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Hon. A. W. Tourgee,

Mayville, N. Y.

My Dear Judge:--

Mr. Nixon is reluctant to discuss the proposition to continue the "Bystander". He would like to do it, but he says he cannot and he does not think he ought to stand in the way of your making favorable arrangements with some other paper. I think myself it would be a great feature, but I have no doubt there are other papers that can afford to pay you more for the work than The Inter Ocean.

Yours truly,

Wm. H. Busbey
Managing Editor.