

  
**LINCOLN NATIONAL  
LIFE FOUNDATION**

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**RESEARCH BUREAU**

INTERPRETS THE LIFE OF LINCOLN AS REVEALED IN AUTHORIZED PUBLIC RECORDS AND ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPTS.

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

**LIBRARY BUREAU**

GATHERS AND CATALOGUES ALL CLASSES OF LINCOLN LITERATURE FOR ITS REFERENCE LIBRARY.

My dear Miss Tarbell:

It will certainly mean very much to our colonial pilgrimage to have you present at the Newark and Monmouth County meetings and I am sure those who make the trip will be pleased to have the opportunity of meeting you.

**PUBLICATION BUREAU**

ISSUES A WEEKLY BULLETIN LINCOLN LORE AND PREPARES HISTORICAL DATA FOR RELEASE IN BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, MAGAZINES, AND NEWSPAPERS.

It was also very kind of you to allow us to designate you as Lincoln Pilgrim No. 1 in a movement which I think will become more popular as the Lincoln shrines are more definitely marked.

**INFORMATION BUREAU**

COMPILES, INDEXES, AND MAKES AVAILABLE, INFORMATION BEARING ON THE SUBJECT OF LINCOLNIANA.

You will be pleased to learn that the Chamber of Commerce at Harrisonburg, Virginia, is really quite enthusiastic and you probably know as well as anyone else that it has been very difficult to arouse any very great interest in the Lincolns in that community. The reaction at Harrisonburg now assures the success of the colonial section of the pilgrimage so far as the local program is concerned and I trust we may be able to interest a great many of the Lincoln students in the entire itinerary covered Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

**EXHIBIT BUREAU**

COLLECTS AND DISPLAYS IN ITS MUSEUM: MANUSCRIPTS, PORTRAITS, CURIOS, AND SOUVENIRS, ASSOCIATED WITH LINCOLN.

The day in Pennsylvania should be especially interesting as we visit the Mordecai Lincoln home, the old Exeter Meeting House and at night a dinner at Gettysburg. This will take us well on our way toward Virginia.

**SPEAKERS BUREAU**

PROVIDES SPEAKERS FOR MEETINGS OF CIVIC CLUBS, SCHOOL GROUPS, CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS, ETC.

Thank you so much for your contribution to the New York Times and I am very sure indeed that it will help to publicize the pilgrimage.

**EDUCATIONAL BUREAU**

PROMOTES ESSAY CONTESTS, ARRANGES PROGRAMS, AND STIMULATES AN INTEREST IN THE STUDY OF LINCOLN'S LIFE.

Very sincerely yours

*Louis A. Warren*

Director

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**MEMORIAL BUREAU**

MARKS SITES OF HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE, AND EMPHASIZES ANNIVERSARY OCCASIONS ASSOCIATED WITH LINCOLN.