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Post Liverpool from 18
Arnold Richards

Dear Sir

Excuse. I let you in a short time since and was glad to hear that you was well and that your family were enjoying a measure of health and the comfort of life. I was glad to hear from the rest of my acquaintances at the breakfast but I believe you did not say me word about the girls. Johnston & Coys and Margaret & Co would like to hear from them if you had a very favorable opinion of them. I give in particular as I was more acquainted with her than I would all about the when you write.

Can well avoid my family are in the enjoyment of the same. Being my boy in your most six months and and he might be in London that is pretty good for a small breed. Times are rather hard here so far as regards is concerned but we expect a little relaxation when the next comes off you or the farmers sell their lambs &c. I say was rather some rather winter and it took the most of the lower channel of that class of people that buy on time to buy hay and provisions to keep their stock out and consequently they had but little to pay for goods but we are expecting to take the time soon as they have something to turn to get more goods of almost all kinds are rather high at the present time. Malton is very fair with a favourable tendency but I am is pretty well up yet though. I think there is a fair prospect of its coming

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Learn what from where it is now and it has
felt all ready from what it was one while
some fifty c to per lb. Sugars are quite low
I am getting a lot of refined cty. sugar for
ten c to one d cty. & for 1 1/2 c to cotten
good are quite high. Making me about the
same as last a very little higher if any thing
I gain worth from third year to fourth cty.
we have has taken a little lately an account
of the recent frost that has cut down all
the corn in this part of the county it is
worth at this time five dollar a cwt twenty
five c to more while it has been selling
all winter for one dollar ten cots one worth
fifty c to eye 12 1/2 potatoes are not worth
much at any thing here they can be bought
very cheap cty. to two shillings 6.5, cty.

We have had very remarkable cold weather
the month till within opening but it
is quite warm and is raining very much
Friday evening at ten minutes past
nine (17 June)

I don't think of more to
write that will be interesting to you now
I will draw to a close

Please give my respects
to your wife and family and write soon

My ever most truly
A. B. Richards Esq. Truly
Yours
A. B. Richards

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H. P. Tolson