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NEW YORK, Feb. 15, 1906.

Mrs. A.W. Tourgee,
2015 Kalorama Avenue,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Madam:-

Your letter of the 14th inst. has come to hand, and we greatly regret to note the damage which has occurred to your furniture.

As we stated to you in a former letter, we had a clean B/L from the Railroad, and we venture to say that if the goods had not been in a good condition the Railroad Company would have made their own notation on the B/L to that effect. The Railroads are very particular as to that.

It is, of course, somewhat difficult for you to trace where the damage occurred, whether on board the Railroad or whilst in charge of the Van people. We presume the Van people have given a receipt to the Railroad for the goods, and if that receipt

(Mrs. A.W.T. No. 2)

was a clean one the Van people may have to be responsible to you.

As far as damage by dampness is concerned, we are free to state that we do not think there is any claim against anybody.

We are not in the habit of giving advice in such matters, but as you ask us how to proceed, we submit the above for your consideration.

We note that there is still a small charge on our books against you, $2.65 perhaps you will be good enough to send us a check for same, in order to square the matter.

We are, dear Madam,

Yours very respectfully,

FUNCH, EDYE & CO.,

PER. Schwinger.