1157 OAK STREET, OAKLAND, CAL.

May 24th 1909,

Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
Twin Oaks, West Washington
D.C.

My dear Miss Tarbell,

I beg to acknowledge your favor of 17th inst, enclosing Memorandum regarding Mr Victor Smith, who was a passenger on board the Steamship "Golden Rule," sailing from New York, on the 22d May 1865, etc, etc.

I can now remember that there was a Steamship wrecked on the Rancudan Reef in the Caribbean Sea, but the

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name of the ship is not familiar. At that time I was in the employment of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. which will aid me in finding out the information you ask for, I can assure you it will give me great pleasure in assisting you in any way that I can. In the files of the Merchants Exchange & Chamber of Commerce I shall probably be able to find out something about it, & will advise you at an early date.

Most sincerely yours

Jane Hubbard

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