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My dear Sir:

After going over the ground again, it seems to me that I cannot place the series of articles for an amount that will bring you in the sum you wish to get from them. I doubt if I could get \$50. a week, all told, on the matter. So perhaps it would have been better for you to have sold the articles yourself. I judge from your letters that you had a place in view for them. I do not think the matter is eminently suitable for newspaper publication, and it is perhaps a little heavy for this time of year.

Very truly yours,

*S. S. McClure, Jr.*