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one, Mr. Franklin; but surely it is overstrained. "Not at all, sir; we are told from good authority, that it was the reading of Homer that first put it into the head of Alexander the Great to become a hero..."

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