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### Letter from Robert J. Burdette to Charles H. Clark, August 13, 1887

Robert J. Burdette

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Bryn Mawr, Pa. Aug 13.

My dear Mr Clark,

"Pleasant words  
are as an honeycomb; sweet to the  
soul and health to the bones," and  
I don't know how to thank you  
for the pleasant words that closed  
your letter, like a summer hum  
from Hyettus.

I send you some grist  
that has been ground at various  
times. Some of it has been in  
the bins for several years, and  
some went into the hopper only  
a few weeks ago. I do not  
know much about the different  
quality. It has all been worth  
just the same to me; the toll  
at my mill has not been

changed for several years, so it  
all runs about alike, week in  
and week out. I havent had time  
to shut off the water long enough  
to dress the stones for ~~a~~ good  
many years, and I fancy they  
are running too smooth, and need  
face cracking. However, if any  
of this suits you, take it, and  
use it as you wish. If it isn't  
just what you want, I can proba-  
bly find something else for you.  
What do dont keep, please  
send back, There's a boy at my  
house make want to read every  
thing I have written, some of these  
days.

Yours sincerely

Robert J. Barrett.