Letter: Violet Oakley to Ida M. Tarbell, October 20, 1927

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My dear Miss Tarbell:

While in Geneva attending the sessions of the Eighth Assembly of the League of Nations — spending about the Library one day I found — on the open shelves your book on

"Praematurae Blond and Otherwise."

Reading it, as a parallel to time, to the progress of the Eighth Assembly, has shed much light and brought out many points that great clarity, calling back vividly the steps, the curiosities and the achievements of 1922 —

and giving a firm ground—start
upon which to base one’s sense of the world’s finest accomplishment - and one’s own feeling of encouragement.

Sallie Souns - who is fine and so -

As I have just finished your last chapter this morning, and as I am leaving Rome early next week I have had an impulse to write and thank you for your splendid contribution as a Peace-Maker - and for these weeks which I have spent here, greatly helped by what you had written in Washington five years ago.

I am sure you will understand.

Truly,

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