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c/a Holden
151 North Merion Avenue
Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania
July 15, 1966

Dear Mr. Ferrater Mora,

I was greatly pleased to learn that you thought Mr. Troutman to be a promising candidate for work in philosophy. Shortly after I received your note to that effect, he returned to San Francisco and told me how pleasant and instructive his interview with you had been. I hope that he'll apply to Bryn Mawr, and of course I rather hope that he'll undertake his graduate work here. In any event his conversation with you is bound to prove helpful to him as he tries to decide what he should do. At the very least it should have suggested to him that there are very real places and people far beyond the borders of California.

I am glad to be gone from that state, though it may turn out to be so that I shan't next year have students, so many students as bright and interesting as those I have known during this past year.

I have been in Bryn Mawr a week and during that time--besides getting settled--I have enrolled in an intensive Greek class at Villanova and I have sought and found a car. The Greek class is excellent if only I can keep up with the fantastically rapid pace of it. And I had great luck in my car-hunting: I have purchased a 1963 Ami-6 Citroën. It has only 24,000 miles on it, and it has been owned and maintained by a most pleasant young Frenchman who is himself a trained Citroën mechanic. He has loved the car and is passing it on to me in tiptop condition. Could you tell me, please, to what place or places you have customarily taken your car in this area for servicing? I shall have the car about ten days from now and shall need to know. Incidentally, I shall only begin to learn to drive then, too. Don't know anything about it right now. I am looking forward to it.

Please tell me, too, when you expect to return to B. M.
Sincerely, Julian