May 6, 1890.

My dear Mr. Tourgee:-

I have received your volume and note accompanying it. The story was sent out of the office for review. I shall hope to find time to read the story but may very likely have to postpone it till summer and take it then for vacation reading. I find the greatest burden of my double work as pastor and editor is the little time it gives me for miscellaneous reading.

Yours sincerely,

Lyman Abboth