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Topsham, Nov. 2, 1926

My dear Mr. Dunnack.-

Your favor of the 20th ult. has been rec'd. Mrs. Fuller suggested that I send auto-graphed copies of the books on woodworking, with the bill, to the library, so I ordered them from the publishers on returning home. Before making this suggestion I understood her to ask whether I lived in Maine, but not with regard to birthplace. So many people were coming and going that I may have misunderstood what she meant, but the matter of birthplace did not occur to me until receiving your letter.

Although I have lived for perhaps two-thirds of my seventy-four years, on and off, and for the last thirty-five or so continuously, in the house in Topsham occupied by my ancestors and which has been in the family for almost one hundred years, I was born in Massachusetts. As Maine was set off from Massachusetts, this is, in a way, all in the family, but of course, strictly speaking, I do not come under your classification. However, the books have come and I am sending them, but if your custom does not justify your paying for them in such a case, kindly return the bill and I will attend to it. I am not including what little ~~of~~ personal data there may be, because I suppose under the circumstances you would have no use for it. I have been much impressed by the important work which the library seems to be doing so ~~entirely~~ excellently.

With thanks for your courteous letter, I am,

Very truly yours

Charles G. Wheeler

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Note -

Mr. Sumack decided not to place
Mr. Wheeler's books in the name
Center collection. They are in
the General Reference Library.

M.C.F.

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