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Pall Mall Budget,  
18, Charing Cross Road,  
London.

July 4. 94

Dear Sir,

Mr Astor has handed me  
your letter of June 18<sup>th</sup> wherein  
you offer the serial rights  
of your new story "In The  
Dragon's Mouth" to the Pall  
Mall Magazine, and in  
reply he wishes me to say  
that he regrets he cannot  
entertain the story for the  
Magazine as their arrangements

for fiction have been made  
for a long time in advance.

I am afraid the same  
<sup>difficultly</sup> arises in regard to the

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the arrangements for serial  
stories are completed up  
to the end of 1895. Still,  
we shall ~~be glad~~ ~~to~~  
will ~~but~~ ~~we~~ ~~know~~ the  
length of "In the Dragon's  
Mouth" and same price

per 1000 words for  
English  
serial rights. I may  
add that we make a  
practice of always reading  
serial stories before acceptance,  
and that we prefer to  
employ our own staff  
of ~~our~~ artists to make the  
illustrations.

I am, dear Sir,

Yours truly

Samuel Hind

Judge Tourgée  
Mayville  
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