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Hon. Albion W. Tourgee,
Mayville, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

We have investigated the matter referred to in your letter of March 29th as far as possible and cannot find that "New Life" or "Neues Leben" is being played in any theatre or has been played since it was played at the Irving Theatre or that the same has been published. It was produced at the Irving Theatre only one week.

We could not therefore advise you to take any action in this matter unless you can find out that it is being produced or played.

Yours truly,

Ritch Woodford Bovee & Wallace

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