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Dear Don,

I hope that you are well and are blessed with nice weather. We have had only a bit of snow here and the campus looks really pretty.

I never got to meet Mr. Tixier because my teaching schedule would not permit a visit to Chicago, something I regret very much. Everyone there got a lot out of his visit.

The enclosed is something I would rather not send to you, as I know how busy you are, but I would like to ask you for a recommendation for the enclosed grant. I am going to be writing my dissertation this forthcoming year 1975-76 and would plan on spending that year in Greece if this grant comes through.

A lot of what I know now comes from the time I spent with you at the school, and so, I would really appreciate a letter from you. There is a stamped envelope included here. If you do have time to write a short note it can be directed to the - Director, Division of Social Sciences.

I have asked that the grant start by April 15, and if it does, I will be able to have a good head start on things.

Thanks ever so much, if you do have the time to drop a note.

Merry Christmas and Best Regards to Mrs. Crabtree,

Yours truly,

Harriet Blitzer

Harrett