LESTER ROBERTS
1900 WASHINGTON STREET
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DEAR MISS TARBELL:

I WOULD LIKE TO TELL YOU WHAT A GREAT DEAL OF PLEASURE YOUR BOOKS HAVE GIVEN TO ME. I THINK I LIKE BEST OF ALL "A REPORTER FOR LINCOLN". DO YOU EXPECT TO WRITE A NEW LINCOLN BOOK SOON?

I HAVE A REQUEST TO MAKE OF YOU. IT WOULD MAKE ME VERY HAPPY IF YOU WOULD BE GOOD ENOUGH TO AUTOGRAPH MY COPY OF "A REPORTER FOR LINCOLN" I GIVE YOU MY WORD IT WILL NOT BE SOLD BUT JUST FOR MY OWN PLEASURE AND COLLECTION, AND AS I AM 35 I HOPE THAT WILL BE FOR A LONG TIME. IF YOU ARE GOOD ENOUGH TO TELL ME I MAY SEND THE BOOK I WILL ENCLOSE WITH IT A STAMPED, SELF ADDRESSED WRAPPER FOR ITS RETURN.

THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN FOR THE MANY HAPPY HOURS YOUR BOOKS HAVE GIVEN TO ME. MAY I ENCLOSE A STAMP FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE IN ANSWERING.

YOURS VERY TRULY,
Lester Roberts

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