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My dear Judge:

Many years ago, when we were both young—you practicing law in North Carolina, and I editing a Republican paper—The Nationalist—in Mobile, we met in the Southern Loyalist Association in Washington. I lost sight of you until you wrote The Fool's Errand, the best Reconstruction story novel ever written—or that ever will be written, but since then I have kept track of you.

I see now that you have a book out on the finance question and hope some day to be able to buy a copy. I am glad to see that you are interested in that subject and I send you some circulars about one I published last year that treats on a phase of the matter that is not understood by one in a hundred, but that four years study has convinced me is the key to the whole trouble of our financial system.

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Yours truly,
Albert Griffin