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Miss Ida M. Tarbell  
120 E. 19th St. New York City.

Dear Miss Tarbell, -

I propose to make a tour through the states of Ill., Ind and Kentucky to visit all the places with which the life of Abraham Lincoln was connected, and also to see as many collections of Lincolniana as is possible.

Now, I wish for information as to where these places and collections are located. Knowing that no one is better qualified to do this than you are, I kindly ask of you, if possible, to give me the information desired.

Mr. Samuel Rank, Librarian at Grand Rapids, Mich. said I could feel free to direct my inquiry to you and suggested that I do so.

I surely will appreciate, and wish to thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours

John Lucas

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