

Henry Williams to Josiah Pratt

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My Dear Sir,

It is with feelings of great regret I now tell you I am obliged to decide upon remaining till next midsummer.

For several days I had so much considered my affairs in a train for being settled that we had packed up almost all our things in full expectation of being with you before this time – but the Lord has ordered it otherwise, no doubt for a wise purpose and as we are constrained to remain for some months longer – it is my wish, as my time will [f] not be wholly [sic] occupied to employ it during that period in acquiring such information as you may point out to me for the benefit of the Mission.

I am

Dear Sir

Yours truly

Henry Williams