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Mrs. Merges:

My dear Friend:-

I wish to thank you for a copy of "Gauge and Swallow" received a few days since. I have enjoyed it very much. It is one of the Judge's best. I shall review it for one or two papers.

I am deeply interested in "Nazirema". I do not know what he will make out of it yet. He is considering deep questions. I hope he will find the solution. One impression made on my mind so far is that he looks at Church life from the outside rather.

than from the inside. I
shall follow each step
with interest.

I will write more fully
about "Gauge and Swallow"
in a few days. I have
a minor criticism or
two.

Yours very truly,

W. W. Gist