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My dear Genl  
and Mrs Pratt.

I've just received the  
awful news of the death  
of Miss Ely, to-day at  
noon. I have no particulars  
other than the funeral  
services are to be held at  
Wrightstown Meeting House  
on Monday at 2:30 P.M.  
I'm nearly prostrate with  
grief. There was devotion



its inception. It is grand! I wish  
that particular number could be sent  
all on the land, as we used to send  
to every newspaper, every person of standing  
that was reachable. You are again  
coming to your own and the Cause &  
its right status. I read the testimony  
of the investigation. Am only sorry  
Mercer escaped. I do hope Mr. Warner

more unselfish, more persistent,  
more beautiful & pure than  
she gave to unworthy me.

We were planning for  
another coming together  
in the Fall. Oh, God!  
How bereft I feel!

Your magazine (Red Memo)  
came yesterday. I like the  
picture, I more than like  
your splendid recital  
of the movement from



cannot go back. Miss  
Ely wrote me but a day or  
two ago of a call she received  
from Mr. Lipps & another,  
and she wrote so much en-  
joyed from Mrs. Bowersox, and  
to think she is dead! Isn't  
it terrible? She spoke  
of Mr. Lipps determination  
to carry out your every  
principle. Love &  
Mrs. Pratt. Just think, only  
last year, at Lily Dale,  
what a delightful summer,  
the dear one & I had together,  
& how we enjoyed your  
visit - Ever truly  
MRS