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Dear Bro White—

Your line of Feb. 10. received this morning, also Sr. White's Redemption in good time for Review No 11. The first page of Review No 10, which you have doubtless received, presents a lively appearance. There seems to be a wonderful commotion among the beasts, and taking them in connection with your subject The Judgment, one would almost think the last beast had ~~almost~~ come up to that event face to face, and was about to expire through rage and fear. Put two such great and terribles on one page, I confess is almost too much.

Your Second Advent is on the press. For amount of matter it came out to a line, just enough.

The report of the Religious Amendment <sup>Convention</sup> ~~of addition~~ shows that they are making wonderful progress. In view of it the necessity is very apparent, of our doing more than what we are, even the 20 times more that Sr. W. speaks of. The crisis is surely just before us.

Thank you for your words of encouragement to me  
in your letter of Feb 6. I feel of good courage. This  
work seems to present to me now an entirely new  
aspect from what it ever did before; that is, I feel  
more than ever before, a constant and living impression  
that this is in truth the work of God, and the last  
work for this generation. Oh! that I could put three  
weeks time into one, and had a hundred extra  
heads and hands to devote to the work. The memory  
of our last Conference lingers with me like a sweet  
fragrance. God is good; and it is time for his  
people to come up mightily to his help against the  
mighty. The general meetings of the church are largely  
attended, and are quite good. One hundred and two tes-  
timonies last Sabbath afternoon. The district meetings  
are good. A general feeling of courage and labor  
seems to prevail. Several of the students from other places  
who have never before made a profession, have started  
to serve the Lord.

Love to all the friends in Cal  
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P.S. You don't say anything about coming back.

When shall we have the pleasure of looking for you?

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