

MOORE COLLEGE: BROUGHTON LETTERS

Broughton to Mrs Broughton, 21/5/1835 (London)

My dear Sally: I found your Letter in Downing Street this morning when I called; and was much gratified to find that you cld accept my invitation. My only disappointment arises from your not coming on Monday, as I had settled in my own mind you wld, and counted the days accordingly. However as that is merely a selfish reason, and I shld be sorry on that account to put you to inconvenience & hurry you I will say no more about it; but bear the delay as well as I can and expect you without fail on Tuesday. I am obliged to write in a great hurry, having to attend the Meeting of the National Society in $\frac{1}{4}$ of an hour's time: but I must not forget to say that I have paid £15 in your name to the Bankers, which you can receive by applying on Saturday at the Canterbury Bank. I am very glad to hear that Dr Price has been to see you, as he said he would if possible. I just now met Mr Love (?). He is to sail on Monday or Tuesday to Cork; where he takes in prisoners for Sydney. There is nothing yet done at the Colonial Office. I am to be there again on Saturday. I have really no more time to spare & must therefore conclude this short and hurried note with desiring my love to all friends particularly yourself & the children; and am, My dear Sally, Your faithful affectionate and expecting husband, W.G. Broughton.

P.S. I dined and spent the afternoon with my mother on Sunday. She is very well and much gratified with the hope of seeing you & the children. I should have said that the children can have my bed at Tom's; and you and I are to sleep at No 24, a very respectable house where they let lodgings. I shall take a lodging for a week as near my mother's as I can, to which we can go Thursday or Friday.