Charlotte Street. May 23rd.

My dear Sally.

I wrote to you in so great a hurry on Thursday that I forgot one or two things which I had to say. First if you have any specimens left of the petrified wood from Van Diemen's land pray bring two or three of the best, as Mr Norris is anxious to have one. Also be so good as to look for the following Sermons, and bring them. One for Whitsunday: text 1 Cor. XII, 4: "All these worketh that one and the self same Spirit." There is a fresh copy of this; and I think you will find it in the box on the stairs. A Sermon for Trinity Sunday: text Matt. III. 16. "And Jesus when he was baptized &c" This is in a light blue or grey covered book and is in my dressing room. Besides this I want a Sermon on Acts XIV – 21, 22. "And when they had preached the gospel to that city &c" This is in a marble-paper cover and it also in my room. These I particularly want: and if you have room for two or three besides you may bring any that you think fit. I am sorry that it will not be in

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my power to dine with you on Tuesday; but it happens to be the anniversary of the Soc[iety] for Promoting Christian knowledge at which I must be present. The morning meeting is at 1 o'clock in Lincoln's Inn Fields; and the dinner is at 6 at the Freemason's Tavern; but I shall find time between there to come to Surry to see you; and hope to be there when you arrive, as well as to come home early to go to No. 24. This was one reason for my wishing you to come on Monday; but as that would have hurried you, it may perhaps be better as it is. I hope you have received the £15 and that it will be enough. In case your mother should be likely to want any money while we are away pray let her have what you can spare. I am writing this at my mothers: She is pretty well and anxious to see you; but not so anxious my dearest wife as your most faithful affectionate husband

W. G. Broughton.

P. S. I promised Mr Beaham to lend him Hunt's Lectures on the Articles: pray send it with my compts. If you can put my Sermons into a drawer or closet under lock and key, it may be better than leaving them loose in the room: or perhaps the room itself may as well be locked up while you are away. God bless you my dearest Sally: give my love to the children and all friends; and look forward as I do to the hour of, I trust, our happy meeting.

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