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June 7, 1924.

Dr. Casey Wood,
7 West Madison St.,
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Doctor Wood:

Two months or more ago I received from your Secretary a copy of your account of the trip to Fiji Islands and elsewhere. I did not reply with thanks at once, partly because I understood that you were then off on trip, and, besides, I have been very negligent of everything because of a long illness with "flu".

I wish to express my pleasure first that you were kind enough to put me on the list of friends to receive that sort of intimate communication; and then I have enjoyed it very much, not only as of scientific interest, but for the appeal in it to the sense of humor; for I am favored with a sense of humor.

Something in it gives me the idea that you have circulated a similar account of a former trip; an account of which I evidently failed to receive, perhaps because my friendship with you began too late to be on the former list.

I confess I rather hope you still have copies of the former issue, and may favor me with one. Meanwhile I hope you will check over the Bibliography of Bird Banding in recent Wilson's and let us know if you need anything in the list.

And I hope you will stop off sometime in Cleveland to see me and my traps; I am headquarters for ornithologists coming this way and would be glad to see you.

Only wire to make sure that I am here and I will reply honestly as to convenience.

Yours very truly,

S. Prentiss Baldwin

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Mr. Henry Mousley
4073 Tupper Street
Montreal, Canada

My dear Mr. Mousley:

Your continued interest in the work of my Laboratory is very gratifying. We have published very little for several years but are publishing now on the Measurements of Birds and I am sending you a copy.

We expect to publish a book on Physiology of Bird Temperatures this winter, and a book on the Role of Temperature in Environment and Migration next spring.

I much appreciate your sending me the fine volume on Vertebrate Zoology. It is of greatest value to us in our work when we try to go back and find out what has been done, as we must do in order to be thorough in our work.

The book on Vertebrate Zoology is certainly of greatest value as well as beautifully presented. Thank you.

Yours very truly,

S. Prentiss Baldwin

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