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VARGA, Margit (Margaret)

Born in New York, N. Y., May 5, 1908.
Miss Margit Varga
Time and Life Building
Rockefeller Center
New York, New York

Dear Miss Varga:

Your unusual and beautiful study of Waldo Peirce was purchased for the library immediately upon publication; and we have been delighted with its beauty and value.

It is quite possible that you do not know of the Maine Author Collection, and that you would be interested. It is an exhibit of about a thousand volumes, written by authors born in the state, resident here, or writing about Maine subjects and for this purpose; and the inscriptions do, of course, lend fascination to the display. They are original, sometimes amusing, frequently relative to the writing of the book, often tributes to the state.

With the added features of biography, critical material and correspondence which we collect and preserve, you can readily understand how the collection is a steadily increasing project of great interest and worth.

We hope that you may want to inscribe and present a copy of your book on Waldo Peirce for this purpose. It would make a distinctive addition, and we should be exceedingly grateful.

Very truly yours

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SECRETARY
June 10, 1942

Dear Mrs. Jacob:

I have been out of town on an extended trip and therefore the delay in answering your letter requesting a copy of the book on Waldo Peirce. I am sending this to you today. Thank you for asking me for it.

Yours very sincerely,

Margit Varga

Mrs. F.W. Jacob
Maine State Library
Augusta, Maine
June 13, 1942

Miss Margit Varga
Time & Life Building
Rockefeller Center
New York, New York

Dear Miss Varga:

The beautiful copy of your book WALDO PEIRCE has reached the library; and your generosity and interest delight us. We are especially appreciative of your fine inscription of sympathetic perception.

The Maine Author Collection will be richer for the inclusion of this unusual book. For making possible its addition, we thank you.

When you are again in Maine, we hope you may find it possible to call and see the collection; meanwhile, we extend our best wishes for an increasing appreciation of your excellent work.

Very truly yours

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