

Albany, December 3rd. 1840

Dear Sir,

I acknowledge with great pleasure your letter of the 29th. instant. I shall read with very great interest the document you promise to send me. In the meantime there is much to rejoice for in the prospect of a release of all classes of citizens from the controlling power that has so long established the creed of political orthodoxy. For myself I am content to abide my vindication, and I trust yet to have the support of all good men in attacking ignorance and vice although for a time through misapprehension the hands of some have been raised against me.

Very respectfully

Your obedient servant

William H. Sewall.

The Right Reverend

John Hughes

Bishop Coadjutor to

New York

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