

planting -

Williams, as you know, has left Cambridge and is for the summer at Plymouth. He comes up to Boston at intervals to his store.

Nature has asserted herself, and everything is fresh & green -

Good luck and a safe return.

Yours truly  
Walter Deane

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Dear brother Collins:

Cards 12, 13 & 14 from San Francisco of May 15, showing Yosemite Falls, Big Tree & Double Bow-Road, Tamalpais Railway, came yesterday, and were only appreciated. My, what a time you are having - Your time-table gives a good idea of that trip on the railway the view of ocean, bay & mountains must be wonderful. The numbered pile of 14 cards from you are beside me. I shall send this to Providence.

Things go on pretty, though busy, here. I guess you think

This is a very small corner of the  
United States - And it is, too -  
But it's my home, after all.

Fernald made a trip last  
Sat. Sunday with his class  
by auto through the State.  
He had absolutely perfect weather  
and I guess they had a very  
successful time - I haven't seen  
him yet. I guess I've told  
you that he has a cottage  
at So. Harwich off the Cape  
for the summer - He has al-  
ready been down there, and  
has got his garden started  
of 240 different things.  
He & you are lusty!

Judd Churchill writes with en-  
thusiasm from St. Louis.  
Greenman has given him a  
room & table & case of books  
in the Baharun, directly across  
the street from their boarding  
place, so he is happy.  
He will be in Denver  
for the total eclipse.  
That's where I especially  
enjoy him -

I hope to have Rob. & Mrs.  
Chase to dinner Friday next  
the 24<sup>th</sup>. Both are well.  
Robinson is still in Taffrey



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