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Mr. Weisberg:

I have done my best to help you out from the very first day I began typing for you until the present. Since this is not enough for you anymore, I will try to arrange a ride to Frederick on Saturday, October 5 since it is now too late to come tomorrow. I will also call to confirm that this is fine with you.

As of this moment I will cease typing and gather everything I have finished, as well as the chapters I have not begun. I will present them all to you on when we meet on Saturday. At that time I would like to collect my check that is due for the last few chapters I delivered (and never received payment for although I requested it be mailed to me) and also a check for the work I have completed since then.

On the one hand, I am truly sorry that this arrangement is not working out for you. On the other hand, I am glad that you have found someone to take over, since this has been more of a strain than I had anticipated. The long-distance working relationship was not suitable for either of us and I was having a terrible time finding someone to give me a ride to Frederick on a regular basis. As you have often said, I am a full time student and my studies come first. On that point alone I had expected that you would have been looking for someone with more time since with my studies I only could put in variable amounts of time usually between 5 and 20 hours per week.

I hope that whomever takes over is able to put out the amount of work you desire, and also follows the format I have laid out. At this point, I have completed chapter 27, and barely begun chapter 28. All the files are on a disk and have been typed using WordPerfect 6.1 for Windows, and follow correct page numbering.

I must say, Mr. Weisberg that I am surprised at your animosity toward me. I don't think it is deserved and has caught me by surprise since you and Mrs. Weisberg have always been very friendly and helpful. In fact, I had expected to part in a much more friendly manner.

Please consult with your new typist and arrange for him/her to meet with us on Saturday, October 5 around 2 pm at your home (or on a later date) so the material can be turned over.

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