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My dear Judge:

The difficulty in the jail matter is that the present building is a fair expression of the intelligence and decency of the element that controls the County. I will take pleasure in trying to secure a position, but this poor little hamlet has little interest in or knowledge of anything beyond its commonest interests.

By the way the muscallonge are biting down this way. If yourself Mrs Tourgee and daughter will come down some evening, you and I can start out early in the morning — I will even do that much for you — then we can end our rounds with a good dinner, and if desired tackle the business again in the evening. No end of appropriate bait &c &c here. While fishing we will have

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opportunity to instruct each other.

We have a pleasant summery lodge, lots of room and would be delighted to see you. When may we look for you? Name the day.

Our Cordial regards to Mrs Tangee and daughter.

Sincerely and Cordially

E. B. Burrows.

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