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THE CARNEGIE FOUNDATION
FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF TEACHING
522 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK

Dear Miss Tarbell,

Thank you so much for your letter of Aug. 8 notwithstanding the pathetic news about our dear friend. We must do something for her.

If the Government Loan Corporation will take over the mortgage that will help some, temporarily; though I cannot understand how the government came into this sort of enterprise.

I think we will have to do something among her friends to tide her over the next year or two. I will gladly supply a modest sum - \$200 a year for the next few years if that will help. I believe Mary

Rumery (formerly Mary Harriman)
would help. I would be willing to write
to her if you desire. Could we make
up a modest living for her for a couple
of years in this way? I do not know of
any agency that could be got to help in
such a case, or which had legal power to
act. Please let me know what you
think of getting some friends to help
for a year or two.

Yours sincerely,

Henry S. Hittchett

You probably know Kane's life of Mr.
Harriman. The Harriman I think regards it
as the best thing written about their father.