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Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss  
1537 Twenty-eighth Street  
Georgetown, Washington 7, D.C.

Dear Mrs. Bliss,

I am enclosing the Dumbarton Oaks Agenda of April 15th---giving an active and an inactive list of the various projects under consideration. They are numbered consecutively for the office file records in the order in which they were started---(DQ-6 indicates the sixth project undertaken at Dumbarton Oaks). The missing numbers are of projects that have been either completed or discarded.

You asked me to suggest an order of precedence and I have indicated this in pencil.

I hope the following schedule for erecting the North Vista Finials, Consoles and Rail will meet with your approval:

April 17 Thursday----- Mr. Steinbraker and Mr. Phelps to erect  
18 Friday----- the consoles and finials for finishing  
in place.

April 21 Monday----- Mr. Luciani working on finished carving.  
RMH to arrive at 2PM.---Hope for  
Conf. with Mrs. Bliss on stone carving.  
" " " " other N.V.consoles  
" " " " 28th Street Garden  
" " " " Finalities Shield.

April 22 Tuesday----- Mr. Luciani on carving.  
Finelli to erect rail---with gray undercoat.  
RMH to return to N.Y. 3:15PM

April 23 Wednesday---- Luciani on carving? Ask Kearney re cleaning  
up etc.  
Finelli finish erecting rail.

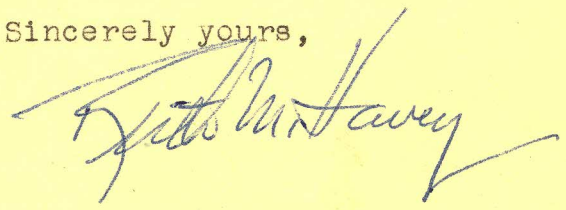
April 24 Thursday  
to April 27 Sunday---- Symposium at Dumbarton Oaks

April 28 Monday----- Finelli to put final coat of black paint on  
rail and add wheat motifs.  
Luciani on carving if not finished before  
the symposium.

Havey, Ruth

This is the way we have planned it and I trust it will work out.

Sincerely yours,





April 15, 1952

DUMBARTON OAKS---AGENDA

ACTIVE---# DO-6---FINALITIES

1

DO-6a---Lead Shield

DO-6d---Quod Severis Metes in lead

12 DO-7---MELISANDE STEPS

11 DO-9---ARBOR TERRACE

DO-9a---Paving

DO-9c---Arbor replaced

DO-9d---Balustrade

DO-9e---Sundial

2- DO-10--NORTH VISTA---Alterations at North End of Wall

DO-10a--Finials at North End

DO-10e--Iron Rail

DO-10f--Consoles at North End

5- DO-21--CONSOLES at NORTH END OF CEDAR TERRACE-North Vista

6- DO-22--CONSOLES at SOUTH END OF CEDAR TERRACE-North Vista

4- DO-23--CONSOLES at NORTH COURT WALL AGAINST HOUSE

3- DO-24--GATE FINIALS-North Vista

8- DO-26--R STREET ENTRANCE GATE---Wrought Iron

INACTIVE---<sup>16</sup># DO-2---PEDESTAL for THE FAUN

13 DO-8---BENCH for MUSIC ROOM WALL--Office side.

10- DO-14--HERBACEOUS BORDER WALLS

15- DO-18--BYZANTINE CHURCH GARDEN

14- DO-19--GARDEN FOR THE BLIND

9- DO-20--STEPS AT NORTH ENTRANCE TO HOUSE

7- DO-25--GARDEN CENTER