Oct. 6th 1914

145, West Fifty-eighth Street.

Dear Miss Tarbell.

I had a most ~~uncomfortable~~ time at the Roosevelt Meeting, mine being the only letter that had been read to the Board for the Candidacy, & nothing but that, & Jane "Reconciling" against a determined opposition. I am not sure but there may be some quite unjustifiable mixed up in the affair

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but- I am not- an old
New Yorker & am blind
& deaf when it comes
to gossip & Summer
Scandals. My great regret
is that the Cudahy's husband
& my husband's friend, &
this exposes me to a worrying scene!
The same Snipes had to
be withdrawn.

Sincerely
Kate Douglas Riggs

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