

To CHAS. HISSON

Apr. 5. N.Y. Sat 5:30 P.M. 4. May '61.

My dear brother John
Rn 15th St. 61

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Letter from Samuel F. Green to John P. Green

May 4, 1861

[John P. Green Mss. – A.L.S.]

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