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My Dear Professor Tacchini:-

I have received your letters of Dec 28th and Jan 3rd, the latter containing the results of your solar observations of the third quarter of 1892. I shall take pleasure in translating it for the March number of Astro-Physics.

You have mistaken my meaning in regard to the time of completion of the 40-inch telescope. The mounting will probably be finished and set up in Chicago in May, but the objective will probably not be completed before December. I am sure however that you will find the mounting itself very interesting on account of its great size and novel construction. The Astronomical Congress begins on Aug 21st, and I hope that you will surely be in Chicago by that time. Will it not be desirable to discuss at the Congress, methods of making and recording solar observations, standards of wave-length, etc, with the hope of securing greater uniformity in after work?

I have recently sent you by express, a number of photographs of the prominence of Nov 15th. The diameter of the Sun on the same scale would be about 14 inches.

I have at last succeeded in obtaining two photographs of President Cleveland, which I take pleasure in sending you.

Very Sincerely Yours,

George E. Hale