

so engaged - for though a good work I
should prefer his being employed in a
way that might be more profitable to
his family - the salaries probably are
small - & I fear he like many others
has resorted to this occupation supposing
it an easier life than farming on hard
work with his hands - He is I dare say
quite as well qualified as many of
the teachers in Apica but he did not
go as a Missionary & I should regret
his resorting to his present occupation
from any but the purest motives -

I have not heard directly from
him for two years - I was absent
from Fed, when his last letter came
It contained a list of articles he
wished sent out - My absence
prevented the order being filled &
it was afterwards entirely forgotten -
If you are going - could you take charge
of a box for them or will it be best to
give you the order to be filled in Walt
& I will remit the amt to you
He wrote for shoes - Bed Licking - Summer
clothes &c I two years having past these articles

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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