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and various, public & private &c but I will not go on lest you should think I am repining at my lot when I am only comparing a very good with a better one, with the consciousness that altho' I may envy I nevertheless rejoice that you are in the enjoyment of what you get to, and no doubt do, largely contribute to your happiness.

My trip to Virginia brought me up nicely & I continue very well. The riots gave me great anxiety & I was much relieved to find them subside so quickly. I consider them as accidental, not premeditated, & that those who originated them little dreamed of the associations into which they would bring themselves, or of the consequences to which their actions would lead. The labor question will for some time occupy the public mind, but I do not see how it is to bring about a change in its relations to capital. They are one and indivisible. Indeed they are inseparable altho' at one moment it may be that one has the better of the other it can only be temporary.

We have had a windfall for the Hospital. Wm Rn L Keiderlin died recently leaving $22 Williamsport & Elmira 6 per cent bond, (which I think are good) of $500. each for the support of 12 beds for nativity of Wurtemberg or failing them any Germans. He left $3050. a year & a further sum in bonds of $600. to come after the life or lives of his widow & some relatives.

I met Wm Williams recently & he has not yet abandoned the notion of an incurable Ward. He will have a further talk with me about it. I must bid adieu with kind regards to Wm R Young

S W Welsh