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Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
120 East Nineteenth Street,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Miss Tarbell:

So far as we are aware no one has yet attempted to collect data which would answer precisely your question of November 5. However, there are some compilations which will doubtless be of interest to you.

Mark Sullivan has gathered material respecting century-old firms. This material is available in two of his articles which appeared in Nation's Business. These articles we enclose.

We believe you will also be interested in a list of "Companies, Firms, Institutions, and Organizations in Existence 75 Years or More", prepared in connection with the 75th Anniversary of the New York Times. The New York Times would doubtless be very glad to furnish you with a copy of this list and may be able to offer you information supplementing the published list which carried a publication date of September 19, 1926.

Very truly yours,

D. A. SKINNER,

Secretary.

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