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June 14, 1954

Mr. Samuel Barber
Capricorn
Mount Kisco, New York

My dear Mr. Barber:

Thank you for your kind letter of June 10, with the program and the texts of the songs. They will be duly mimeographed for your and Miss Price's concert on July 17.

The concert hall will be at your disposal for rehearsal in the late afternoon, Saturday, July 16, as you wish.

Dr. Spivacke asks me to say that he is sending you a confirmation of your engagement by the Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge Foundation for July 17 at South Mountain. You and Miss Price each will receive a fee of \$500.00 for the concert, payment to be made by the Coolidge Foundation.

Would you be so good as to forward to me at your earliest convenience, publicity material about yourself, several glossy pictures, press book, also information about your compositions that have been recorded, etc. And may I impose further on your good nature by asking if you would please relay this request to Miss Price, whose address I do not have.

With many thanks, and looking forward to your coming to South Mountain, I am

Most sincerely yours,

Mrs. Willem Willeke
Musical Director
South Mountain Association