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TO ASA GRAY.

On his Seventy-fifth Birthday.

Just Fate, prolong his life well-spent Whose indefatigable hours Have been as gaily innocent And fragrant as his flowers!

November 18, 1885.

JAMES RUSSEL LOWELL.