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To Elisha Burritt.

Appreciation for your character as a man of peace and international brotherhood has led me to apply for permission to write a sketch of your life for the New American Cyclopedia now in process of composition. That application has succeeded to such great honor have yourself through a perfect stranger personally upon your kindness to furnish me with some materials further than supplementary to those given in the English Edition.
May you think favorably of the paper you started in England to sustain the principles of the International League.

This letter is really written from Nantucket, but I have been away from my business that my holiday address.

Very respectfully yours,

August 11.

Harold Hindle.

P.S. If sketches of your life have appeared in an American foreign journal, a reference to them would oblige.