

[Auburn, Cayuga Co. NY]

From "Visit to Genoa"

[excerpt] At about half-past two o'clock on Tuesday morning, we arrived at Auburn, having been 26 hours in traveling 64 miles. Here I was received by our faithful and long-trying friend Mr. G. Standart—to whose liberality as well as the affectionate hospitality of his family, I have been often much indebted. Thursday was spent in making various calls on different individuals, most or all of whom were formerly attached to the Universalist Society in Auburn. We say formerly, because there was once a society called Universalist in that place. But alas, like the children of the patriarch Jacob, it is not. It has gone the way of things that are lost: and like the dust of former works of magnificence, its very materials are scattered to the winds of heaven...

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