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Sunny side March 19th 1884

My dear Sir,



I must apologize to you
for having delayed so long in
answering your letter, but in fact
I have been so ~~much~~ unsettled
for the last few weeks, shifting my
residence backward & forward between
town and country that all my
correspondence is behind hand.

With to the post comes
there is a memoir of his life
and writings in two volumes

octave by — Adamson of
Newcastle England: it was published
in London in 1820. There is
also in Italian an *Elogio Storico*
de Luigi Cambrus. by Felippo Mordani
published in Bologna 1844.

I am happy to find that further
contemplation of Miss Mary Dulaney's
countenance has made you a
convert to my opinion of its merits.
When you become as old an

observer as I and have seen as
much of womankind, you will be
aware how rare such beauty is.

Hoping that I may always stand
in your path and cheer you with
its smiles I remain, Dear Sir,



Yours very truly
Washington Irving

Armed Lippard Esq

