

They are both now very ill - but work
is we hope in the mending way - Neither
of their healths are likely to remain good in
N Zealand - have not been without
Sickness in the family for several months
The Doctor of the Westwoodland Street, Mr.
Kempson is an inward Complaint which he
is likely to feel the effects of as long as
he lives - this and other circumstances - but
above all his being obliged to mend ^{his} ~~his~~
^{times} for his personal safety, which is very
contrary to his wishes - and unpleasant
to his feelings. He therefore desires to return
to his Native Land the first opportunity
by way of poor Jackson and desires to
receive your sanction to do so
please to present my best respects to Mr
Wardner and your family -

I remain
Dear Sir

Yours truly
H. Ball