



Lime Rock, CONN.,

June 10, 1941.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
Bethel, CONN.

Dear Miss Tarbell::

Thankyou for your kind letter of the 5th.

Part 69 is in work, and the dedication plate will be out of the acid in a couple of days. The book will be out during the month.

I shall compliment myself by sending you two signed copies; one regular paper edition, big size, for yourself, and one, small paper size, which can be sent to the Lincoln Library of the College you are interested in. I have had the name of Mr. Scheide a long time as a possible patron for my work. But, the lack of business initiative kept me laxying along the line of production, forgetting that distribution is essential to continued production. In this smaller book, exactly the same in everything as the larger, except size of paper, may find some interest by some patrons of your College. I am willing to make substantial cuts in my prices that my work may be a part of the Library.

I will be happy if my work will please you. That is a fine recommendation.

Again, thankyou for your kindness.

Ever sincerely yours,

Bernhardt

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