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Dear Dave,

Glad to get your airport note. I was worried about damage in shipment. I also arranged for Wednesday delivery in the hope that would mean you'd be able to do the painting before leaving. So it worked out well! Fine!

I wonder is there is any conflict if you have but a single tribe you work for.

But having too much to do is an answer anyway.

Idl is beginning to eat a little better and that is a good sign.

But when she walks out for the mail I make it a point to be at the door because those few steps are a bit much for her after that walk and she has stumbled at them several times.

'm knocking off for supper so now later.

Harold

August 31, 75  
Sept.

Dear Harold

In a hull before the plane departed I wrote to inform you the tables (pines) came & in perfect shape, moist green and ready. They arrived at 9:00 A.M. ~~the Wednesday~~ the 30<sup>th</sup>. I planted them immediately and we await the Spring. One plant I put in ~~good~~<sup>suited</sup> soil to see if it "worked" there, heavily prepared soil of course.

Yesterday also I received a phone call & a fax from Oregon Mountain Energy asking me to join them (for pay) as history consultant in a Bureau of Indian Affairs suit against for the Menominee against the local power company. The power company has a dam at the edge of the reservation.

Since I am with the Men. in a suit against the B. I. A. it seems like a conflict. But I am burdened by too much work already & will decline.

I trust Lil's health continues to improve.

Edith  
Dunlap