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Mrs. Emma K. Tourgee,
Mayville, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Tourgee:-

Upon receipt of your favor of the 16th I wrote to Drummond of your desire to print an edition of "Buttons Inn". He replies that he has answered your communication and states that he has not had the plates of "Buttons Inn", and upon examination I find no reference to them *in our list*.

"Out of the Sunset Sea" and "Queen of Hearts" are the plates I had in mind, which we received from Street & Smith and consigned to Drummond's vault. We did receive some bound copies of "Buttons Inn", which were sold and accounted for. Perhaps it was the freight on this stock that you find a record of. Are not the plates with the house that published that book? I do not believe we ever had anything to do with them.

Hoping you will promptly locate them, I am, as ever,

Sincerely yours,

Geo. S. Hulbert