

(sent) ~~Copy~~ Buder La Baire
 Service. France
 Aug. 16 - 1912.

My dear Mr. Piercy
 I have your letter of July
 24 with its kind appreciation
 of what you are pleased to ~~call~~
 regard as a public service. I
 wish my ~~rather~~ work were better
 worth your opinion. If you see
 fit to turn ⁱⁿ the papers I note
 to me as you say you have in
 your will, I shall, of course,
 give them a careful reading
 & if I find it practical make
 the best use of them I know how
 certainly a reform of our Court-
 is needed in many places &
 your scheme of Judicial Arbitration
 Boards is interesting. Thanking you
 for your letter as well as your invita-
 tion to call upon you when I am
 in Cal. Believe me, Dear Mr. P.,
 Very truly
 L. M. T.