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1334 Arch St.

Philadelphia

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My Dear Mr Touzée,

I am sorry to have been so long in my reply to your letter. To do will excuse me, we have had much sickness and death among our immediate relations at Pittsburgh, and at other points where I have been.

I am so full of care, and work for the orphanage, under my special charge, that

it will be impossible
for me to assist in
the case you particularly
mention. The time
has past now,
and I am sure you are
supplied as you desire.

I remember the man,
and would like to have
been of help in the
cause, yet as I say, it
is impossible just now.

Had I known in the
summer your home was
in Mayville, I could
have called to see you,
I spent a week at
Chautauqua. I would
have seen the dear

daughter, and the
Judge. I read him
every week in our paper.

To know how to use
the pen, in letting your
thoughts run off at
its point, is a rare
gift, which he possesses
in wonderful degree.

Please give my kind
regards to him, and
believe me always.

Yours friend sincerely
Ellen H. Simpson