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[letter of William P. Bruce to his uncle Henry Bruce Jr.]

Carlisle Ky [Kentucky] February 4 -1862 [February 4, 1862]

Mr. H. [Henry] Bruce

Dear Uncle

Your favor of the 30th ult [?] Came to hand enclosing your check on the Branch of the Northern Bank at Covington for Twelve Dollars for the use of Geo. [George] S. Bruce the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by me and Proceeds placed to the credit of Geo.

[George] S. Bruce on Chappell Bruce & McIntyres Books

Wm. [William] P. Bruce

P. S.

We had a letter from Father about one month Since he was then in Nashville Tenn [Tennessee] was in fine health & Spirits Expected to visit Uncle James Bruce in South Carolina Soon Also his relations in Virginia. At that time all of our Friends & relations that are in the land of "Dixie" were well & Doing well All Communication Seems now to be cut off though. and we do not expect to hear from them any more until the war is Over. We would like very much to attend Cousin Poline's [Pauline's] Wedding. But fear it will be out of our power to do So as our Mr Chappell is absent from home and it takes the rest of us at home to attend to business. We have now a branch house in Millersburg which Mr C. is attending to ~~that~~ So you See our business is So Scattered that it takes us all. with close application to keep it going though if one of us can Steal time to Slip Down with Sister Mattie & Ell Morgan We will take greate [great] Pleasure in doing So Cant [Can't] You & Aunt Mary Pay us a visit Soon give my Kindest regards to Aunt Mary & Cousins Your Nephew W. P. Bruce [William P. Bruce]