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My dear Mr. Lodge:-

Your letter of 23<sup>d</sup> with copy of Mr. Pond's letter, must have crossed in the mails with a similar letter which I sent you from Mr. Pond.

According to Mr. Pond's statement, it appears that Mr. McKim, is the cause for the effect of the demolition of the dam, which puts an entirely new phase to the situation.

I trust when you have your interview in Ticonderoga, it may result in getting an amicable adjustment of the matter and the restoration of the <sup>water</sup> level of the lake to the former level.

Wishing you a glad & happy New Year,  
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Truly yours

Edmund Street