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My dear Harvey:-

I am sending on some letters which may perhaps be of help to you. I have just been reading over your article in Packard's Archives and History." The program which you give there is, as I wrote you, not the one which we had on the ship. This was written afterwards. I see you mention something about payment of the passage. I do not know as regards you, but I do know that I paid mine. I happened to come across a note of it just a few days ago in looking up these letters.

There is one point there in which I know you are in error; namely, in saying that the address "Stime and Immortality" was written in a morning. Up till that time he had never spent as much time on an address and had written it several times. One night in Baltimore he showed me one of the drafts which had been very much altered and written over. He then told me that he was very much worried about it and this was a considerable time before the date of the lecture. I remember saying to him that he had abundance of time to re-write the whole thing if he wanted. On several occasions he discussed several points in the lecture with me and it was more or less in its form as published weeks before the date of delivery.

With best wishes.

Yours very truly,

Thomas McCrae