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Dear Mr. Tourgée:

Jack has let me read your note and that of Colonel Kay, and I said I would enclose the latter to you in a word to go with it. He is much obliged for the opportunity of seeing what Col. K. says, and it is certainly very interesting. He also thanks you for your consideration of what he had to say — (whatever that might have been!) There is no doubt that the Judge voices a very widespread sentiment — as he always does, often in advance of the world.

If I had had a chance to see the Judge — which it happened that I had not — I should like to have had a talk with him on the subject of his letter to the 105<sup>th</sup> Ohio. I have left the Herald for my old journalistic home in the

Tribune, where something ~~to~~ from  
the Judge would have been very  
welcome.

I had a pleasant call  
a few days since on the grand  
niece of my great uncle's wife and  
his nits the plenipotentiary from  
Nicaragua. He came to N.Y.  
on some legation business, and  
she took the opportunity of pur-  
chasing some dresses - one for  
the Diplomatic dinner at the White  
House - and I went with her  
to select it. She is looking  
very well, and does not seem  
to have made much of a mis-  
take in trying to the suave and  
now Aldermanic Horacio. His  
interest in diplomatic business seems  
quite to have waked him up, and  
he talks a mile a minute. Sweet-  
tempered and cordial as ever, too.

We are all well at home, and  
hoping these few lines, etc. etc. etc. I am  
Ever faithfully yours, H. W. B. H.