

333 East-5-8th ~~St.~~
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My dear Judge:

On my way down Saturday I stopped off and saw my friend, Anthony D. B. Lovett of Geneva, N.Y. He became interested at once in the fence-post notion and will go on to Mayville to see you either this week or next. You will hear from him definitely as to his visit in a day or two -

Lovett is a patent clerk himself - Has money ~~himself~~ and controls a lot of fellows who have more. He is a fine fellow, an old college mate of mine and what he says "goes". - He is about embarking in a patent manufacturing scheme ~~of~~ which he will ^{tell} you all about - there is no reason why you ^{and he} should not help each other amazingly. I think he will turn up in Mayville next Friday evening -

I am all well here - Father of course feels greatly obliged to you for your interest and proposed efforts - ~~to~~ and suggests that perhaps it would be well to wait for a week (until after the big meeting in London next Monday - from which big things are expected) before writing either Dad, Ned or Webster.

All our warm regards to you and Mr. Tougee - I skip for Wash on Thursday the 1st when I shall hope to find the ~~entire~~ ^{entire} evening - Love to Mrs. Tougee and self - In haste as always W. J. O. S.