
Philander Chase Letters

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Letter to Samuel Chase

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Dear Saml!

I have this moment rec'd yours of the

9th inst.

By this time the Rev. Mr. J. is with you -
I could not write by him; but gave him verbally
what I wish'd him to do - viz - Study his books -
go to the bottom of the argument - and the bas-
-ness and utter corruption of Popery. - To which
let "Fox's Acts and Monuments" be constantly
referred to. Mr. Newton - on the Prophecy =
(I believe he wrote after he was consecrated on the 4th of
a lyke) a book tho' one appointed to be read by
all our Students Mr. J. says he has not read. -
- and any other works you may think pro-
per for him to read on the subject of Pomanism
and the Supremacy of the Pope in Particular
(Barrow) -
As to the Key of the Library it is always at your

command. - and Philander is obeying your directions
concerning that and all other strictly speaking
College concerns. -

I wish Mr. J. to officiate, if at all in the Chapel
relying on your goodness to supply Brimfield & Primer
ville. for I do not wish any more to wander about
- Let him study; - and confine himself to his room
in the College and eat at the table. He is an immense
youth and if not pushed forward prematurely will
be an ornament to the ministry. - Moreover
between ourselves I wish him not ^{with him} to go over to
Kikahoo - and be cheek by jole with the certain
Germans there. I hope that Commings is gone
I would not have him on the Hill on any acc.
- I trust you recd. my letter to this effect in time -
I praise God for the convalescent state of dear Sherill
I confirmed 11. & baptized 2 adults & 3 Chrlⁿ &
preached continually in Pittsfield on wednesday & thursday
and yesterday came here landing about midnight &
wended about to find Mr. & Mrs. Masters. I shall preach tomorrow
at 10 o'clock at the above. McChau