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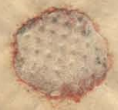
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Mr. Abner Wilcox

Harwinton

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Mrs. Rooms, Boston March 28, 1836

Mr. A. Wilcox

Harwinton Conn,

My dear Sir

Your offer of service to the
A. M. S. F. M., as a Missionary Teacher was laid
before the Prudential Committee, with the
accompanying testimonials, last Saturday
evening, the 26th instant.

It gives me pleasure to
inform you, that you were appointed
an Assistant Missionary of the Board, with the
expectation that you will be sent out to
the Sandwich Islands as a Teacher.

The reinforcement to go to those Islands
this year, will it is expected sail in two
divisions, from some port in N. England,
the first, at some time, from the middle of June
to the middle of August. The second, in October
or November. Mr. Anderson, into whose de-
partment of our correspondence, your name
has, wishes to know, without delay, in which
division it will be most convenient for
you to go.

You ought to be married before you
go out, but not until just about the time of em-
barking. When you have made a matrimonial re-

engagement, the lady, should make through you, or some other friend, an offer of herself to the Board as an Assistant Missionary, & this offer should be accompanied with testimonials of character, qualifications &c. from her Pastor, & other judicious Christian friends, similar to those which were required in your own case.

You will receive from the "Board" in ^{due} season a list of articles necessary as outfit, furnished by the brethren at the Islands, & the allowance the Board will make you as outfit, will cover what an allowance to defray expenses, in clothing for the voyage, books for your private use, & furniture when you reach the Islands. No stated salary has yet been fixed in the Sandwich Island Mission -

For any other particulars in which you may need information or counsel, apply to Mr Anderson, who will take pleasure in giving it to you.

Remember now, the honor & interests of the cause of Missions, are involved in your exemplary conduct & be holy in all manner of conversation

The Lord bless & guide you

affectionately yours &c
Wm A. Armstrong -

