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Dear Miss Tarbell -

How extraordinary! I
cannot understand why
any group shd. think of
me un^{der}unanimously in
any direction - I feel so
utterly inadequate to
my own problems - but
I do want to see you soon
& thank you for all your
kind friendliness -
will you express my

most sincere appreciation
of this most unexpected
honor? Thank the members of the
jury? I will not divulge
the news until authorized
to do so -

Looking forward to seeing
you very soon

I am affectionately
yours
Ida M. Tarbell