

The Tribune

Tuesday evg.

Jan. 3

Dear Judge: Am just back from
two days' absence, & find your note.
I answer it here, without my memo.
book at hand.

All the proof sent to Mr. Moot
has been received, ^{back,} corrected, ^{paged} and
cast, with the single exception of
the last batch sent him last
Friday, I think, which could
hardly have got here by now
if he had telephoned the correc-
tions.

I have no doubt of
finding at my office tomorrow
morning the last of the galley
proof from Williams — the
final 3 chapters; or if so, they
go to Moot tomorrow. I have
never kept proofs overnight, for
transmittal in either direction.

I think Moot is a little off if
he is complaining "the same old
complaint" now.

I have not sent him
page proofs of the last two
lots cast, simply because
I did not want to throw even
a shadow in his way of reading
the galley proofs, & getting the
book done. After that,
there will be time enough for
him to shape the cast pages
all over again and send
the plates to Smithereens, but
that book has got to be finished.

Yours Faithfully

W. W. B. B.