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Miss Anne Sweeney
3101 R Street
Washington, D. C.

Dear Miss Sweeney:

It was good to see you the other day in Washington but I was disappointed that we couldn't have even a fragment of a talk. You seemed to me reasonably well and I am so glad you are getting off for your holiday at the end of this week.

On thinking things over it seems unnecessary to burden you with a journey down here this year as if I can so pull wires that Mr. Bryce comes down for a week or ten days I think he and I can do some of our plant note work together here and then I can check later with you when I come back to Dumbarton in the autumn.

It may be that on account of doctors and so on, that we shall be heading for California much earlier than last year so I am trying to plan to be back in Washington sometime between the 20th of September and the 10th of October, but will avoid the last days of September and the first days of October as Mr. Thacher told me that the Dumbarton Oaks rooms would be likely to be filled with incoming students just at the end and beginning of the months.

Thank you for your friendly welcome, your help and the feeling of warmth of attachment which gives me the greatest satisfaction and joy.

Yours ever sincerely,

Beatrix Farrand