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Answered
Carefully

258 ARGYLE ROAD
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

March 4th 1923.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell

My dear Miss Tarbell,

In your letter to me of Feb 1st, you say "if you should write your reminiscences of the Civil War, and you think I could be of any assistance to you, I should be glad to look the material over and possible could advise you where it could be placed".

So, I went to work, immediately on them, and finished yesterday, having worked every day 4 or 5 hours, except on Sundays.

If you are still of the same mind as on Feb 1st; I am ready either to send

mess by registered mail, or bring it on
send it to you, which even you say.

I await your pleasure.

The mess covers 75 pages - but with
double space nearly between the lines,
so that would make on ordinary
lines about 38 pages. But even then
it would be longer than would go
in one issue of a magazine.

The incidents are true and I have
tried hard to make them interesting.
But, I fully appreciate that such
material, might be returned "with
thanks". I have left enough space
between the lines for corrections &
suggestions, ~~of~~ and the more severe
they are the better.

