



New Haven Dec. 28. 1840

Mr Lewis Tappan
New York

Dear Sir

I received your last kind letter and it give me pleasure and thank for it I hope that the Lord may bless your soul and body I dare say it is good to have a friend and now I will say the man who keep the jail he would let me go in to teach the poor Africa now if you want me to stay at New Haven give me some work to sarvent some of the gentlemen New Haven or New York the man who keep the house is wicked man indeed I never saw in my life and he is a live man and drink rum and swear and curse God who made him I saw Cinque likeness and so it is not puty sir he dont look like Cinque will you please to give me answer if I will stay without work or no I desire to go to sarvent to rich men

I will to stay as you say you tell me you sent letter to London to the Capt. Peety all is well for me to stay here if I am not die I trust in God for his goodness to me Amen

I want answer Friday or Saturday
I am your truly James B. Couper



Geo B. Corry
New Haven
Dec 28/40

I am your truly
I must answer to you
all in well for me to stay here if I have
told me you don't listen to Charles to the
I will to stay as you have
without work as we choose to go to Concord to
will you please to give me answer if I will stay
and do it is not fair, and he don't look like
and Geo who make him I don't know
is a fine man and think man and woman and
which man which I know him in my life and he
in New York the man who keep the house is
I don't know of the gentleman New Haven
New Haven give me some work to
from office now if you want me to stop at
he would let me go in to teach the
and now I will say the man who keep the house
but one day I have say it is not a fair
for it I hope that the time may help you
this letter and it give me pleasure and thank
I remain your truly

Mr Charles Corry
New Haven
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