of all things healthy, I am sure you would be grateful to God. My dear friend, as far as I have any influence all prayers are for the restoration of her health. I have had many petitions upon them to keep her strength, & let us one go to see her till proper time. I think we have heard more encouraging than ever, to put our trust in God, our child is very well, of all things healthy, I am sure you would be grateful to God.
as soon as we know you shall hear. Father intends that Daniel
will go to Cambridge in a little longer sense his love to you and desires
me to say he is glad you do not think of going to the Isle of Wight becau-
se thinks you would be very uncomfortable there without any friends he
hopes you will stay where you are. We are glad to hear that your chil-
dren are better. I hope you will reap still greater benefit of
your restorad ti us in good health, keep all the children for us, tell it.

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ought them or love them any life on account of their little cousins.
We are all tolerable. I have been rather unwell owing to fatigue on
my feet and am as are at times very painful. I think a little bathing
be one good, but it is all in vain for me to think about it for on many
it is impossible for me to leave home so abroad the rest present in today
after am in need. I trust you conclude wishing you many blessings but
your affectionate Sarah B. [signature]