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Philadelphia, Oct. 4th, 1898.

Hon. A. W. Tourgée,

Dear Sir:-

We have pleasure in
acknowledging the receipt of your favor of
the 30th ult., with the plate proofs of "With
Guage & Swallow". — We thank you for your
various suggestions concerning the make of
the book, literary note etc., and shall glad-
ly avail ourselves of them. The design
for the binder's stamps will be submitted
to you in a day or so.

Owing to the length of time covered by
our correspondence, and the slight difficul-
ty which arose last Spring in deciding
definitely upon the publication, we over-

looked the usual memorandum of Agreement
embodying the terms in a single document.
We now enclose such a contract in dupli-
cate, dated July 29th-when you^r sent the
revised MS. Kindly look it over and if
satisfactory, request Mrs. Tourgee to sign
and return to us copy No.1., and oblige

Very truly yours

J. P. Lifejinnott Co
J. N. R.

P.S.
*We will send copies to England for copy-
right purposes as you suggest.*