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SIDE TWO

I hope you will allow me the privilege
of seeing & hearing one who has
felt the great pulses of the world
so much more than I have
- The Nile is indeed full of
interest and I long to hear
your ideas respecting what
we see to have been "foreshadowed"
out in Egypt in the very
Earliest times. Two years
ago I had the pleasure of
going as far the 2nd cataract
with your wealthy young countryman
William Waldorf Astor
and brought back nothing
from nearly all the great temples
- Everything there to the present
day of the boatmen
seems to breathe Religion & We
ought to rejoice - (Rather there be
Jealous) to find there morning Shadows
of the Great Substance given
in the Work in England will
probably prevent me from visiting
America. ~~[illegible]~~ ever I do I
will not forget your most kind
words. Bishop Stevens I know
well (having been sent by the Bp
of London to arrange matters
with him about the Anglo American
Services in Paris 1867) and
have learnt from knowing him
and others like him - how
superior your pastors of
the American Church are..