

Correspondence, &c. in the matter of the fund
for George Thompson, of England, collected by
Samuel May Jr.

To the Rev.

Saml. May Jr -

Care of Saml. May Esq

with best regards
of R. C. Waterston.

Holmes Sr. -

Boston.

TESTIMONIAL TO MR. GEORGE THOMPSON.

8 BEDFORD ROW, LONDON,

January 1869.

DEAR SIR,

A COMMITTEE has been formed for the purpose of raising a Testimonial in recognition of the invaluable and disinterested services which Mr. GEORGE THOMPSON has rendered to the cause of civil and religious liberty during a period of nearly forty years.

The names of the gentlemen who have consented to act as a Committee are a pledge that every effort will be made to ensure the success of the object in behalf of which we invite your friendly co-operation.

Mr. Thompson has had a large share in helping forward all the great political Reforms which have been achieved in the past as well as the present generation; and now that he is advanced in years and disabled in health, we confidently appeal both to those who were associated with him in former struggles, and to younger men who are destined to benefit by his labours, to assist us in making an adequate provision for his declining days.

I beg to append a preliminary list of Subscriptions, and to inform you that Cheques and Post-Office Orders should be made payable to the Treasurer or Hon. Secretary. I should also be glad to receive the names and addresses of any gentlemen who would be likely to assist in this good work.

Trusting that we may be favoured with an early reply,

I am,

DEAR SIR,

Yours faithfully,

WILLIAM SHAEN,

Hon. Secretary.

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