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Dear Professor Bangham:

Mr. Bass has forwarded to me a copy of his letter of August 27. I have tried to contact the owners of the cottage that you have in mind, but at the present time, Mrs. Merriman is visiting in North Carolina. However, I did talk to her brother who said that she is desirous of renting the cottage on a year's lease or similar basis. In this event, the rent would be from thirty-five to forty dollars per month. I will try to communicate with Mrs. Merriman immediately, if I find that her arrival is not the matter of a few days.

It would be well if you could give me an idea of how long your stay down here will be so that I may give her an approximation of how long she may expect to rent the cottage to you. This information will have a direct bearing on the rental scale.

We are all looking forward to your arrival and hope to make your stay as fruitful as possible. If there is any advance information or data that we can assemble, please let us know.

Yours truly,

J. Lear Grimmer.