

Miss Emma Nicholas,
224 Green Street.

Dear Emma

Our poor tracts will have to go undistributed again to day as Aunt has an important engagement down town, and does not like to leave little Sis with the servants, lest she should be exposed and take cold, I must necessarily remain at home; likewise Uncle is quite unwilling to have ^{me} go to day owing to the badness of the walking. I shall not attend the meeting this afternoon, as it will not be very pleasant not to be able to hand in a Report. I shall see you to-morrow if nothing prevent and will talk about the business. This delay in the distribution of our tracts is quite unfortunate, yet I do not see how it could

have been arrived. Bad weather and sickness are
things not exactly of our disposal, but we may
hope that the like circumstances will not often
happen good bye Yours with great affection
Mary Ella