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which has been gained in modern times, was obtained by us and the Russians on Sunday the 18th of June. The consequence has been that Buonaparte is our prisoner, and is now on his way to St Helena to be kept there for life!

All these things God will overrule and direct to the advancing of his own glory. Let us, my good Friends, count it our highest to be his willing instruments, and strive to make known to the poor Heathen our Saviours name. You cannot preach, as some of us are called to do; but your tempers and lives will speak powerfully. All around you will be judges of them. Oh strive and pray then, that you may be enabled to maintain a holy & heavenly character. Live much in prayer. Be ~~be~~ constant in the reading of the Scriptures. Bring up your children in the nurture & admonition of the Lord. Tell all around you of your Saviour. Speak of their guilt and misery, and of their need of Christ, and of his power & willingness to save. Urge them to pray for the teaching of the Holy Spirit; and to look up to God as a kind and gracious Father in Christ: and let your own loving and mild and disinterested tempers show the power of Grace on your own hearts.

Farewell! God be ever with you!

I am affectly yours
(Signed)
Josiah Pratt