

P.S. — On leaving New York, I deposited sufficient money with a news-agent to supply me with *Mr. Beecher's Sermons*, and the *New York Herald*, for twelve months. With the former I have been interested, but not much improved; but with the latter — as a specimen of the Free Press of America, I have been disgusted. The sensational articles, and low state of morals there introduced, I cannot reconcile with the refinement that I saw in the American people. This must strike any Englishman, as an anomaly which needs explanation.

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