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Hon. A. W. Tourgee
Mayville NY

My old Comrade

It has been in my mind many times, to write you regarding your "Christian Socialist". Have read it several times. And each time with increased interest. I like it. It sets forth what may be done (or might be done) to help those who need help. in a way that is near my ideal of assistance to such. Any way, the reading of your work does me good. It seems to make me a little better. More anxious to do some good to others around me. I read all your works with pleasure, except "The Fool's Errand", I get so fighting angry as I read that book, that I have quit, and do not touch it. What success you have had financially, from your writings. I do not know, but I do know that you have gotten a fair share of renown. No one is more pleased that this is so. Than

Your once Comrade
A. D. Bruder

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"The Story of a Thousand" has been recd.
It is not in the style of ordinary war history.
Yet is all the more interesting by reason of
its style. Do not remember some positions as
given, but admit that I may be in error.
However I do not like to admit it. There would
be "1000" different histories if each of us wrote
one. And they would be different too.

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