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Miss Grace Barneberg,  
550 Dana Street,  
San Luis Obispo, California.

My dear Miss Barneberg:

Your telegram confirmed, and I proceeded with the tentative plan as you suggested.

This is not my usual method since the tentative plan is usually included in the contract, and is submitted for your approval later. You may readily understand that since this is rushed neither the draftsmanship nor the ideas may be exactly as you desire them. However, it may give you some conception, and also the members of the council an idea of the arrangement of such a park square.

I am also sending you a copy of the specifications for your home place which I failed to enclose in the other letter.

I should advise saving money on other features rather than on the pergola and bandstand. I cannot see how this estimate may be appreciably reduced, and have anything that you would care to look at. If necessary, cut down on lighting and cut down on planting, and add to the sum already allotted for the pergola and bandstand. I will later show you a picture of one of the arrangements which I approve.

I will enclose suggestions for an improvement program which I hope will be of some help to your organization. I sincerely wish you success in this worthy project. I will do my utmost in the brief time that I have to offer suggestions which may appeal to the practical minded business men.

Very truly yours,

*H. W. Shepherd*

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