

January 13, 1934

My dear Mrs. Flenner:

Thank you for writing me as you did. I had not known anything of Mr. Flenner's death or I should have written you long ago how sorry I am to hear of it.

The letters he wrote me interested me very much. I felt sure that he was doing a good piece of work, and a needed piece of work on the History of the Southwest Oil development. I hope you can finish it for publication.

Difficult as it will be no doubt to do the work needed ~~by~~ your filling a regular office position I cannot but believe that it will be a consolation to you to be carrying out his wishes and his project. It is quite evident that his name for you, "Old Brick" was deserved. You have been a brave and courageous woman and I hope in the coming years your burdens will decrease.

With deep sympathy and all good wishes, believe me

Very sincerely yours

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