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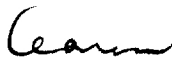
Dear Josh,

Forgive me for being so late in replying. I haven't yet been able to dig up anything for Ellis. I agree with you that it would be very regrettable to lose Ellis. I will continue looking, though I wish the hell that there was something I could do right away.

We had heard from the Blair's of your visit to Monterey. They enjoyed meeting you. Jane and I are off to New York for a week and then I will spend a few days at Cold Spring Harbor, arriving back in Chicago on July 26th. Sorry to hear about your camera difficulties, and feel that I am responsible either for not having given you sufficient instructions or for recommending a poor instrument.

Except that it is not quite true, I will not say that we don't wish to be in California right now. Regards to Esther.

Sincerely,



Aaron Novick

AN/sds