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My Dear Miss Ida M Tarbell,

Your esteemed favor of the 14th inst. received. Professional labor of the most exacting character has prevented an earlier reply, permit me to assure you that I would very much enjoy the privelage, pleasure, of devoting the few remaining days of a long and active life in an effort to portray the Council Acts of heroism chivalry and Manhood that marked the Southern brain and heart in their last fierce struggle against the "slings and arrows of outrageous fortune". Faith love and hope were dead. The bloody hand of fate had performed the hideous work of assassination upon our household gods. The survivors of so many hard fought battles became wanderers in the country that they had struggled so long to defend. They were without laws friends, capital and credit yet they live and will leave a record behind them when they die, that the future historians of our country will not feel ashamed to pass down the ages of Time to the coming centuries and their countless Millions of thinking creatures.

With kind regards and best wishes for your success I am

Yours truly

A Monteiro

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