Bolton Landing, Warren Co, N. Y.

~~24 EAST NINETY-FIRST STREET.~~ June 27th
1906

My dear Miss Tarbell: —

I was obliged to postpone answering most of the numerous letters of kindly sympathy for me & your appreciation of my letter, until I should have acquired a little more composure & quiet in these peaceful surroundings — otherwise I should have

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written you before.

You know how he loved this beautiful spot & how his imagination put life into all the rocks & trees of our woods; it was long before we could bear to walk those paths again, but we are trying to accustom ourselves to find pleasure in all the beauties of nature as he would have wished

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vs to do.

I hope we may see you when we return to town; — there are so many things I should like to speak to you about, as my father in his last directions left his manuscripts in my charge & I know he discussed the second volume of his Memoirs with you & especially the points to be left out. It is a poignant regret to me that you are no longer connected with Mr. Clemens.

Should you be in this neighborhood perhaps we might hope to see you this summer.

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My sister is hoping to take interest again in her little garden & I am principally occupied with letters & papers.

With sincerest thanks again I am Yours faithfully

Ida M. Tarbell

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