

Haldingford Minn

Mar 12-1933

Miss Ida Tarbell
New York City N.Y.

Dear Miss Tarbell-

I have not written to you for some time. Relatives in Chicago sent me a beautiful picture of you taken from a Chicago paper, so I concluded you have made your visit there. I am sorry I could not have seen you when I wrote you last. I was afraid I would not live until spring, but I had my tonsils out and am much better. I would like very much to dispose of the heirloom I have before long if possible. I do not feel that I can give it away, + in case of my death, I am afraid my husband, who is of German extraction, would not really appreciate and care for it, and considering its historical value, I would like to dispose of it to someone who knows its value.

ten aged aunt of mine on my mother's side died while I was in the hospital. She also

