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My dear Miss Tarbell:

I was very happy to hear from you once again. Although I am sorry to learn that your health has not been as good as I and all your friends would wish it to be.

As regards your attendance at the Club's Lincoln Dinner, please believe that I desire your presence solely as an interested comrade in things pertaining to Lincoln. Also, be advised that this is not a speaking date so you can feel easy on this score.

For the present, as you suggest, I will take your acceptance provisionally but I wish you to know that my offer to provide for your transportation and this invitation for you and your sister to attend will remain open for your final acceptance at anytime. I will also arrange so that you may leave as soon after the dinner as you may desire.

I hope that you will find it possible to be with us.

Very sincerely yours,

Valentine Bjorkman
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Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
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