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Dear Bill,

Unfortunately keeping all the records that might be useful is and has been
too much for me. Thus I do not have any records on when he phoned me, etc. I pro-
bably do have one on when I sent the manuscript to him but that would take some
digging in files that today is also a bit much. I did not make one under his name.

I have the duplicate, I always make. It may or may not be complete. The ori-
ginal is the complete one and is the one that has copies of the documentation
if there is documentation with the mansucript.

That I've not heard from him after 12 days can be because he is away or on
vacation but that need not be so.

I find it a bit provocative that he made the offer and did nothing and I can
only wonder why. Also about why he phoned to say he had almost finished it and
then sent nothing.

I don't know if a letter from a lawyer would do any good or not but if you
have the time it might be a good idea if you write him and ask for the return
to me of all he has.

Got started last week on getting a little file space upstairs. I had an
empty file cabinet in the basement. A friend who was one of Jerry's students
has started shifting what I call the "overflow" of the office files in the
basement to make room for more overflow from upstairs. Last week she did
about a sixth of it. She said she'd return this weekend and I'm hoping to see her
soon. I go over the file drawers and she takes to the basement what I think I'll
not need upstairs.

I think I figured out where the original of the first epilogue to Waketh
is and if I am correct I'll just forget about it. I think there was a time when
my friend Bill in California volunteered the services of the daughter who works
for him. That coincided with his expansion and getting a new computer that was
a problem for a long time. He expanded into larger quarters and that could
account for that epilogue disappearing in one of her files somewhere. I do have
the duplicate of it. Unless what you say proves this wrong. You never came back
on it.

I remembered that I had copies of the Brodersen correspondence with the duplicate. I
enclose that.

                                        Best to you both,

                                        Harold