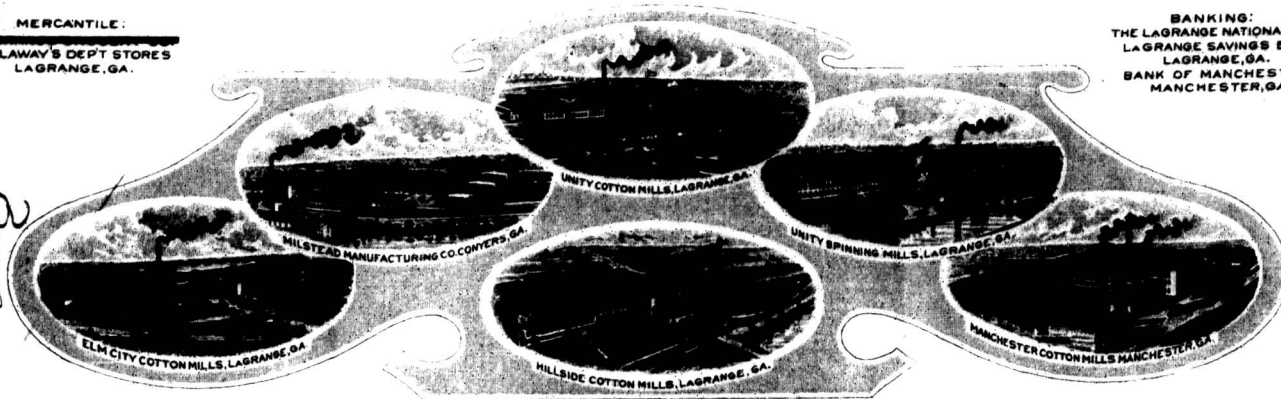


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CABLE ADDRESS "CALLAWAY, LAGRANGE, GA."
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My dear Miss Tarbell:

I trust that all the rest of your journey was made safely and proved highly enjoyable and satisfactory.

Mrs. Callaway and I, as well as all of the others who had the privilege of meeting you, were delighted to have you in LaGrange. Aside from the personal pleasure, I am sure that you have been of positive benefit in many quarters through the sound, wholesome thoughts and ideas imparted.

I understood that you would most probably prepare an article based upon your information and impressions derived in course of your visit among our mill communities. In such event I will greatly appreciate your forwarding me a copy of your manuscript before publication. I am sure you will understand when I explain that while we are glad to have any other manufacturers or employers in any line make use of anything which we may be doing which they can adopt or adapt in a useful way, we do not wish to run the risk of doing anything calculated to disturb our excellent relations within our own organization. As you know, our people are very sensitive; besides you so completely won us, it is entirely possible that we may have told you some things personally which it would not be expedient to have published.

With this understanding of the situation, I am sure it will be your pleasure to comply.

With kind regards, I am

Yours truly,

Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
132 East 19th Street,
New York City.

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