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Dear Ted —

Just received the enclosed document, which will interest you.

Things are going well with Accessories, better than I ever imagined. Epstein has done a review, to appear on page one of Book World (Wash. Post) on 11/26/67; and Honor Cruise O'Brien has written a major review-essay, to appear in The Minority of One December issue. A number of the foremost critics (Salandria, Marcus, Epstein) have sent personal letters in the most extravagant terms — I am really moved and grateful. Mark here, on the other hand, has been making defamatory public attacks on the book — claiming that he was "tricked" into giving the jacket quote. For your Confidential information, I enclose some earlier correspondence re his quote (over)

from which you will be able to
assess the merit of his accusations.

When will your review appear in
The Villager?

Hoping you are well
and that we will manage to see
each other again before too long.

Sylvia Meagher