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

Dear Miss Tarbell:

You will remember that some little time ago I suggested that the copyrights on your books which were taken out by McClure Phillips & Company ought to be transferred to us and you very kindly sent me a letter confirming this. That letter, however, was not wholly adequate, as a document has to be filed in Washington relating to the transfer. I have, accordingly, had the enclosed drawn up. This will have to be signed by someone authorized to sign for McClure Phillips & Company. Perhaps you will know who this is and <sup>we</sup> shall be able to reach that individual. If you will be so good as to get the signature I shall be greatly obliged and it will really be to the advantage of all concerned. To have the copyrights in the name of a defunct company which has no further interest in the books is certainly not very businesslike.

Yours very truly,  
THE MACMILLAN COMPANY.

*H. G. Latham*

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VOLS. 1 & 2.  
MADAME ROLAND: A BIOGRAPHICAL STUDY  
A LIFE OF NAPOLEON BONAPARTE  
FATHER ABRAHAM

IN WITNESS WHEREOF McClure Phillips & Company,  
have caused this transfer to be signed by  
this                      day of                      1921.