Bedham, Mass.
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My Dear Sir:

I presume I am indebted to you for the pamphlet copy of your letter to the President on the abuses of the Indian Department. I had read it before in the N. Y. Times, but am very glad to have it in this permanent form. I am also glad of the opportunity it gives me of expressing to you the assurance of pleasure in the

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which I have watched your conduct in this whole matter. There is but one feeling on this point among all honest humane men, one I respect and esteem for one who has put himself out of his way—and in the way of much abuse and annoyance—for the sake of justice to unfortunate helpless defendant in the government. It is a very honorable episode in your scientific career, of which you have won such just distinction. Thanking you again for your kindness in remembering me, I am
dear sir, very faithfully yours,

Edmund Quincy.