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Fairy Lands — William  
could he come here — mingle  
with us — would catch the  
inspiration — would feel he  
was called to a high and  
holy mission — and day,  
weeks, months & years would  
roll by — busy in great thoughts  
and high purposes — his eye  
fixed on the glorious future  
— would feel he was living  
to some ~~purpose~~ great end  
that the East never could  
present — Only think of it, — being  
situated in the Centre — heart of a  
vast Continent — in a land unequalled  
for beauty or productiveness — peopled  
by men drawn together to establish  
a question that the whole earth with  
its teeming millions are interested  
in — Men of the most energetic  
and enterprising character & for in-  
telligence — whether natural or acqui-  
red — superior to any I ever associ-  
ated with — why any young man  
of the least aspiration for the welfare  
of his race would feel himself en-  
nobled by uniting with such companions!  
The great question that rocks this  
Country — the weal or woe of its millions  
of inhabitants — Yea as I said before the  
whole world — are hanging on the  
result of the settlement of this ques-