

C. P. S. Griffing's Letters  
to S. May Jr

to April 27. '63

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April 27 1863

Dear Friend May:

Your favor acknowledging  
the receipt of mine of March 1<sup>st</sup> has just  
come to hand, but does not give me all the  
information I desire. You will see by referring to  
my letter, I requested you to show it to Messrs  
Garrison Phillips and Quincy, but you <sup>do</sup> not say  
that you have complied with that request, only say  
my letter was received, and intimate that there  
are other reasons for your neglecting to notice it, than  
the illness of Mr Pillsbury. I think it is of some  
importance that the friends above referred to should know  
what I have written to you, and if you have not  
shown it to them, and do not wish to do so, you will  
oblige me by returning it immediately, and I will  
communicate to them what I have written to you.

Yours &c

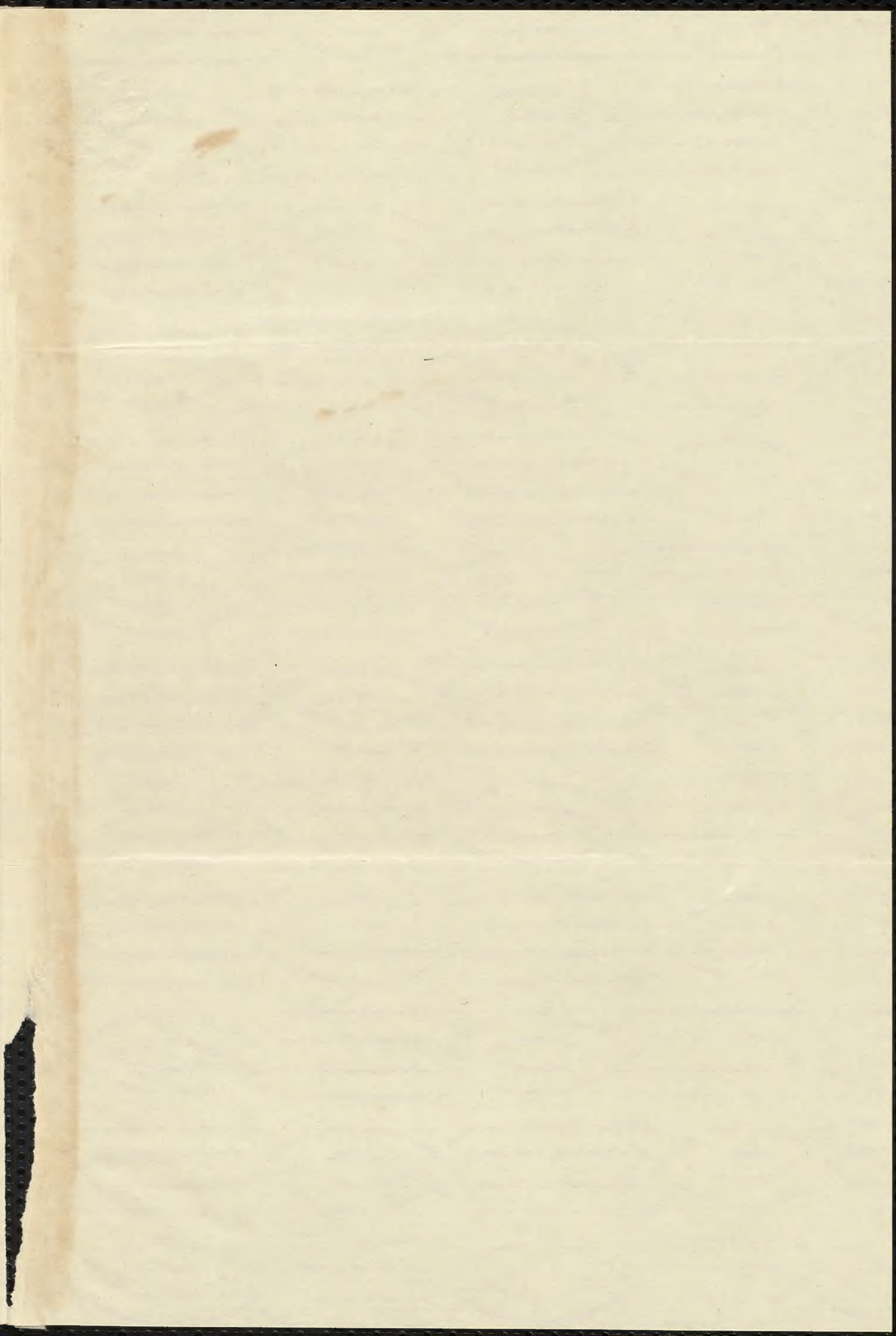
C. S. Griffing

18th Nov 1851

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Dear Mother  
I received your kind letter of the 10th and was  
glad to hear from you and to hear that you  
were all well. I am well at present and  
hope these few lines will find you all the same.  
I have not much news to write at present.  
I am still in the same place and doing the  
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I must close for this time. Write soon.  
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