

PALMER, MASS.

Earle A. Griswold
Malvern Farm, Dingley Dell
R.F.D. #1

10/3/47—Planted about 15 trees "during the past season",
Obtained from N.Y. and N.J. nurseries. Now in ex-
cellent condition.

10/27/47—One lot of trees from Rose Dale Nurseries, N.Y., and
and one lot from Wittman's in N.J. See this letter
for location of the trees

5/24/48—Trees in bad shape, due to severe winter

6/20/49—2 trees in excellent shape, 3 in fairly good shape;
3 sprouting from roots.

9/20/48—"All the trees I reported as dead have sent up new
shoots from the roots.

1949—Some correspondence regarding bearing shoots from
blight-killed trees.

5/9/51—2 lbs. seed FP-1496 *Castanea mollissima*

8/2/51—A little over 50% of seeds planted now up and many
are 12-16 inches high, and since 4 "have broken
through in the last week," he is hopeful that more
may develop. Actually 54 plants from 105 seeds now.

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Rec'd letter Oct. 21, 1952 stating had purchased
10 pounds of seed chestnuts from Arrowhead Farm.

Itr to Mr. Griswold Oct 29, 1952 advising how to
plant chestnut seeds.