

You must write to me as soon as you receive this, it's some
an age since I last heard from you. Now don't dis-
appoint me please, I am looking forward to much
pleasure in August. The time does not pass half fast
enough for me, Eight years since we last saw each
other, and I don't intend to let you know when I
am coming - & for I am sure you will not know me, I
want to see anyhow. We will have a full school today - I think
all the boys are present - but two, and they are expected.
I must now close again - until next - at which time
I will try and make a finish - in time to mail it this after-
noon - Good bye. I have just received two very inter-
esting letters from friends who I have not heard
from for a long time. It was really a treat - if one
from you had accompanied them the pleasure would
have been greatly increased - (that is not flattery I assure you)
I must now draw to a close this very poor apology
for a letter - My love to Mrs & Miss Sallie & each member
number of your family - I will expect a letter from
you early next week - Good bye - May God bless
you is the prayer of your true & much attached
friend
G. M. W.