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Mrs. Clark
c/o Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss
Dumbarton Oaks
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mrs. Clark:

You may find pictures of flowers of the sizes and types for which we are searching in cheap books such as the Wild Flowers of America, which I think are issued in fairly cheap form and which we could use to chop up for pictures of the wild flowers, cutting them down to whatever size would fit our frames. Of course you have doubtless already exhausted the National Geographic Society, the Perry pictures of which I think Gray has spoken to you, but I should think that the Forestry Department should be able to tell you where to go for colored pictures of trees and I should also try the Arnold Arboretum at Jamaica Plain, Mass. and the Morton Arboretum at Lisle, Illinois. The National Geographic might also have shrub pictures but I fancy that some of the cheap wild flower books might be useful. For the garden flowers doubtless the catalogues of Sutton & Son, Dreer, Waterer and possibly Breck would be of use. You need no prop in finding Bird pictures as you are an accomplished swimmer in this pool.

I have been assembling lists from which you can pick out one here and one there as the picture becomes available. It will hardly be necessary to attempt to get all of them at one time, but if you have the lists you may be able to pick up an occasional piece either at the secondhand shop or a prepared catalogue. The lists do not pretend to be thoroughly worked out but they are sent you piecemeal and more or less as a preliminary canter.

Yours sincerely,

Beatrix Farrand
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