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Dear Helen Bryan:

My personal notes these days are nil - and below, but this one to you since I've had no success contacting you the several times I've tried.

Under separate cover an invitation to a National Committee Chairmanship is

being mailed you - The choice indicated is but a suggestion - you to indicate preference.

I was more heart broken than you know when you maintained you "wanted nothing" that I knew, but I do want something - very much - you in some official, recognized capacity to your liking. This, I had hoped to talk over with you - but the opportunity has not presented itself.

Consequently, I have been troubled, thinking possibly my choice, first mentioned, did not interest you. Therefore, I have "kept on ice" pending word from you the following committees -

Flag
Genealogical Research
Lineage Research
DAR Magazine
Art Review Comm.
Museum

I sincerely hope the variety of-

first appeal. These are generally
considered "good" committees &
I have not offered any to anyone
in order to give you a choice in
addition to the first mentioned
"nicety" committee - PG's Reception
Room! or specialty (1 yr) - History Month!

Now, of course, I must move -
the directory deadline is upon me.
Won't you please review these and
give me a call for lunch the first
of next week? I'd be so grateful.

Frankly, Helen Bryan, I have
been working almost around the
clock in addition to numerous trips
out & circumventing "Waterloos" -