

R. I. College May 25th 95

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Letter from William E. Green to John Green Jr.
May 25th[?], 1798
[John P. Green Mss. – A.L.S.]

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Dear Brother, I am now [*Ms. smudged*] an opportunity which you ought [*Ms. smudged*] have improved. I mean in writing [*Ms. smudged*] a short letter to you. I have put you [*Ms. smudged*] Chaise while in town in a safe place & have used it once myself to attend the Funeral of the Pre[*Ms. smudged*] child yesterday, his only son about [*Ms. smudged*] 3 months old. Col. Whipple has [*Ms. smudged*] to New York to [*Ms. smudged*] the Tickets in R. I. College Lottery they [*Ms. smudged*] seem so many [*Ms. smudged*]-tors that they have postponed [*Ms. smudged*] till there shall have [*Ms. smudged*] tickets sold which may be in the [*Ms. illegible*] of a month or so[.]

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had of a quick consumption & is to be
tomorrow. I should like to receive
from you the first opportunity.
let me hear how money matters stand
your sister has had none, nor no letters from
N. York. I wish you would try & get some
of me if in your power, but if you cannot
it convenient to send me some you
will be kind enough to get 15 dollars for
Gent. I could not have been
disappointed for a while the less. I wish you
would put on the old English shoes
of twenty dollars if you can get rid
of them, they are much from the prospects
best must be short & feel in every
poor here - If the money comes from Mason

remember me to your wife & to
the students in town

send it as soon as you can for it is ten
to one if we get any more that comes
from Boston. If you have a little love
I wish you to fix or place your
rabbits for I shall have some soon
have seen them & they are without
exception the most excellent I
saw they are put in a little house about
the size of your shop or rather smaller &
little boxes made for them about 2 feet
square with a little quarter door &
partition for them to litter in
are of all colours. They are
into town for the dear Penitents
they have a sister that I am in hope
to be a little better. I am
they are dinner & larger than
in N. York - see Potts's letter - yours
with esteem Wm. J. Green -
To David John Green Junr

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house abou[Ms. smudged] the size of your shop or rather smaller & little boxes made for
them about 2 feet square with a little grated door & a [Ms. smudged] partition for them to
litter in [Ms. smudged] are of all collours [sic]. The[Ms. smudged] into town [Ms.
smudged] dear Benitian[?][Ms. smudged] & I am in hope [Ms. smudged] [Ms.
smudged]ssion to [Ms. smudged] they are slimmer & larger [Ms. smudged] in N. York –
Mr. Proller's letter – yours with esteem W[illia]m E. Green – To Doc[tor] John Green
Jun[io]r

[Written in margin]: - remember me to your wife & family & to - the students in town -

obli *John* *obli* *obli* *obli*

John *obli* *obli* *obli*

Doct John Green

Worcester

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John *obli*

obli *obli* *obli* *obli* *obli* *obli* *obli* *obli* *obli* *obli*

Worcester

[Addressed]: Doc[to]r John Green Ju[nio]r
- Worcester –
John Green Jun[io]r 1798 & 9

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