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## Letter to George Chase

Dudley Chase

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Washington March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1817

Dear George

I wrote you yesterday, but was in such a hurry and surrounded by so much noise and confusion that I scarcely know what I wrote. I then enclosed to you thirty dollars to supply till I meet you in New York, which I hope will be as soon as a week from tomorrow morning. But should I not arrive till Tuesday or Wednesday morning, you must not put me any. The roads ~~are~~ <sup>are</sup>, the Senate may not adjourn so soon as expected, business may delay or the weather may retard my journey, one two or three days. You will doubtless spend your time in the greatest commercial city in America, to profit & satisfaction.

Your kind father has not written me a word since you left Hartford. I also saw the Sedestige - ment you mentioned, and was led to the same conclusion, with you. Whatever may be his plans and ~~aspiration~~ <sup>aspiration</sup>, may health & affluence, and what is more, contentment, be his constant companions.

Yours most affectionately

Dwight Church

Mr. George Church

L.C. to G.C.  
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