

Roxbury N. Y.

July 15, [1908]

Dear Ida Tarbell

Your letter
13th finds me up here
spending July at my old
home. I think the place
in the Catkells you
refer to must have
been my brother's home
at Hobart. His wife
is an excellent cook
& housekeeper & they
sometimes take a few
boarders. My wife & I

often spend part of the
summer there. It suits
me. Fine open farming
country all around. They
grow their own vegetables,
eggs, & chickens. The house
& grounds are not large
but one can be comfortable
there. Terms of 7⁰⁰ per
week. He talked of going
there ourselves but have
changed our plans. If your
sister goes there she will
probably be the only boarder.
Write to Mrs Edna Burroughs
Hobart, N.Y. I think it
would be a good place
for your sister.

Hope I shall see your
farm sometime, I am
well, Yesterday I
overtook & passed a
woodchuck in a pair
race & got to his hole
first, & a woodchuck
is no more runner,
How is that for deventy ore
With all good wishes
John Bowers

[Box
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