

West-Park, N.Y.  
Dec 28.

Dear Ida Tarbell,

Thank you  
for your Xmas greeting, &  
the picture of your farm.  
The farm is evidently all  
right - if it has a good  
farmer. I shall have to  
come out and criticise  
your work next Spring.  
I am well & enjoying the  
winter. With all good  
wishes for the New Year  
Always Sincerely Yours  
John Burroughs