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VIKERY, JAMES B.

March 27, 1970

Mr. James B. Vickery
345 North Main Street
Brewer, Maine 04412

Dear Mr. Vickery:

As you know, we purchased copies of the tremendously fascinating ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE CITY OF BANGOR for this library. Some of us remember when....., but aside from nostalgia it is of course a really important and impressive collection of pictures and facts.

It seems to have been noted in the Bulletin of the Maine Library Association with an incorrect price -- or perhaps there was a paperback edition? At any rate, we will see that it is in the Maine in Print at its correct price.

How do you feel about its inclusion in the Maine Author Collection? You very likely know that this permanent exhibit is mainly of inscribed presentation copies, and that it included books by Maine writers, and books about the state. If you agree with us that your book would be a fine addition, we assure you that it would please us very much to be able to add it to the other Maine books. We trust that it has enjoyed a warm reception and brisk demand.

Sincerely yours

hmj

In Charge of
Maine Author Collection

June 16, 1970

Mr. James B. Vickery
Box 314
Brewer, Maine 04412

Dear Mr. Vickery:

It is with pleasure and appreciation that we acknowledge your gift of an inscribed copy of AN ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE CITY OF BANGOR for the Maine Author Collection.

To have assembled this information, and especially the pictures, in permanent form is certainly a fine accomplishment, and the book's value will but increase with the years.

Sincerely yours

hmj

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