

Oct 6th 1923.
on board S.S. San Lorenzo.

Dear Bishop Ferrando:

Thank you for your two last letters which I have not answered because I knew I would see you and discuss them in person.

I hope Dr. Wood notified you of my cable that I would arrive on Monday the 8th.

This is the first ship I could take for the States.

I shall hope to see you in New York on Monday morning and go over the necessary matters before the meeting of the Department of Missions.

I want to explain one thing in my last letter about my being able to take all the clergy but that would not provide for you. I meant that simply financially, on the present appropriation for the purpose, a salary for you would have to be provided by a special appropriation from the Department. I hope every thing is going to be readily arranged at this meeting.

I regret that I left the matter in my letter so that it could be misunderstood.

Please give my warmest regards to Mrs Ferrando and looking forward to the pleasure of seeing you both in your home, believe me,

Very sincerely and affectionately
Chas D. Colman.