

BOLTON LANDING,
LAKE GEORGE, N.Y.

Aug. 15th 1904

My dear Miss Tarbell

I have this moment received
a letter from my brother enclosing
one from you to him. From your
letter I gather that you have never
received what I wrote you on
June 27th, according to my memory.
I regret very much that my
note thanking you for your warm
words of sympathy never reached

you; it was addressed to your apartment
 in Portsmouth. I have spoke of
 the publication of the 2nd volume
 of the remains & my great wish
 to speak to you on that subject,
 as you discussed it so thoroughly
 well! my father knows more of
 his wishes in that respect than any
 one else. I need not repeat my
 great regret that you are no longer
 connected with his library; it means
 a great deal to me as my father left

the care of his manuscripts etc. entirely in
 my hands. My brother has always taken charge
 of all the business arrangements, but I expect
 to have much to do with the ~~arrangement~~ publication
 connecting etc. - & this work is my greatest comfort
 & consolation. I have already begun to translate
 the second volume into German & in this
 connection have thought of you very often when
 I come to the passages marked "considera" or
 "omit."

It is of course much more difficult
 to confer now with people who did
 not begin the work but I am glad
 to have who is to take charge of the
 memoirs after this. I am writing to
 my mother that I should like to come
 to town to have an interview with
 Mr. Turner & you. If for any reason
^{plan} this cannot be carried out would
 it be possible for you to ever here
 for a few days? I know how painful
 it would be to you to return to the place
 so intimately associated with his

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memory, but he thought that it
was for his sake, to carry out his
wishes would help you.

You may have wondered, through
Chris Tenbelle, that you did not
hear from us before & I am
surprised that my letter was not
forwarded to you if you were out
of town.

Please let me hear if it would be

possible for you to get off for a few
days to make us a little visit.

Our two aunts are with us & my
brother comes as often as he can.
It has been a hard summer, the
only thing to bring any comfort is
the work that I find out out
for me & which I now consider
my life task.

With warmest regards
most sincerely yours

By the way