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Advantage on a spiritual account. I hope also in the end
you will not suffer temporally, but should the latter be
the case, and you die even poor, you will not regret
that your money has been laid out in this work, and
I will also say your time, as they will be conducive
to the happiness of thousands yet unborn.

I have the honor to be

Rev^d and Dear Sir

Your faithful servant
Thos Kendall

Rev^d S. Marden
Sir

Y^r S. It might be hinted to new adventures that much
of a persons happiness and usefulness amongst heathens
depends upon his keeping a steady eye upon his proper
work. Passing occurrences will naturally divert his attention,
and needful intercourse with the natives will take up
some of his time: but if he is not watchful, these things
will engross the whole of it. It would be easy for me to