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Mr. Gordon D. Hall
102 Gainsborough St.
Boston 15, Mass.

Dear Gordon:

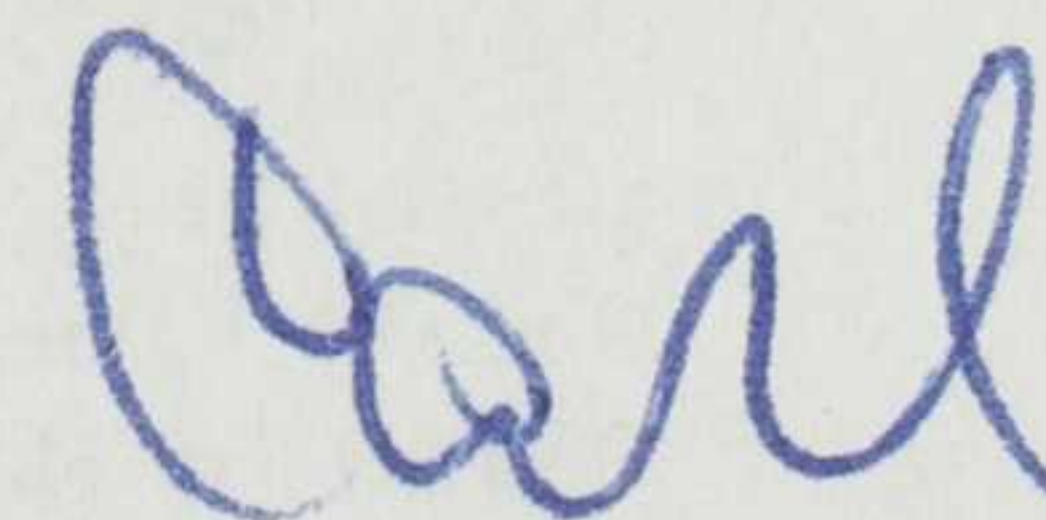
I have not been able to answer you prior to this for two main reasons: 1) I have been so busy with any number of things that it has been impossible to keep up with correspondence as I should like to have done; 2) Our plans for the June Study Tour had not yet been thoroughly discussed.

I can assure you that you certainly are among those who head the list to go in June. We do want to work out some kind of an arrangement with you, although I must admit that \$1500 is a huge amount of money, but I believe we might get some help from friends in Boston.

I hope that when you come to New York, you can drop in to see us. Don't make a special trip, for that would be too expensive; but just know that we want you to go on the Tour and will do everything possible, in cooperation with you, to raise the necessary funds. If I were you, I would continue with my "dreaming".

Best wishes to you, Mrs. Hall, and the children. Hope to see you soon, and I certainly look forward to talking with you on the telephone.

Most cordially,



CARL HERMANN VOSS

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