

BROCKHOLST M. SMITH
P. O. BOX 906
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

December 30th '36.

Dear George.

I was interested in your letter of the 18th in regard to creating a permanent fund for the Harvard Travellers Club, and wish that I were in a position to change my non-resident membership to life membership as you suggested. Unfortunately I cannot in any manner to my family do this at the present time, and I know that you will understand that my best wishes for the success of your fund is the best that I can do. I hope to be able to get to some of your meetings in the coming months.

We missed you and Marjorie at our festivities two days ago, and we appreciate your generosity to Helen and her young man.

Sincerely Yours

Brockholst M. Smith

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ROGER L. SCAIFE
VICE PRESIDENT

November 2, 1936

Mr. John K. Howard
82 Devonshire Street
Boston, Massachusetts

My dear Howard:

I return herewith the Bulletin of the Royal Geographical Society. It is interesting to note what the Society does for its explorers, and I think it would be an excellent scheme if the Harvard-Travellers Club could gradually acquire a fund from which it could contribute now and again in just this sort of way. We are squeezing a bit when we give Harold a hundred dollars; but it seems to me just the sort of thing we should do and do oftener.

Sincerely yours,

Roger L. Scaife
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RLS:H

*Write H.C. if he can buy
instruments that can be kept by
the club.*

82 Devonshire Street
Boston, Massachusetts.
October 23, 1936

Mr. C. Suydam Cutting
20 Pine Street
New York, New York.

Dear Suydam:

I have not heard from you for ages. What have you been doing with yourself since last spring? Have you made definite plans for your next trip to Tibet? Please drop me a line and let me know how things are going.

In recent years there has been a great deal of awakened interest in the Harvard Travellers Club. The attendance at the seven or eight meetings during the year has grown rapidly until last year there was an average attendance of 64.

We have been very fortunate in having many outstanding important men in their different fields as guests and speakers. The members find it interesting to meet them personally and hear them at our meetings. The exchange of information and ideas at the meetings undoubtedly serves to further the object of the club which, as you know, is "The promotion of intelligent travel and exploration". On the other hand the officers and council have felt that the organization was perhaps furnishing more entertainment for its members than actually and directly promoting travel. They have felt that probably the best method of taking a step forward to fulfil the objects of the club was the creation of a fund, the income of which though small, could be used to make small contributions to proposed expeditions, particularly favoring the members of the club in connection with such contributions. As a precedent and analogy is the practice of the Royal Geographical Society in helping in similar ways British Expeditions for various purposes all over the world. The appreciation of the help thus given is perhaps

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out of proportion to the amounts donated and consequently the goodwill and loyalty towards the organization is efficiently fostered by such a procedure. In turn this serves to obtain more readily good speakers for the members who themselves are not at the time planning to or may never accompany an expedition. It also serves to spread the good name of the organization and make it better known throughout the world of travel.

The receipt of the Cross legacy of \$1,000 last May for the permanent fund of the Club was the occasion for the starting of a drive to increase the permanent fund for the above purpose. Up to that time the fund consisted of about \$1,900., the result of life membership fees. The treasurer mentioned the desire to increase this fund in his annual report and asked members to convert their membership into life membership. A very good response has resulted, 17 members to date having taken out life memberships, with the result that today the permanent fund is about \$4,600. Your officers had in mind a permanent fund of about \$10,000 from which we might count on a yearly income of \$300 or \$400 to be used in helping out expeditions. It is expected that a special committee of the council will be appointed to pass on the donations but some other appropriate organization might be worked out if found more fitting.

Will you help out this worthy cause by converting your membership to a life membership? If so, would you please send your check for \$100 with a notation that it is for to me?

Sincerely yours,


John K. Howard

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Shawmut Bank Building

Boston

June 20, 1938

Mr. George A. Lyon
P. O. Box 2285
Boston, Massachusetts.

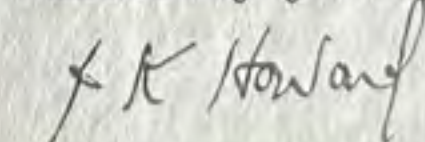
Dear George:

Since drafting the Harvard Travellers Club Trust a particular situation has developed a matter which was not covered in the trust, namely, that at times one of the trustees may be so far away that it is impossible to get him to act in time to do something that we want done. This spring when it was proposed to help Washburn by purchasing an aneroid and loaning it to him, Mr. Curtiss, one of the trustees, was in Europe and was not to be back until after Washburn had left. Consequently, you and I acted without Mr. Curtiss, relying upon his approval when he returned. This approval we have received, but it seems well to amend the trust as nearly as possible to cover such a situation. I am enclosing a proposed amendment. According to the original declaration of trust, the original declaration may be amended by an instrument in writing signed and acknowledged by all of the trustees and a majority of the members of the council of the Club. As you are a trustee, will you please sign the enclosed amendment in duplicate, and return same to me. I will have your acknowledgment taken after I have received the various signatures.

It is to be noted that according to the original declaration the second paragraph cannot be amended, so that it is questionable as to how effective the proposed amendment is, but it is the best we can do.

When the original amendment has been fully executed I will send you a confirmed copy for your files.

Sincerely yours,



John K. Howard

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June 14, 1938

Mr. George A. Lyon
P. O. Box 2285
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear George:

In connection with the purchase of the surveyor's aneroid by the Harvard Travellers Club Trust, and its loan for the season of 1938 to Bradford Washburn, you may remember that we approved the vote of the Harvard Travellers Club Council on condition that the aneroid be insured by Mr. Washburn in favor of the Trustees. This was duly communicated to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Harvard Travellers Club. Together they purchased the aneroid at a total price to the Trustees of \$38.49, \$34.74 being paid for the instrument and \$3.75 for its proper marking.

I have recently received a communication from the Secretary of the Harvard Travellers Club stating that in the hurry of Mr. Washburn's going away the instrument was not insured against loss or damage. Washburn is perfectly responsible, and I think from a practical point of view it makes no difference to us that the instrument is not insured. If it is damaged or lost he will make it good. I think, therefore, that we should let the question of insurance drop, but we do not want to make this a precedent, and I think that in the future we should clearly lay down the principle that instruments loaned by us shall be covered by the borrower with insurance in our favor. I understand that this is the way the Royal Geographical Society handles the same type of loan.

Unless I hear from you to the contrary I assume that you agree with me that we do not need to do anything further about the insurance.

Sincerely yours,

JKH

John K. Howard

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April 8, 1938

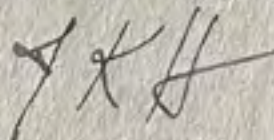
Mr. George A. Lyon
P. O. Box 2285
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear George:

Confirming my telephone conversation with you, Mr. Frederic H. Curtiss is in Europe and will not return until the last of May, consequently, with your approval, which I understand I have, we will go ahead and buy the surveyor's aneroid as per the request of the Council of the Harvard Travellers Club, and will lend it to Bradford Washburn without Mr. Curtiss's action at this time. I am sure he will approve the action.

As a condition I will impose the taking out of proper insurance by Washburn on behalf of us as Trustees.

Sincerely yours,



John K. Howard

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1943-44 correspondence

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VILHJALMUR STEFANSSON
67 MORTON STREET
NEW YORK 14

Summer Address: Dearing Farm
Bethel, Vermont

September 10, 1948

The Harvard Travellers Club
Institute of Geographical Exploration
Cambridge 38
Massachusetts

Dear Sirs:

The first and second offers I received of financial assistance when organizing my third arctic expedition, the winter 1912-13, came from the Harvard Travellers Club, \$3,000, and one of its members, Mr. Fay, \$1,000. I am ashamed to say that I have forgotten Mr. Fay's full name and I am hoping you can give it to me as well as his address.

Mr. Fay's gift came from the blue for I barely knew him by sight in advance, and had no dealings with him afterwards except perhaps one or two exchanges of letters. I have looked in the Alumni Directory and cannot certainly identify him from among the numerous Fays. All I can say to you as identification is that as I remember it he was a member of the Harvard Travellers Club and that he had a near relative, possibly father but I think most likely uncle, who was Professor Fay of Geology at Tufts. My Mr. Fay may have been either an undergraduate or a graduate student in 1912-13, or may possibly have been an alumnus who lived in or near Boston.

I shall be most grateful for any help you can give.

Ans -
Pete Fay was
the man.

March 3, 1949

Mr. Gardiner H. Fiske
48 Franklin Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Gardy:

I am enclosing a very appreciative letter from Hallam Movius. I thought you would be interested to know how very grateful he was for the help voted to him by the Harvard Travellers Club.

Do not bother to return this letter as I have your order for the disbursement of the funds in my files.

Sincerely yours,

HOB/D

Enclosure



HENRY S. HALL, JR.,
154 COOLIDGE HILL,
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

April 4-1950

Dear Harry:-

The Permanent Fund is made up of Life Membership dues and occasional gifts to the Club. Income only is available to the Club, on request by the Council, and at the pleasure of the Trustees.

The Club has published two editions of the Handbook of Travel. For the first one in 1917 I understood that certain funds were devoted, and the balance paid for out of accumulated surplus club income. Sales of the book produced a nice nest-egg. This was kept and applied to the second edition in 1935. The 1935 edition took all the Club resources and then some. The book was ~~produced~~ printed and distributed for the Club by the Harvard University Press. Just before the war H. U. Press ~~just~~ bought the entire remaining stock (I cannot recall exactly but would hazard that some 2500 to 3000 copies were sold altogether). This gave us a pretty large bank balance. The Council voted Cyon could fund it by giving back about ten years ago

in the Minutes) to place a considerable amount of
the something like £2000 bank balance in a
special savings account; and to keep as I recall
about £500 in the current account for year to year
operations. The idea was to be getting interest on about
60% of the club's cash balance, but not to put
it in the Trust Fund, where the club would lose all
control over the principal.

If we ever get out a Third (entirely revised)
edition of the Handbook of Travel it will take every
cent in both the Savings account and the regular
banking account. I look at the Savings account as
a special reserve (from sales of the 1935 edition)
to be kept as against another edition at some future
time.

Naturally the Club can vote to do anything
it wants with it, but I should be sorry to see
it dissipated.

Yes Prof Pitt Rivers does have a talk based on
experiences and data gathered years ago. He is a possibility
for a talk - we need a few reserves. I hope to hear from
Col Colby. I recommended Ripley to the Harvard Club.
Better go, his Nepal pictures are good, but Henry



Worthy of Your Trust

OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY

ONE FEDERAL STREET, BOSTON 6, MASSACHUSETTS

April 12, 1950

Henry S. Howe, Esq., Treasurer
Harvard Travellers Club
89 Broad Street, 3rd Floor
Boston 10, Massachusetts

Dear Henry:

Your letter of yesterday is most embarrassing.

As you see, I have passed this "burning buck"
along to Horace Bright, who, I hope, will be able to
enlighten both of us.

Sincerely yours

Alden H. MacIntyre

Enclosure

April 12, 1950

Horace O. Bright, Esq.
Elmer H. Bright & Company
84 State Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Horace:

The enclosed interrogating letter of yesterday from Henry Howe, concerning the Trustees' Report of the Harvard Travellers Club fund, makes me realize how dangerous it is to sign even such an innocent-looking document as this Report, without personal investigation.

As I did not follow out my Trustee's responsibility in this respect, will you, as the father--and mother--of this document, be good enough to answer Henry's letter.

Sincerely yours

Alden H. MacIntyre

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PROVIDENCE, R. I.
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HAVERHILL, MASS.

April 25, 1950

Mr. Henry S. Howe
89 Broad Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Henry:

Enclosed you will find a corrected Annual Report and the copy of last year's report which you mailed me.

It is lucky we have a vigilant secretary.

You will receive the corrected copy from Alden MacIntyre in due course.

Sincerely,

HOB/D

Horace

Enclosures

April 25, 1950

Mr. Henry S. Howe
89 Broad Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Henry:

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It is lucky we have a vigilant secretary.

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Sincerely,

HOB/D

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April 25, 1950

Mr. Thomas D. Cabot
77 Franklin Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Tom:

Henry Howe, the Secretary of the Harvard Travellers Club, has fortunately discovered a discrepancy in the report I recently furnished you and Alden.

I have made corrections and hope, if you have not lost entire confidence in my accounting ability, that you will sign it, forward it to Alden MacIntyre, and request that he forward it to Henry Howe for the club's records.

I enclose copies for both you and Alden.

Sincerely,

HOB/D

Enclosures

April 4, 1950

Mr. Thomas D. Cabot
77 Franklin Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Tom:

I am enclosing the Annual Financial Report of the Harvard Travellers Club Trust Fund with two copies - one for you and one for Alden McIntyre.

If you approve the enclosed report, please forward it to Alden for his signature and request that he forward it to Henry S. Howe, Secretary of the Harvard Travellers Club, 89 Broad Street.

Sincerely yours,

HDB/D

Enclosures



Office of the Treasurer
89 Broad Street, 3rd floor
Boston 10, Massachusetts

December 19, 1949

Mr. Horace O. Bright
Elmer H. Bright & Co.
84 State Street
Boston 9, Mass.

Dear Horace:

At the meeting of the Council on Tuesday, December 13th, the following three subjects were voted on, all of which concern you and your good work.

1) That the Harvard Travellers Club subscribe \$100 to the memorial of the late Captain Robert A. Bartlett, which is taking the form of a scholarship at the Memorial University College, at St. Johns, Newfoundland, for a boy or girl from Brigus.

Would you kindly mail me a check for \$100, made out to the Explorers' Club. This money is considered a charitable contribution and is tax exempt.

2) The resignation of John K. Howard, as a Trustee of the Permanent Fund, was accepted with regret, and with thanks for the constructive work he has done for the Fund. We have written a letter to Mr. Howard confirming this.

3) It was decided that it might be wise not to have a member of the Council as a Trustee for the Permanent Fund also, ^{and} to fill the recent vacancy, ~~and~~ it was also decided that as the two ^{only} present Trustees are business men, it might be wise ~~likewise~~ to have the third Trustee a man who works at Harvard University. The members of the Council are now going to make proposals to the Council at its next meeting concerning the third Trustee, and they plan to consult with you before the selection is made.

Very sincerely yours,

Henry S. Howe

Henry S. Howe
Secretary

HSB/C

LORING, COOLIDGE OFFICE
35 CONGRESS STREET
BOSTON 9, MASS.

TEL. LAFAYETTE 3-6531
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JOHN K. HOWARD

Reply to:
MYOPIA HUNT CLUB
HAMILTON, MASS.
TELS. HAMILTON 110-111

May 26, 1950

Mr. Henry S. Howe, Treas.
Harvard Travellers Club
89 Board Street
3rd Floor
Boston, 10, Massachusetts

My dear Howe:

I have just returned from the winter's expedition in Central America and Mexico, and in going through the accumulated mail, find your letter of December 14, 1949, accepting my resignation as a Trustee of the Harvard Travellers Club Permanent Fund. This includes a statement that an up-to-date financial report on the income and expense for the fund had been presented and accepted by the Council. Way back in '37, when this Fund was established, we worked out a procedure for protecting the Trustees. You might say it was similar to the Allowance of an Account by the Probate Court. Under date of October 20, 1949, I wrote to Horace Bright, outlining this procedure and suggesting a method of applying it for the benefit of Mr. Curtis, Mr. Lyon, and myself, who either had or were retiring as Trustees. The following is a quote from that letter:

Under Paragraph "First" of the Trust instrument, it is provided "All Accounts relating to the trust shall be rendered to the Club, and when approved by vote of the Council of the Club such accounts shall be final and shall be binding upon all parties interested in the trust." In order to protect ourselves as Trustees, I used to prepare an account each year in time to have it included in the Annual Report. We fixed the date for this account as April 15. The Trustees made their accounting in the form of a letter to the Harvard Travellers Club. This was signed by all three Trustees. The Council then approved the account and the Secretary of the Club certified on a copy of the account which was sent to each Trustee that the account had been approved by the Council. These certified copies were a protection for the Trustees. This was done regularly from 1938 through April 15, 1941. I doubt if it has been done since. I have in my possession the certified copies of the accounts for those years. I suggest that a combined accounting since April 1941 and through some convenient date in the future might be submitted by the then Trustees, plus Mr. Lyon, Mr. Curtiss, and myself. This

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Mr. Henery S. Howe

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May 26, 1950

accounting could be submitted to the Council who could approve it and copies of this accounting plus the certification by the Secretary of the Club would be sufficient protection for the resigned Trustees. I am enclosing a copy of the last accounting which we made and I prepared as of April 15, 1941, with the certification showing at the bottom. I believe this would be a pretty good procedure to follow in the future.

I ran into the Annual Report, May 1, 1950 of the Harvard Travellers Club before reaching your letter of December 14, and have already dictated a letter to Horace Bright. I am, therefore enclosing a copy of this letter and the proposed account.

account
1) - I suggest that this account be prepared in sufficient number so that a copy, certified by you as Secretary, can be sent to each of the Trustees involved.

2)
10.00 I also find in my accumulated correspondence your notice of December 30, 1949, re the donation to the Captain Robert A. Bartlett Memorial Scholarship. I am enclosing a check for \$10.00 and hope that this contribution is not too late.

Incidentally, I note that you state that the Club had subscribed \$100.00 from its "limited capital funds". The account of the Permanent Fund as of May 1, 1950 indicates that the donation was made from the Permanent Fund.

Paragraph FIRST of the Trust provides "The Trustees shall also have power and authority to determine in all cases what accretions to the Trust Property shall be considered as income and what as principal, and what expense shall be charged to income and to principal respectively."

TP SECOND provides "The Trustees shall hold all property, other than equipment and similar tangible personal property, as a Permanent Fund and the income only shall be used."

income
2) In spite of the provision in Paragraph FIRST, I believe that the Trustees and Council can only use accumulated or present income for donations. The description of the \$100.00 donation as "Capital Funds" is not necessarily incorrect, but I have pointed out the above, as the statement might include the inference that the Principal Funds of the Trust could be used for donations.

I haven't forgotten the search for the die for the medal, and will, when I can get to it, look up my old correspondence files to see if they will help trace it. If you, in the meanwhile, locate it, please let me know.

Yours sincerely,

John K. Howard

JKH:dj - Enc.

cc Mr. Henry Howe

Reply to:

May 26, 1950

Mr. Horace O. Bright
Elmer H. Bright and Company
84 State Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Re: Harvard Travellers Club Trust

Dear Horace:

Just returned from a delightful winter in Central America, and in going through my accumulated mail, have come to the Annual Reports, May 1, 1950, of the Harvard Travellers Club. I note the account for the Permanent Fund, signed by Tom Cabot, Alden MacIntyre, and yourself, as Trustees. I want to again call your attention to Page 2 of my letter of October 20, 1949, relative to the accounting by the Trustees:

Under Paragraph "First" of the Trust instrument, it is provided "All accounts relating to the trust shall be rendered to the Club, and when approved by vote of the Council of the Club such accounts shall be final and shall be binding upon all parties interested in the trust." In order to protect ourselves as Trustees, I used to prepare an account each year in time to have it included in the Annual Report. We fixed the date for this account as April 15. The Trustees made their accounting in the form of a letter to the Harvard Travellers Club. This was signed by all three Trustees. The Council then approved the account and the Secretary of the Club certified on a copy of the account which was sent to each Trustee that the account had been approved by the Council. These certified copies were a protection for the Trustees.

The account as shown in the Reports makes no statements that it was submitted and approved by the Council. I make the suggestion that for your own protection as Trustees, you include a statement to this effect in the Annual Report.

Mr. Horace O. Bright

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May 26, 1950

In the same letter, I suggested a procedure to clear Mr. Curtis, George Lyon, myself, and any other intervening Trustees from any possible liability for the intervening years between April 15, 1941 and the date of our various resignations from the Trust. I believe April 15, 1941 was the last time that any procedure was taken to clear the Trustees. I am not now sure of the dates of the resignation of Mr. Curtis, Mr. Lyon, and myself, but I assume that May 1, 1950 would certainly clear all of us.

According to the figures shown in the Annual Report of May 1, 1950, the figures shown in my last Annual Report of April 15, 1941, and the figures which you gave me for income last year in your letter of November 17, 1949, I think the enclosed account, properly signed by the Trustees, submitted to and approved by the Council, and certified as approved by the Secretary, would be a proper release under the Indenture of Trust to all of the Trustees. This may be over-cautious, but even though this is a small matter, I would like to see it cleaned up in a business-like way.

You will note that I left out of the Account the attempted donation and return of the \$200.00 during the period as this was a wash transaction and really never took effect and seems unnecessary to put into the Account. Your account of May 1, 1950 shows a total principal on hand of \$5,001.98 and by computation, a total income on hand of \$1,171.49, which jibes with the enclosed suggested account.

Am sending a copy of this letter to Tom Cabot, Alden MacIntyre, and Henry Howe.

Looking forward to seeing you soon.

Yours sincerely,

John K. Howard

JKH:dj
Enc.

ELMER H. BRIGHT & Co.

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HAVERHILL, MASS.

June 6, 1950

Mr. Henry S. Howe
Boit, Dalton & Church
89 Broad Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Henry:

Thank you for your letter of June fifth, and I feel rather badly to think that you are planning to make out the report that K Howard is anxious to have.

It probably is a good idea, and I hope you don't blame me too much for not wanting to do it.

Sincerely,

HOB/D

Horace

June 5, 1950

Mr. Horace O. Bright
Elmer H. Bright & Co.
84 State Street
Boston 9, Massachusetts

Dear Horace:

Re: Harvard Travellers Club

Thank you for sending me the enclosed letter from John K. Howard which I am now returning to you. I also received a letter from John K. Howard enclosing a copy of his letter to you. I have answered Howard and am sending you a copy of my letter.

The figures on the sample document enclosed, which was composed by Howard, seem to agree with my figures, and if they coincide with your records, I am of the opinion that I will have this form made up and signed by everyone interested, and presented at the next meeting of the Council.

This probably seems like extra work, but as a past trustee has brought up the subject, I think it would be wise to try to abide by his wishes. If the enclosed figures are satisfactory to you, would you be good enough to give me your OK, in which case I will proceed and try to have this report ready for the next Council meeting in October, 1950.

Very sincerely yours,

Henry S. Howe

HSB/C
Enclosure

April 12, 1951

Mr. Alden McIntyre -
Old Colony Trust Company
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Alden:

I am enclosing a letter from
Henry Howe which is self-explanatory.
Please return it to me for my files.

In the absence of Tom Cabot
from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
you and I are empowered to withdraw
funds from the Trust with the authority
of the Council.

Please sign the enclosed let-
ter and return to me.

Sincerely yours,

HOB/D

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June 8, 1950

Mr. Henry S. Howe
Boit, Dalton & Church
89 Broad Street
Boston, Massachusetts

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Sincerely,

HDB/D

June 6, 1950

Mr. John A. Howard
Myopia Hunt Club
Hamilton, Massachusetts

Dear Mr.

I was glad to hear from you, and
I am glad you had a good winter in Central
America.

I talked the matter of the report
over with Henry Howe and, as he has no
doubt written you, he is planning to pre-
pare a report as you suggest for the
approval of the Council next fall.

Best regards.

Sincerely yours,

HOB/D

April 28, 1952

Mr. Thomas D. Cabot
77 Franklin Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Tom:

Please find the enclosed
Annual Statement of Condition of
the Harvard Travellers Club Perma-
nent Fund and return to me.

Sincerely,

HOB/D

Enclosure

April 24, 1952

Mr. Alden M. McIntyre
Old Colony Trust Company
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Alden:

I am enclosing the Annual Report
of the Harvard Travellers Club Trust Fund.

If you would be kind enough to
sign it and return to me, I shall forward
it to Tom Cabot and see that Henry Howe
gets it for his Annual Report. As you will
notice, I have dated the report May first
owing to Henry's wish to receive the report
as quickly as possible.

Please retain the carbon copy
for your files.

Sincerely yours,

HOB/D

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