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## Letter: Gerald Stanely Lee to Ida M. Tarbell, February 15, 1938

Lee, Gerald Stanley

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THE WINSLOW

45 East 55th Street

NEW YORK

My dear Ida Tarbell

Your Lincoln

review in The Times again reminds me how steady to ones judgments it is, just to keep perennially human the way you do, in your thinking . Being human in ones thinking, as it looks to me, means habitually seeing the part in a fellow human being through his life as a whole.

When Barnard is modeling a heroic figure, he jumps down with his thumbs and runs backward twenty feet. The he climbs up in a ~~flak~~ and puts THE WHOLE into his thumbs!

I have been tempted to invite myself to drop in on you with this little moving picture. Of course its propaganda but its companionable! Mrs Lee and I are keeping hopeful--even hopeful about the world, with it! Most labor troubles and ~~quaxxix~~ Reno-ism would fade out in people if they would relax their necks!

And violence in art

Fear would go too and .....

Yesterday one of our pupils--82 years old, walked without her two canes, which she has used fifteen years.

I am in town for a bit showing the picture, in hospitals and to physicians and anybody concerned. Does this little folder get you to forgive ~~maxfxxxndingxixixix~~ ~~latterfxixitixifxixixixixixix~~

it for letting me send it in this letter?  
February 15 1938

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