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Mr. Marsh, My Dear Sir your
letter of yesterday is recd, I am pleased
to learn that you retain a sufficient
interest in our work to be willing to aid &c.
As things are you will of course have had
enough undesirable work to do but can do it
if you desire to do. I am pretty helpless
just now except as I strive in light borrowed
from Powers and hold back. I can keep the
work men on work that will go right if I cannot
get them to begin other, all the old mistakes are
of a kind that can and will be remedied.
I doubt not but the men are even now at
work amending. Powers would not give in
that he was wrong still he suggested to the
work men while I was there, that he intended
to do thus and so intimating that it was his
idea. I think I know everything already done that
^{not} is, as it should be, and can easily remedy all as
soon as I can manage the men. The old stones