

July 23, 1910.

Dear Miss Tarbell:

I was so sorry you were not in when I called at the American office this week. I asked Mr. Phillips to tell you that the series in Everybody's on the Women of To-Morrow was planned and in part announced in the magazine when the Woman's Invasion was concluded, and that when you began your history of the American woman last year we hoped you would be all through before we started. We now perceive that we shall be a mere interlude. That aside, and speaking seriously, I did want to tell you how thoroughly your woman articles have been read by the women of my little community out here in North Evan-

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ston. They have been read aloud at gatherings of women in the afternoon. And, so far as I can make out, what they have mostly done has been to make the listeners feel for the first time that they are in debt to women who have gone before and that they in turn ~~must do something~~ should so act as to merit some gratitude from those who are to come after. I wanted to congratulate you.

Yours most faithfully,

William Hard