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## Letter to Philander Chase

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Dec. 9. 1835

Mr. Rev. & Very Dear Sir,

Mr. Home unites with me in sincere  
congratulations on the divine blessing  
which has thus far attended your  
important mission. At all times, when  
you favour me with a call, I shall be  
most happy to see you. I only regret that  
my present engagements do not allow  
me to offer personal & active services.  
To morrow (Thursday, the 10<sup>th</sup>) I depart  
to be engaged the latter part of the day  
as chairman of a Parochial Vestry: so  
that it is uncertain at what hour I  
may be able to reach the British Hotel  
even, when I re. you better of the 7<sup>th</sup>  
this morn'g.

On Friday, I expect to be there from ten



till 4. or Saturday, at home all  
day. so that you can call on me  
just as it suits your convenience, either here or at the Museum

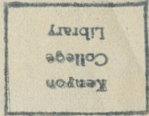
**BUT**, if you are not better  
engaged, and will spend a quiet Sunday  
Day with us, Mr. Home begs me to  
say that she (I need not add myself)  
will be most happy to see you <sup>on Sunday next</sup>. But we  
wrote in trust that you will consider  
yourself free to do just as you please  
I write this in haste & in haste, that you  
may receive it early, to morrow morning  
if you sh<sup>d</sup>. be in town

I remain most truly yours

Thos. H. Home



J. Hartwell Horne  
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Alice Chase Collection

*[Faint handwritten notes and scribbles]*

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