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My Friend March,

yours
of the 16th is recd, I was
some surpris'd to learn by your
letter that you had inform'd Sect. P.
that you thought I ought to explain
to Mr Richards any alledged discrep-
in my drawings &c. Your advice to
me was when he published the article
that I remained as architect &c. This
position meditatively taken we have not
as yet in the least degree departed from.
Powers's construction of our agreement was,
that neither party could break a contract.
I proposed a resignation of my part but
he indignantly refused to accept, then
I withdrew the proposition. Has he more
than myself, the power to break the contract
when it pleases him? Having consulted
authority of the first order, I have not