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2015 Kalorama Avenue,

Washington, D.C.

March 8th, 1906.

My dear Mr Porter:

The State Department has signified its willingness to pay for expenses incurred in depositing Judge Tourgee's ashes in the Mayville cemetery, also all the expenses I had in Paris and the transportation charges on my presenting the bills duly receipted. I do not seem able to put my hand on the one I paid you, and I wish you would make out and send me another--without itemizing it, simply saying, "For receiving and depositing in Mayville Cemetery the Ashes of Albion W. Tourgee, late U.S. Consul at Bordeaux, France," then giving the amount of your bill, unitimized. I think that will be all right. I enclose a stamped envelope.

Very truly yours,

E.J.

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