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My dear Miss Tarbell

The accompanying data  
will explain itself ..... I have writ-  
ten to a kindred of exploiting power  
been the victim of since my em-  
gration from my own family's home  
in Philadelphia 38 years ago -

Our mounting chapter in my  
progressing book - possibly ready  
January - is sub-titled: Mental  
Latching: Grand and Petit. The  
prospects include choice ideas  
and phrases used for personal  
gain by a long procession of persons  
in these 38 years. John Roosevelt  
among them - two Throders, our  
present reigning Franklin,  
you - as Miss Adams - & all

The rest entirely unaware of any  
origin of "features" except as attributed  
to your publisher's personal intelli-  
gence ..... Such incidents as that  
of the last occasion on which you saw  
me - are the rest of the

2. a total incapacity to protect myself  
economically -

Louise Beech - Author League  
whom you suggested some time  
ago - agreed that more money  
had come in on an exhaustive  
written plan which I prepared  
for her use at that time; with  
The Corallary - "but I haven't  
any for you" A subsequent re-  
port of mine to George Burr Baker  
(whose wife had made out a cheque  
to Elizabeth Gannon, for fifty dollars  
mailing it "Care Author League")  
was held face downward, & I was re-  
quired to lie on ~~the~~ <sup>my</sup> back & hand over to Ellen. She gave  
me a much smaller amount &  
the dispending of money to writing  
in retard was after my report to G.B.  
Baker - Transferred from Miss Ellen  
to another worker at the League -  
I shall return to you your two  
dollars as as early a time as possible  
Am visiting in half a basement kitchen  
at this address at \$3 a week. (Three dollars  
Thanking you for your kindness Faithfully  
Elizabeth Gannon