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453 Melrose Place
South Orange, N.J.
June 30th, 1933.

Dear Miss Tarbell:

Please accept my apology for not having answered your letter of June 22nd sooner. I have been back and forth from the shore so much that all my mail has been neglected. Now we've rented our summer place, so that the long-distance commuting by motor will cease for awhile and work can be done again.

I was much interested in the problem you presented in your letter. The two Gaps must be in the northern part of Monmouth County---there are few hills around the lower or western part-----some around Holmdel and one around Mannasquan---but the most important are the Highlands, of course.

I have'nt started my historical novel yet, although the tentative plan is in my mind---- a romance with Ringwood in the background, and the story of the forging of the great chain used across the Hudson during the Revolution---- but it is never too late to alter a story. If that is not feasible, I can use the material in another way I have planned. I shall be more than glad, therefore, in receiving any documents or other help which you might be able to forward to me. I can secure a copy of "In the Footsteps of the Lincolns" at our South Orange Library, which will save postage, although I appreciate your offer to send me one.

Looking forward to hearing from you again, then, and thanking you for thinking of me in connection with this interesting material, I am,

Yours affectionately,

Edith Sherman