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Miss Ida Tarbell
120 East 19 Street
New York City.

My dear Miss Tarbell,

We have had brought to us from a private collection a very interesting cast of t[illegible] the life mask of Abraham Lincoln by Leonard W Volk.

Knowing that you have devoted many years to the study of Lincoln, and used the reproduction of the Volk mask as frontispiece to the second volumn of your marvelous "Life of Abraham Lincoln", we should greatly like to ask your opinion on this.

May I explain that our work is searching out authentic paintings historic material for several Museums and a group of collectors. We often come across important historic things in private hands, and like to talk them over with someone who has made a special study in that field.

We should be delighted to have you come here and see it at any time convenient to you to appoint, or, if you prefer, we can of course bring it to you. We will phone on Saturday around noon, and shall hope to have the pleasure of meeting you.

Very sincerely yours,

Electa Mc Key

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