

United States Steel Corporation.

71 Broadway, New York,

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

January 29, 1925.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell,

120 East 19th St.,

New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Tarbell:

Referring to the attached copy of a letter to Mr. McGonagle, I am hoping that, when you come to the office next Wednesday morning, or sooner if convenient, you can let me know when and where it would be most practicable for you to meet Mr. McGonagle prior to February 22nd, when he leaves for California.

Very truly yours,

J. R. Lites,

Secretary to Judge Gary.

Enclosure.

January 24, 1925.

Mr. W. A. McGonagle, President,
Duluth, Missabe, & Northern Ry. Co.,
Duluth, Minn.

My dear Mr. McGonagle:

Judge Gary spoke about your speech at the Steel banquet with so much appreciation, that I know he would be happy if you could dictate the substance of your remarks and have them typewritten, so that he might see them and have them in our files. If practicable and not too much trouble, may I ask this favor on behalf of Judge Gary?

With reference to your very kind offer to make a special trip, if need be, to see Miss Tarbell, we are expecting to talk with her on the subject next Wednesday and hope to be able to write more definitely after that. She has a fixed schedule for "lyceum work" for the next month or so.

Very truly yours,

Secretary to Judge Gary.

Copy to Miss Tarbell.

DULUTH MISSABE & NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

Wolvin Building

Duluth, Minn.

Jan 28th, 1925.

Dear Mr. Sites:

I have received the carbon copy of the letter that you wrote to Miss Ida M. Tarbell, dated January 20th, 1925. and I don't know if it is possible for me to make good in regard to all the kind things that you have said about me to Miss Tarbell, but I will do the best I can and will try to see that she is furnished with the right sort of information, based on the experience that I have had with the Corporation and the policies of Judge Gary, for the many years that I have been privileged to be connected with the United States Steel Corporation.

With personal regards and best wishes, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) W. A. McGonagle
President.

Mr. F. R. Sites,
Secretary to Chairman,
U. S. Steel Corporation,
71 Broadway, Empire Bldg.,
New York, N. Y.

Copy to Miss Tarbell.