



## TREASURY DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON

November 26, 1904.

Mr. Elliott Woods,

Superintendent U. S. Capitol.

Dear Mr. Woods:

Permit me to once more trouble you about my little friends the squirrels. They have increased so rapidly on my side of the park that I feel sure they are crowded for house room, and the cold weather is approaching very rapidly. I feel a very great interest in them, for they are nice well behaved little fellows. If your carpenter could find time to make them two more houses it would give them a chance to lay in a stock of leaves for bedding before it is too late; and if the boxes were put up with the opening to the southward it would help some. !

The squirrels are a great addition to the park, and Mr. Grogan's ears would burn if he could hear all of the nice things that are said about its condition.

Very truly yours,

*Geo. A. Gustin*