

The Inter Ocean.

Chicago, April 29th, 1893.

Judge Albion W. Tourgee,
Mayville, New York.

My dear Judge:

Mr. Irvin has handed me your note of April 24th.

I really can say nothing about this bill except what I instructed Mr. Irvin to say to you. I sent word to Mr. Belford that we would pay the bill about which you and I had correspondence nearly a year ago. When the bill was contracted I did not expect that we would have to pay more than half of it, but rather than have any misunderstanding I concluded to pay the whole of it. So Mr. Belford made the bill for the sum stated by Mr. Irvin, and was paid. It was the bill about which we had our discussion, and \$40 additional added for pamphlets for Minneapolis. As quick as I saw it I told Mr. Irvin that the \$40 was something that we ought not to pay, and about which I knew nothing and must be charged to you. Of course I expected the charge was entirely correct.

Very Truly Yours,

