16 Young Ave., Pelham, N. Y. 6th April, 1941

Dear Miss Tarbell:

You must pardon me; I had no wish to hasten the return of the photostats. But many packages reach me partly open, or otherwise damaged in transit; and as I had not heard from you. I was concerned as to whether the material had reached you. I am gratified to learn that it has really been of service to you.

In order to refresh my memory, I have been over my card catalogue and referred to my note-books; but, although I did quite a bit of ransacking of newspapers, I cannot find that I ran across anything that would throw light on what became of Simonds. He appears to have come from Boston and to have made Booth's acquaintance there. He testified, as you know, at the Trial of the Conspirators. Thinking that you may not have with you a copy of his testimony, I am inclosing one from Pitman's report. I do not in general care much for Pitman's abstract (for that is what it is); but in this case it substantially agrees with Poore's verbatim report.

Please allow me to express my sympathy in connection with the death of your brother. With regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Inclosures.

G. S. Sagan