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530 S. E. Fifth Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota

My dear Miss Tarbell:

I wanted to tell you how much I enjoyed your article in Harper's not only because of its excellence but also because of the happy memories it roused of all the things Mother used to tell me about you and her loving admiration of you. I was delighted to read also that you are writing your

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reminiscences.

My sister, Margaret, and I keep house in an apartment just a block from where we were living when you called on us so long ago. We both teach in high school: Margaret, Spanish, and I English. The other member of our family, our brother Fred, is married and lives in Washington D. C. where he is a professor of English in George Washington University. You may remember meeting him when he was in New York during one of his holidays while a student at Harvard.

I recall with such pleasure

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the glimpse I had of you in your lovely Connecticut home one summer about ten years ago.

Again may I express my appreciation of your article which gave me such a pleasant excuse for bursting in upon your busy days.

Sincerely yours,

Ruth Farrington Tupper

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