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July 26th, 1893.

My Dear Tourgee;

On the 5th day of July ~~1891~~, 1891, a judgment was perfected in your County, in favor of Chauncey Judd, plaintiff, against Frank D. Moon, defendant, for damages \$105,81, costs, \$39,38, total \$145,19. Supreme Court, J.G. Record, plaintiff's attorney. Moon resides here and is one of my clients. He claims that the summons and complaint were never served upon him. A transcript was filed in the Clerk's office here July 25th ¹⁸⁹³ ~~1891~~. I write you to ask you to call at your clerk's office and examine the judgment roll, and inform me by whom the summons and complaint were served, and when, and if not too much trouble to send me a copy of the affidavit of service. I do not understand how on a simple default the cost amounted to so much as \$39,38. Possibly there was an attachment issued. Moon may be mistaken, I only state what he tells me. I would like also a copy of the items of ~~the bill of~~ ^{the bill of costs taxed in favor of plaintiff.}

I had a long letter from E.P. ⁹ Gould this morning, the first one for a long time. He says he is busy and prosperous.

Hoping that this will find you well, happy and flourishing,

I remain, Yours cordially,

Joshua Gaskill