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Dravellin Tarbell

I greatly enjoyed your
very friendly letter.

You know our friends
sometimes describe us and
our habits in such a very
discerning way that we
cannot but enjoy it
ourselves. No one has better
guessed my methods as to
Speed Delivery than you

and you are withal very
 generous in your judgment
 and I thank you.

If you have ever given the
 matter any thought you must
 have wondered how you got
 in range of my S D gun.
 I sat across the table from
 you some years ago when
 you visited our Par Richard
 Club. My observation of you
 at that time is responsible
 for what has happened to
 you since - as far as
 S D is concerned. In other

words I sized you up for
 the kind of a person that I
 now know you to be.

I had read your writings,
 and especially your Lincoln.
 I am so fond of Lincoln.
 I had the good fortune to
 arrive on this ^{planet} on July 12
 (1854) and that of itself
 has been a great tie.

If you read S D #8 you saw
 a paragraph as to my visit
 to Lincoln's birthplace. In
 case you did not see that
 number, let me know and

let me send you a copy.
 Some years ago I wrote a
 booklet which my friends dis-
 tributed, on a L. It is now
 out of print, but if you
 have not seen it I would
 like to send you a copy.
 The title is "The one we love
 the best of all". I always
 feel drawn to anyone who revere
 Lincoln memory. I am the
 better for having thought and read
 about him. I am under obligations
 to you for what you have done in
 this way. I thank you again for your
 letter & remain Cordially, Jarvis A Wood.