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Certificate admitting G. M. West to the Holy Order of Deacons

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By the Tenor of these Presents be it known un-
 to all Men, that We Philander Chase by Divine
 Permission Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church
 in the State of Ohio, solemnly administering Holy Orders
 under the protection of Almighty God beneath the spread-
 ing trees of Marriott Park in view of Kenyon College on
 the bank of Vernon River near Gambier Knox County
 State of Ohio North America, on Sunday the Tenth day
 of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hund-
 red and twenty seven, did admit into the Holy Order of
 Deacons our well beloved in Christ George Montgomery
 West of whose virtuous and pious Life and Conversation &
 competent Learning and Knowledge in the Holy Scriptures
 we were well assured, and him, the said Philander Chase
 did then and there rightly and canonically ordain a Dea-
 con: He having first in our presence made the Subscription
 required by the General Ecclesiastical Constitution.

In Witness whereof we have caused our Seal to
 be hereunto affixed. Dated the Day and Year above writ-
 ten and in the ninth year of our Consecration.

Philander Chase

