

Marion, Iowa, May 7, 1891.

My Dear Judge:-

I want to thank you for a copy of your last work which I received some time since. I had hoped to review it before this, but other work has pressed too hard. Will read it soon now.

I remember that you gave me some advice in regard to type-writers when I last saw you. The general impression remains, but I am not clear as to particulars. Do you

Regard the "Caligraph" as "one of the best." What are your impressions of the "Yost" and "Smith-Premier"?

I must have a machine sometime soon. I suppose that some firms sell on the installment plan, but I do not know of any. I would be under obligations to you if you could take time to suggest the most useful machine to purchase.

Hoping that you and your family are well,
I remain,
Yours truly,

W. W. Gist