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383 Union St.

Springfield, Oct. 8. 1905

Dear Mr. Davenport,

I have arranged for you in this way. You will come into Springfield at the head of State St. I should suppose, and the car coming down will pass the City Library where you will stop if you wish to go to the Science Museum at once. This building stands some little distanced back of the Library and the Art Museum. Go up the walk from the street and you will see it.

At the Science Museum you will find Miss Pettis and Frank V. Bishop - one or both, and either of them will show you the fern in one minute, and you can plan with Miss Pettis for photographing it the next morning.

Frank Bishop is a lad of strong bent
towards natural science. He is still in
the High School, but spends much time
in the Museum, and is the most help-
ful, obliging, young fellow that you could
wish to find.

It will not be
necessary for me to meet you at the
Museum, but I hope you will come
and take tea and spend the evening
with me.

Miss Pettis will show
you how to reach the house - through
Maple, passing Temple & High Sts, to
Union, then up Mar to 283, - a
short and pleasant walk. I see at
any time between six and seven; my
family consists only of myself and my
sister-in-law, Mrs. Tallant, and the
time that suits you will suit us.

Hoping to see you Tuesday without fail,
Yours very truly Maria L. Owen.



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