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I am sorry to tell you  
that you will now  
have to come to me  
tomorrow morning  
to work. What a day this  
has been for Coffin had  
a mind to back the "Orland"  
of fresh bright story  
writing. After poetry is far  
from bad.

I have "the trap door" down

bring them to you my self - they  
are quite safe with me.

I want very much to introduce  
to you the name of this - a brother  
in law of my niece Emma Lick-  
man - a man of tender nature  
but with marked ability &  
a great deal of knowledge in  
both & politics. He was at the  
age of 19. almost principal  
Editor of one of the most impor-  
tant & <sup>new</sup> ~~new~~ newspaper.

Circumstances have thrown a  
cloud over his life. Debarred  
him - but you will find him  
exceedingly interesting. Talk  
him - for my sake - of his own  
& if he can come in your way  
to track out a helping light  
have a fellowship to him - in  
the way of writing or criticising  
or any thing. Remember that  
you are doing me a great kind-  
ness - if you will extend it  
towards him - His wife & chil-  
dren are & ~~are~~ <sup>now</sup> ~~now~~ an educated

her in Countrop, in poor Farmer's  
house - Mrs Carr - is one of the most  
elegant little women - & grace the  
salons of the Dij. & Tuilleries, the  
Bastille etc in Paris - with charming  
manners & exquisite toilettes. I  
hope to make her known to Annie  
who will like her very much -  
she will send this note up to you  
to ask if there is any answer.  
I pm will see her now - &  
make an appointment for her  
to come in & see Mr. when you are  
less busy: tell off her from pro-  
tection & you will make something  
of her for herself & yourself. for  
you seem to me to have the power

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To make what you will. I think  
original photos often  
express them & give old  
friends a good impression. The  
latter day times  
are not so much used  
now. I will  
send you some  
old prints a day or  
two from the "Copper Hat".  
I hope you will like them.  
I am sending the "Dentist"  
as you like it very  
interesting. with many thanks for  
your kind notice.