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Letter to Philander Chase

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W. 350808
Gilead Aug 8th 1835

My Dear Husband

As yet we have only your letter from Rochester but trust Philander will bring us further intelligence to day - most thankful am I that your health is preserved - and trust your time is passing usefully and happily among christian friends - The boys are still in the harvest - Mr. Kimmington & Glap's sons are assisting, to day I think they will finish the wheat the hay is already to bring in and the oats will be cut on Monday - Dudley and Mary had each a chill last Sunday but by timely remedies only one Dudley was enabled to go to work Wednesday, and Mary is again quite well - I wish I could say Mr. Glap's family had been as quickly cured, but Altho I have pursued the same method with them, only one out of three have missed their ague - and 2 new cases were added yesterday - so that now, Mr. Glap and three girls are sick - one girl and the little boy convalescent - Mrs. Sargent and Polly Marsh - have found the benefit of boneset, and are happily off my hands - my daily ride is now to the Rindle farm - where we travelled so often last summer - I pray for the blessing of providence on the means used -

In Lekeah there has been one death Mrs. Blanchard died last Sunday of the inflammatory fever -

Mrs Rufel had a letter from Saml dated July 20th
I presume he was well though he said nothing
about it - said he had written you and but
little else, referring to a letter he had sent
me, never received - delayed as your letters
were - five have been at last forwarded after
a months delay at some western post-office
they had all the Springfield post mark - five
weeks difference in the dates of those that
come at the same time - No letters yet
from Cag should any thing important occur I
shall write to one of P. Beck -

Dr Hawks election I see is likely to
be contested - I think after Mr Bowmans
letter he would not consent to be consecrated
for ~~Mississippi~~ Louisiana. as little harmony
could subsist between him and the Clergy there

I see Wm Sparrow is appointed professor
in Theological Seminary Va will he not think
you be glad to run from a house he has
been so active in undermining -

All desire on affectionate remembrance
and feel very anxious to hear from you
but trust in Gods goodness to see you
again in health - so prays your affectionate
wife J M Chase -

(Left in your disk) names of Persons owning
lands in Illinois -

Stephen B Mann No. 500 8 odd Broadway - N.Y.
C F Moulton

George W Barriar Office on Hudson St

Sam L Wiggins Cincinnati

Benjamin Shurtleff - Boston

George Gordon - Troy N.Y. -

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