H. SOPHIE NEWCOMB MEMORIAL COLLEGE, PRESIDENT'S OFFICE.

1231Washington Avenue New Orleans, March 9th 1896

Mr. H. K. Pomroy, D^r Sir,

I have had to delay a reply to your kind favor of Feb'y 26th. I am glad you like the 'Sonnet' Col Johnston wrote on Sophie; you have put it in a fitting place, in the "Pictures of the Patriarchs." I note carefully what you write about Mr Stetson, in regard to the Trust; to remove the Trust from Mr H. to me, as you write "would have to be done in Open Court: "will you please ask Mr. S. if, Mr H. with my consent could make it over to the College? thus releasing Mr H. entire from holding it; what joy! and happiness please say to Mr. S, it would be to me could Mr H, do it. Mr C, is well, and looks better, very truly

Jo. L Newcomb.