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be that all may be right in the
way of health yet, and that Doctor
Whittsett may beat the Doctors
in Philadelphia of course you will
try and get out of it by giving the
credit to the climate &c but
we better restrain our boasting
untill we have better ground to
stand on

Mrs Benson sends a
heartfelt condolence to all the
sick members of your family
She is indeed sorry to hear
of your afflictions She seems to
feel very much for poor little Harry
he is such a good boy She is indeed
very greatefull for your kind remem-
brance of her and hopes that
your prospect of the coming
winter may not be realized and
that instead of being a sad winter
it may turn out brighter and
better to you and your family

than you could possibly hope
for She wishes to be remembered
to all the members of your
family

This Nation in the time
of great peril inscribed on one of
her coins "In God we trust"
And as you remark God did not
fail to fulfill his promise I wonder
—er if that motto has been erased
from our coins in our prosperity
I really do not know but from
the state of the country I fear
that it has been omitted in
our late issues from the mint
you can easily find out about this
And I will only say that ingratitude
is at once the greatest and the
meanest of all sins and if
our country is guilty of it
we may all be certain that a
day or a time of trouble is approa-
-ching