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Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
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My Dear Miss Tarbell,-

During my 39 years as a professional photo-
grapher I have photographed many of the famous women
of the past and present generation.

At this time I am compiling material for a book
containing the biographies of the 50 superlative women
of the world, those women who by their efforts and
accomplishments have done most for the benefit of human-
ity in general and their own sex in particular.

Of some who have passed on may be mentioned
Susan B. Anthony, founder of woman suffrage; Anna
Shaw, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Carrie Chapman Catt; Clara
Barton of Red Cross fame; Mrs. Pankhurst; Marie Curie
discoverer of radium; Amelia Earhart, etc.; among these
still living will be Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt; Anne
Morrow Lindbergh; Dorothy Thompson; Frances Perkins;
Carrie Jacobs Bond; Pearl Buck; General Evangeline Booth;
Lady Astor; Helen Keller; Grace Coolidge; Katherine
Cornell; Mrs. Elias Compton, who is the American Mother
of 1939, etc.

I am aware that you have written the autobiography
of your life so it should not be difficult to obtain the
highlights of your life, but I would like to have a re-
cent picture of yourself.

I am embarking from New York about Nov. 20th for a
5 month's tour of South and Central America in my quest
of the world's superlatives of which I now have more
than 6,000 pictures; the repeal of the Arms embargo
compelled cancellation of a world tour previously arranged.

I trust I may be favored with a reply before I leave
and thank you in advance for the courtesy. I am,

Most Respectfully,

Henry F. Schmul.

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