

THE VICE-PRESIDENT'S CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON.

May 22nd
Dear Mr. Greene

your letter
and check for the
"Old Ladies Home" have
reached me and
I thank you most
heartily for the gift.
I now write to a
friend in this ^{charity}, that
I do not yet ashamed
of myself for I

Now I am only one of many doing
the same thing and therefore
making a nuisance of myself.
I hope you will give full credit
you must give, because I ask,
but always do what you can
in justice to yourself. I know
your generous frank to tell
to feel that you are not doing
enough.

Mr Hobart is improving slowly
he sits up about four or five hours,
his appetite is better, but he does
not sleep well at night, his mind
is too active and he does not
sleep well for this season.

Again with thanks and sincere
regards remain ever

gratefully yours J. M. Hobart