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Dear Tink,

It was very good to hear from you and I appreciate very much your kindness about the publication of my book. I got the news of the acceptance on December 28th, at which time I think you were away—or I was under the impression that you were away—or you surely would have been included in the rather wild telephone-spree in which I indulged myself that night! I notified all and sundry that the ms. had been accepted, largely, I suspect, so that it would become "real" to me by the very process of repetition.

You are most kind and generous to wish to share your new evidence with me. I am intrigued and excited! I am not sure that Spring will precede the cut-off date for last-minute additions or revisions of substance in my ms. but I surely hope that there will still be time—or that, at the least, your discoveries will not make my own treatment of 399, etc., anachronistic. In any event, I will be most happy to read your manuscript when it is ready, whatever the date, if I can possibly be helpful—although I am certain that there will be no "howlers."

I hope that we can get together before too long, for a general talk. As you say, we may be twinned in what I devoutly hope will be the final collapse of the fraud.

If Wecht indicates that he will be visiting New York, I will try to set up a date for the three of us. I have a few points on which to press him myself. Meanwhile, do let's stay in touch.

Affectionately,

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