My dear Wife: Why should I stultify myself by such a letter?

You know me as well as I that even a fifth rate magazine would subject itself to universal ridicule if it should do such a thing.

You cannot treat a book in that way either. When you put out two cries you must be ready to ~~[illegible]~~ cheerfully any demand that may be made.

You are merely permitting your desire to overrule two decided ~~[illegible]~~ it is to overcome your judgment. One of two things must be done.

1— Delay the book or

2— Abandon the magazine articles.

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