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Mayville-on-Chautauque, N. Y.
June 21st, 1893.

Dear Mr Shaffer:

The funds by which I expected to send you a New York draft yesterday, has failed to reach me. I have therefore borrowed a check as you will perceive which I enclose to you. If this will serve, I am willing you should use it if you send me immediately on its receipt one payable to the same party to protect it. If not, please return it.

I am advised that it is not wise for me to appear as payer of the premiums. I am in the position of holding as assignee for value but no sane person in my financial position would pay a dollar on such contingency as I hold. I do not know your view of the situation, but am advised that such course on my part would tend to throw discredit on the transfer. If, however, you use the check in this way it becomes your payment and not mine. I do not wish to come any closer to the matter at any time.

Very sincerely,

Emma R. Fougère