

Chickasaw Race Course
Memphis Tenn.

17th Oct. 1870

My Dear Wife,

We the boys & Saxebox
& myself arrived here at 4 pm yesterday
having left Nashville at 7 pm Saturday
evening - All safe & sound without accident,
or detention, by passenger train.

It is too soon to speak of prospects here,
the Bradley Stake being next Tuesday &
the George Elliott Friday following.

I am staying in a yankee family boarding
& lodging, good room, good fare, only
150 gas from Saxebox's stable & expect
to be comfortable. My cold is nearly well

I sent a New York check for \$1000
to be placed to my credit in Headley's
Bank by J. Bissicks who left Nashville
to day. I expect with much hope &
pleasure a letter from you, about Wednes-
day & will write again on receipt
of it.