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18th September, 1911.

Mr. Julius Wangenheim, President,

Board of Park Commissioners, San Diego, Cal.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 11th instant, we regret that having been obliged to sever our connection with your board because of its failure to be guided by our advice in important matters, we are unable to comply with your request as to advice for planting along the east side of West Drive in Balboa Park.

As to the matter of the extension of Sixth Street, we prepared four alternative plans with rough estimates of the quantity of grading involved and sent these plans with an explanatory letter to Mr. Blossom on 6th September.

We did not know just when Mr. Blossom would leave San Diego, but expected that he would present these plans to you and explain them, and transmit our recommendation. You will find these plans in the office of the

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director of works and also the letter to Mr. Blossom referred to. For your convenience, however, we enclose a copy of the letter herewith, from which you will see that we recommended plan "C", or if this should prove more expensive than can be agreed to at the present time, the modification of it marked "Plan D", in which the amount of the earth work is roughly estimated at about 38,000 cubic yards, of which over 11,000 would have to be obtained elsewhere than on the work itself.

Yours very truly,

Encl.