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My Dear Miss Farbell:

Yours of 6th inst. was received.

You say in it: "I am sending you today advance sheets of the first and second of my new series."

It is now 9 ds. since. ^{Either the address was}
^(your letter's address was "W. H." - but St. & City o. K.)
wrong, ^{or} they were sent to some other Springfield,
as occasionally happens to my mail. The first proof
sheets, ^{of my Per. Rec. as directed} went daily to Spfld, Ohio for the first five
chapters - unknown by me until Putnam's wrote, -
"why don't you return corrected proof sheets!"

I am anxious to see your advance sheets, - not that
I shall be able in any material way to make
corrections, - but I will be delighted for the privilege of
an early reading.

You may, possibly, be wondering why I've not
returned these two Nos.

Be assured any sheets sent me will be immediately
read and promptly remailed to you. Anything else on
hand here at the time will be dropped, and your sheets
have attention, promptly.

Cordially and sincerely

Henry B. Rankin