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Letter to Rachel Denison Sr. (sister)

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Cardinal Wiseman appointed to hold the Bridle
even till he mounts the Archbishop's Throne
of the See of Westminster; and then he is now
— In direction there is the united voice of all
England — If the Queen say "No" the Head shall
remain and Cardinal Wiseman shall be
the Act. — Sp. of Whistler — there must a civil war
ensue — There is no middle course. —

Reverend this dreadful News — There is the
more pleasing intelligence that the two sons of
Mrs Charlotte Hope of New Bedford, Mass^{ts}, my
dear Wife's sister, who some time ago had gone
to California, are alive and doing well —
After a life of great hardship in the Whaling busi-
ness they went to that region of uncertainty
and have been protected from disease and
blest in their endeavours to assist their
widowed mother. This news causes the heart
of my beloved wife to rejoice; for she had begun to
fear they were no more.

I beg your prayers for your brother, as he
does yours, that our path may be made
easy and plain by the shining of the Sun
Brightness on it, in our declining days.
Let us not faint nor be weary in well do-

ing, till our change cometh. God hath said
"he that continueth faithful to the end shall
certainly shall be saved." With best love to the good Doctor
and dear Rachel & all; I am your affectionate Bro.
John Hender

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