July 25, 1922

Mr. William Wallace Lunt,
Hingham, Mass.

My dear Mr. Lunt:

I am in receipt of your letter of July 18 and of the package of books. I am very grateful to you for the trouble you have taken. It is all grist to my mill. I am particularly glad to have the Cornish books. I know they will give me much that I want.

Thank you, too, for taking the trouble to copy the inscription on the paper from the poor light house keepers.

I shall write Mr. Marble about the map a little later. I hope he will be willing himself to make it for me as a professional service. I think that I could afford to pay him what he would consider a fair price. I would want to, of course, and I don't know any other way in which I could get anything in which I would have full confidence.

I want among my illustrations a picture of a typical seventeenth century kitchen fire place with its furnishings, about the kind that one can fairly suppose Samuel Lincoln to have had in his home. Would not the fire place in the old tavern in the picture which you used be historically correct? I would appreciate your judgment upon this matter.

I am enclosing a check for $2.00, for the "Old Meeting House."

With renewed thanks, my dear Mr. Lunt, for your courtesies, believe me

Very sincerely yours,

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