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TO GEORGE W. LATHAM

Gardiner, Maine,
March 19 - 1894.

My dear Latham,

Your letter came to-day. You speak of going to New York during the coming vacation. Let me say, if you do not know it already, that Hubbell's address is Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street. He is not altogether satisfied with his pre[sent]^a life and I have no doubt that you two could hav[e a?] nice grouchy session together. If you meet, drink [a few?] bottles of beer, and one for my sake. Shall wr[ite] soon. Read Daudet's "Jack" when you get a chance.

Hastily.^b

Robinson.^c

HCL

The manuscript is torn at the {right} edge through four lines.

^a WA gives this reading in the margin, although in the transcription he had typed "per[sonal?]" I have substituted the marginal reading here as the most accurate, and also because it was most likely WA's final preference, having been written afterwards and without a tentative question mark.

^b WA reads a comma here instead.

^c WA omits the underline and the period.