

GOLDIE & GUMM  
1540 BROADWAY  
NEW YORK

February 4, 1941.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell,  
R. F. D. 1,  
Bethel, Connecticut.

Dear Miss Tarbell:

I am in receipt of yours of January 30th with the following enclosures: (1) copy of letter sent by the Macmillan Company to Carleton Seidel under date of January 28th ult; (2) letter from Carleton Seidel to (presumably) Macmillan Company under date of January 23rd ult.

I am this day writing Carleton Seidel granting him permission. Since it is February 4th and no professional bid has been received I assume that the grant for amateur usage is not likely to cause financial loss. Such usage and publicity may, however, result beneficially in the sale of the work.

I was so sorry to learn of your illness. I trust that your sojourn in the country will prove to be of immediate and permanent benefit to your health.

Kind regards,

Sincerely,



H. HAROLD GUMM

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