

Northampton, Sept 25, 1852

Friend Garrison;

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Wendell Phillips informed yesterday, before I had read my Liberator, of the proposed Convention, to be held in this village, on the 17<sup>th</sup> of October. I have to day secured the Town Hall, for that day and evening; so that you can hold as many meetings, as may be thought best. W. P. suggested that there be two meetings, and we thought it would be well to have one of them in the afternoon, soon after the close of the regular "church" services, and the other in the evening; but this we can arrange hereafter. You will however, have the goodness to keep the notice, which appears in this week's Liberator, standing, till the time of the meetings.

I think Phillips has done a good work here, and relieved not a few minds, of erroneous impressions, in regard to yourself and the good cause in which you are engaged. You are probably aware of the deep rooted prejudice that has existed in this community, ~~as~~ against yourself and your supposed heresies; but I trust we shall have a larger attendance and more candid hearers than have usually attended your meetings here; though we can not expect as large meetings, as you have at the East, where so much more labor has been expended.

I have a spare room in my cottage, which, such as it is, will be at your service while you are here; if no better accommodations can be found for you.

Your<sup>s</sup> Vrs.  
Seth Hunt

