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✓ Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
John Hopkins Hospital,
Baltimore, Md.

My dear Miss Tarbell:

We have just completed the organization of the Home Conservation Division of the United States Food Administration.

It combines most of the activities of the former Conservation Division. It has been organized to cover the Educational field, the mobilization of the Householders of the country for war service, and, in cooperation with the Department of Agriculture, the stimulation of the Home Economics organizations in each State.

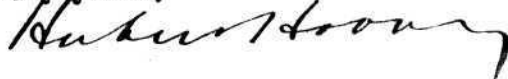
This Division, to be effective, needs an Advisory Committee made up of those prominent in the Educational and Agricultural fields. We have in mind the following Committee as Advisory Council to this Division of Home Conservation:

Dr Raymond A. Pearson,	Department of Agriculture,	Wash.			
Dr Liberty Hyde Bailey,	Ithaca,	N.Y.			
Dr Lafayette B. Mendel,	Yale University,	New Haven, Ct.			
Miss Martha Van Rensselaer,	Cornell University,	Ithaca, N.Y.			
Miss Sarah Louise Arnold,	Simmons College,	Boston, Mass.			
Miss Ida M. Tarbell,	U.S. Food Administration,	Washington, D.C.			
Miss G. B. Lane	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
Miss S. F. Splint	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "

Your acceptance of this position as a member of the Advisory Committee will be very much appreciated, and we count upon your enthusiastic support.

With kind personal regards,

Faithfully yours,



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