

Mendenhall N. C.

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Dear Harry -

Just received  
your view of the sit-  
uation is mine also,  
and your feelings  
in the matter, besides  
being highly com-  
mendable, are entirely

appreciated. So we  
both shall consider  
the engagement off.

Accept my best  
wishes for your future  
welfare, and believe  
me

Your sincere friend,  
Cornelia Benford