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Dear Mr. George

Mr. Bell says the books
went from here on the 10th but
of course it is the storm that
delayed them. They will turn up
presently; if not, let us know, &
we will send them up from
this end.

I will send you reviews as
soon as any of value ("caused
by their source") come in. The
storm has delayed everything &
then the letter papers can not
review a book as soon as it is
rec'd, they have so many. One
was sent to the "Inter Ocean"
(through Mr. Clegg), to the "San-
ton Journal" & "Redmond Review"
You would better supply them
if you are sending books to
these towns, but change the
books back to us, & then we
will enter them on our editorial

list. Posters were done with
the books. If you need more
let us know.

The Judge is right about the
paper: it is too thick. But for
the cover that is a good fault.
When we print again, wh. we
hope to do shortly, we will
use lighter paper. It made
up "fatter" than we expected,
not having used that paper be-
fore.

I was so rushed with a
lot of proof that I did not get
at a "Thank ye" to the Judge
for his over handsome letter
to me about my Beecher sketch.
He might easily have been
"polite" about it without such
Euphatic praise; & so I com-
pated myself with the belief
that he did really like it.

Long habit has enabled
me to play, critic & "chaw up" an-
other man's work; but to do
work myself, customizing, for other
folks to, dissect is next to nothing
for me!

Sincerely,
Wm. H. Wood