

in Christ appeared resigned & willing to go — Frances J
remains about the same very low & feeble, although the Doct^r
give it as their opinion she has no settled disorder at present
I suppose you would like to know ^{how} farming comes on, rather
slow since the recent rains has commenced. I was in hopes
to have nearly or quite finished by this time, had it not been
for the cold & wet weather, however I hope we shall not feel a
disposition to murmur or complain at the over ruling hand
of Providence, but ever be submissive to the sovereign will of
Him who governs all things in infinite wisdom —

Our family enjoy comfortable health at present. Ann's
pretty good, my own very good — Elisha's troubled some with
a pain in his stomach nothing more however than usual
little C grows finely & appears very healthy is quite fond of
Grand Mother. little C & B is hearty as a pig —

one says give my love & respects to Father an other says give
my love & respects to Uncle & I say we all send our love respects
& good wishes to you, & also brother S family hope we shall
have the pleasure of receiving a visit from them next Autumn
Seth does not wish ~~you~~ to make you unnecessary trouble on his
account, says you may give five dollars per yd or what you thin
proper, he would prefer the indigo blue

I is not very well suited with those two samples you sent
home, would like one similar to Abby's, ^{french musling} thinks Sister I
would make choice of one that would suit her, if convenient
for her to take the trouble — I had almost forgotten to tell you
Mr Bonny was published (or rather cried) to Miss Lucy Monroe
a week ago last Sunday he set out with her on Monday following
for withthrop & Livermore — whether they intend being married before
he returns I have not heard but think likely