

There are several empty meeting
houses within 3, 4, & 5 miles of here
which we can have if wanted. The
Christian Baptists & Universalists
owned them; but they have all
died out. Here are some good
openings. How I wish Bro. Van Horn
could be here with me! We had
good success together, but not
much separate. Several able Bern.
here would gladly pay his expenses if
he could command stay till Spring.
I hardly dared to suggest this. We
can spare any amount of N.E.
ministers for him if you want!
Direct to Dr. Lancaster, Mass
S. M. C.

D. M. Canright
July 14, 1868

Mason, N. H. July 14, 1868.
Dear Bro. White!

I have
now been in this section
long enough to get a very
good idea of the state of
the cause. I think that a
few weeks labor can be spent
to good advantage now with
the churches as they are in
need of it. There are quite a
number in N. H. & Mass. who
are able and willing to bear burdens
for the cause. They seem so
different from what they are
in Maine, that I seem to be
among a different people entirely.
Now can you and Dr. W. spend
a few days or weeks with us
this fall? It would be appreciated
& assure you.

I want to suggest a thing
to you. I am now at Bro
Coulter's ^{in Massey}. You know what he
has done for the cause and
he now has another \$100 ready
when meetings can be held here
or near. This would be very
central for the churches in this
section, 25 miles to Lancaster, 30
to Washington, 18 to Amherst, and
10 to Petersburg. It could not be
more central for those churches,
It could also be easily reached
from all parts of N. E. There
are now 9 Sabbath-schools
within 5 miles of here. There
seems to be no good chance
for meeting without the tent,
but a good opening for that. Now
if you and Sr. W. could come
here this fall, we could pitch
the tent a few weeks before
you come, get up an interest;

and have a general gathering
here from N. E. at your coming.

This would give you a chance
to do a good work for N. E.
Would it not be a good plan?
Could not Bro. Andrews come
a few weeks before you and
help me in the tent meeting?
I could not ^{very well} hold a tent meeting
alone and there is not one
here really prepared to help me.
We can have the tent from me.
If you think favorable of this,
please write me immediately that
we may prepare for it. If
not, how and when and where
can you meet with us?
Ella is doing well and
we are well.

In Love and Care,
D. M. Lamont.

P. S. I have just learned that