[Mrs. Brand Whitlock]

Briarcliff Lodge
Briarcliff Manor, New York

[September 20, 1919]

Dear Miss Tarbell:-

I am so sorry that the difficulties of the telephone made it necessary for you to write to me.

We are staying here from day to day awaiting a call from Washington & in fact we have not been able to make

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to New York.

The King and Queen of Belgium are to arrive about the 1st of October and the President has named both Brand and me to accompany them during their visit in America - So we must also await orders and can not be guests of the Pen and Brush Club on the 12th. I remember a very pleasant afternoon I spent there some

any plans for our trip and have not as yet been to Toledo.

So I fear we must decline your kind invitation for luncheon at the Colony Club on the 25th. However if we know a day in advance when we will be in New York I shall telephone to you and try to arrange a meeting as we always hope for that pleasure in going

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Yours ago.

There is a very interesting Belgian woman in N.Y. now. She [illegible] Louise d'Ursel. She did wonderfully good work during the war & is here to study other work with children - She is staying at 564 Park Avenue and next week will be at the Henry St. Settlement. I am telling her to look you up.

Brand wishes to be remembered and I am

Most Sincerely Yours

Ella Whitlock

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