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LOS ANGELES 5, CALIFORNIA

April 24, 1951

Dear Dr. Baldinger:

Thank you very much for your letter just received. I highly appreciate all the troubles you have taken on my account.

We shall leave Seattle by the 11:45 P.M. train on May 2 and get to Portland early the following morning which will enable us to leave Portland for Eugene early in the afternoon either by a train or a bus. At present I have no time table.

Please be good enough to reserve three single, inexpensive rooms for us beginning from May 3.

I am travelling with two gentlemen: Mr. Jiro Arimitsu, formerly Vice Minister of Education, now a member of the Cultural Property Protection Commission, which is constituted by five members, in the Ministry of Education; Mr. Kinji Fujikawa, chief of administrative section of that Commission. Our National Museum where I work is under the jurisdiction of this Commission.

Please be good enough to include these two gentlemen whenever possible where I am concerned.

I shall be most happy to follow your program, which is most carefully prepared, as best I can. But there is just one suggestion I would like to make, that is: May I have consultation with Mrs. Garner on Sunday morning, if it is not inconvenient for her and use Saturday morning for the following purpose:

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To show us the University - its museum, library, dormitories, and other parts which you may like to show us. And also are there not some other cultural institutions in Eugene which might interest us. If such alteration is inconvenient for Mrs. Garner, leave the program as it stands.

We shall leave this hotel Friday afternoon, and we shall pass the Saturday night at the following hotel:

c/o Hotel Canterbury
750 Sutter Street
San Francisco, Calif.

Sincerely yours,

Jiro Harada
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