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Mr. Cameron Mackenzie,
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Dear Mr. Mackenzie:

I have had no answer to my letter of October 19th asking what you proposed in regard to the subscription edition of my Life of Lincoln - that is, what practical proposal you could make which would satisfy the equities of both sides and avoid further legal tangle.

In the meantime, will you not be good enough to ^{transfer to} send me the copyright of the Life of Lincoln, ^{as you say} to which you make no claim, and without which I cannot complete my contract for the trade edition. It seems to me that it is not fair that I should be held up longer in making arrangements for that edition. *Of course this transfer to be without prejudice to our respective rights with*

I hope you will be good enough to turn this ^{regard to the} over to me at once, and as soon as possible, give me your proposal for a common sense adjustment of the difficulty over the subscription edition.

Very sincerely yours,