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Dear Miss Tarbell:

I have your letter of December third, and am delighted to know that there is a strong possibility that we may have your co-operation. I feel that a contribution from you will add greatly to the national influence of this special volume on "Public Administration and Party Politics".

I have taken up this matter with the Editorial Council, and they inform me that if you can let us have an article by January thirtieth it will be in ample time for inclusion in the volume. We would be glad to allow you a longer period for the preparation of article were it not for the fact that on the above mentioned date we must send all manuscripts to our printers.

With renewed expression of appreciation of your kindness, I am,

Very cordially yours,

L. S. Rowe

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