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My dear Judge:

Mrs. Touge's note of the 12th reached me today. I am surprised to learn that you have ^{heard} caught from Lovett. He is usually a most reliable fellow and he assured me he would write you in two or three days, naming day of his arrival - I have written him on the subject today and you will doubtless hear from him forthwith, explanatorily.

The interview duly arrived. With certain additions I forwarded the ^{very} interesting story to Col. Lockrill the first of last week - writing him at length ^{and pretty strongly} on the points concerning yourself hinted at in our chat at Mayville - I expected to see the interview in last Sunday's World - It was held over I take it for want of space - I have not heard from Lockrill - but I hear he has but lately returned and is, naturally, badly driven - There can not be much more delay - I have not written you before, expecting to have some development daily worth writing about - and I have been going it with a rush night and day -

Love to Mrs. Touge and the others -

Faithfully, evr,
W. F. G.