

Albert Villa Selsdon Road
West Norwood England -
Dec. 3rd 1892

Rev. D. C. Rankin D.D.

Nashville
Tennessee

Dear Brother,

Again we are making all preparations for departure. We are glad that at last there is prospect of a quick getting away. And yet we will leave West Norwood with much regret. God has given us many friends here and through the ministrations of His dear Servant, Pastor Wm Fuller Goch, we have been drawn closer to the dear loving Saviour. For the two past weeks we have been entertained at tea among the members of his congregation. And last night we were invited to tea at Mr Goch's and to a Bible reading, also, at his house - We had a very enjoyable and exceedingly profitable time, blessed as it was, by the dear Lord's guidance. After the meeting was over Pastor Goch said that the meeting was called for our benefit. And that the members wished to present us with a token of their love and so they had the pleasure of presenting us with an organ (and just here two of the dear people wheeled the organ in) and your poor missionary had to make a speech - with his heart overflowing - was it not kind of them

We had not looked for any thing of the kind. Oh Mr Rankin, God has been good to us here and it will be as hard to leave these dear people as it was to leave Tampa - They also gave Mrs. Snyder a handsome folding rocking chair and eight large, dressed, dolls for the little children in Africa, and fourteen small dolls for the same objects - It would afford us much pleasure if you could see your way clear to write clear Pastor Wm Fuller Goch, Mansville, Chatsworth Road, West Norwood, London, S.E. England - Thanking him for his kindness to us - during our stay here, and for the organ &c. I had the pleasure of preaching to his congregation once. We are sending you by this mail our pictures. When you look at them - pray for us that we may soon reach our field and do great work for Him who has done so much for us - We can never be too thankful for our stay here and the good we have received through brother Goch -

And now wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We remain

Cordially yours -

DW Snyder + Wife -