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Dear Miss Rowley:

I wish that I were in commuting distance with the Lincoln collection! I am constantly wanting something that is with you.

And here I come borrowing. Could you let me have Sandburg's "Prairie Years" for a little time? He has sent me the The War Years with a fine letter which eventually of course will be yours. But I want to relate the two. It is interesting to know that you cannot beg nor borrow a copy from libraries or second hand dealers just now.

*Sent  
12-5-39* These last books are a grand omnibus.

I hope I am not troubling you too much.

Merry Christmas to you and all the staff

Faithfully yours

*Ida M. Tarbell*

Miss Edith Rowley  
Meadville, Pa.