

163 W. McCulloch St.,

Greensboro N. C.

Jan. 4th 92.

Mrs. A. W. Tourgee:

It gives me much pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your kind letter.

I must ask that you pardon my delay, as the "young people" have taken up all my time since their marriage. They have returned from a short trip, and have settled down to make the best of their opportunities. I have

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no doubt that they are quite happy in their new relation, and only hope they may continue so throughout their lives.

Let me thank you and the Judge, most sincerely, for such a grand gift to the young people. I have long desired to become acquainted with the Judge's works, but have been unable to purchase them. I shall now enjoy that desired pleasure. Mr. Williams is also very fond of reading - being a member of the C. S. C., Class '92. He has spent several seasons at

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Chautauqua, and has had the pleasure of hearing the Judge speak. That will tend to arouse a greater interest in the reading of his works.

My health is fairly good for my age.

Our winter has been very mild thus far.

I hope the Judge and daughter will spend a pleasant time out west.

Please accept our thanks for the present, and our sincere wishes for happiness to you and family.

Very truly,
Harmon Northrup.