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Dear Miss Tarbell:

President Tolley brought back such good news- i.e. that you are coming this winter to lecture and be with us some time. I am so happy to hear this and we shall do all possible to get the room ready for your material. At President Tolley's suggestion I am writing to ask if you will send us, preferably by express if the package is at all large, a copy of your catalog of the contents of your collection so we may be able to estimate the needed shelves case etc for the collection.

I will see that it is carefully protected and returned to you. The excitement yesterday-no Monday- was the appearance of Mr. Giddens' book with your foreword. It is a fine appearing book and we are happy to have the author a member of the faculty. What you have done is of course of such value that the book could hardly have been written without it. I hope it sells well.

Since it is approaching the holiday season, may I wish you every happiness for the Yuletide and a good New Year.

With thanks for the loan of the catalog and bestwishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Edith Rowley