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Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
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Dear Miss Tarbell:-

I think it has been finally decided by my brother to have you do the Drummond article, but I am expecting to get full instructions by mail in a day or two. In the meantime, he has given me instructions with regard to an article on the Telegraphic System of the World, and he wishes you to write up the British, Colonial and Continental part of it. I have made some investigations, and know exactly where to send you for the information. He wants to publish this article in the May or June number, and it should therefore be prepared very soon. It would be advisable if you can arrange to come to London this week or early next week, and set about the preparation of the Telegraph article, and by that time we shall know what to do about Drummond. I fancy there may be some other articles which you can prepare in London. If you can come over at once, please let me know by return post and I will send you a cheque for preliminary travelling expenses. I will also, if you wish, look out a suitable boarding place in Bloomsbury.

Yours sincerely,

R M McClure