

BEATRIX FARRAND
LANDSCAPE GARDENER
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Miss Anne Sweeney
Dumbarton Oaks Research Library
3101 R Street
Georgetown
Washington 7, D. C.

Dear Miss Sweeney:

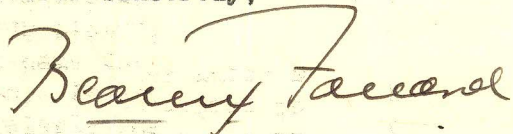
A package of books is going forward in tomorrow's parcel post, containing

- ✓ 1. Bocklern, Architectura
- ✓ 2. Délices de la Rivière le Vecht
- ✓ 3. Grohmann, Recueil de Dessins . . Maisons de Campagne, etc.
- ✓ 4. Walpole-Whateley, Observations on Modern Gardening,

and I hope if you are not there you can arrange to have them taken care of until you return. It seemed to me wiser to send them straight through than to keep them here as, after all, we have had one fire in this neighborhood and I should not like to have the Dumbarton books burned in a second one.

We are looking forward to the visit after Labor Day, and I want to thank you most heartily for the beautiful photograph of *Heracleum Mantegazzianum*. On your picture it is marked "Fersicum," which may be the modern name for it, but I have always called it under an older name. It grows in the foothills of the Caucasus and has been particularly beautiful here, so that I am delighted to have its portrait.

Yours ever sincerely,



(Mrs. Max Farrand)