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Genevieve Fox Correspondence

Genevieve May Fox 1888-1959

Mrs. Raymond Garfield Fuller 1888-1959

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FOX, Genevieve  (Mrs. Raymond G. Fuller)

b. Connecticut
Miss Genevieve Fox  
c/o Little Brown & Company  
34 Beacon Street  
Boston 6, Massachusetts  

Dear Miss Fox:

When BONNIE, ISLAND GIRL, was published, we immediately ordered copies for our traveling libraries and bookmobile; and we are happy to report that the book has been very popular with our young readers.

It occurs to us that Bonnie would be a most suitable addition to the Maine Author Collection. Do you know about this permanent exhibit of books written by Maine people, or about the state, which was started some years ago, and now includes over two thousand volumes? These are, for the most part, inscribed presentation copies, a distinguished and fascinating collection which constantly attracts students and visitors.

We hope that you may feel as we do about having Bonnie here. If you do, please know that we should be very happy indeed to welcome her, and should regard her as a charming and bright addition to the collection.

Sincerely yours

In Charge of

Maine Author Collection
Eaton Center  
New Hampshire  
September 10, 1954

Mrs. F. W. Jacob,  
In charge of Maine Author Collection,  
Maine State Library,  
Augusta, Maine.

Dear Mrs. Jacob:

Accepting your invitation addressed in care of Little, Brown & Company, "Bonnie" is on her way to join the goodly company of the Maine Author Collection. I hope she arrives safely, and am sure she will feel at home.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. Raymond G. Fuller)
September 13, 1954

Mrs. Raymond G. Fuller
Eaton Center
New Hampshire

Dear Genevieve Fox:

Your friendly response and the delightfully inscribed BONNIE arrived today. Thank you for your interest and for making it possible to add this lovely book to the collection.

It is such a joy to have a really good story for young readers, and we are always especially pleased when we find one with a Maine background. Bonnie has more than background, though, and we think she ought to be popular for a long, long, time.

Sincerely yours

hmj

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