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Dear Bill,

After your call, after I learned that Charles can print on both sides of the page and can do good bindings, I wondered if at some time in the future, when all these manuscripts are available, if it would be possible for each of the professors to have one or two bound copies. That would let them have one to lend students and one to keep in their libraries.

That way the information would be available to ^Scholars. Because it is all rough draft there should be some kind of notice in each that it is a rough draft and for scholarly use only.

The two biggest are pretty big. There will soon be one available on the Groden books. It has been retyped. One on a brown book is overdue getting to me. One of the big ones includes much. The other is on Mailer and his pal Schiller and their rotten book and rotten behavior. Which has been Schiller's all his life.

If cost is a factor please let me know but I think that if this could be done for scholars it would be helpful in people learning and in scholarly studies.

Truth is I've lost track of all I've done but the others can put it all together. I do have a copy of each thing here. I had one ^{bound one} that I loaned out and in two months it has not returned. To teachers, too! They phoned several days ago and ^{said} they'd returned it ten days ago. *Not here yet.*

It may not be possible, it may cost too much, but if not it might be useful to the professional scholars and those who study under them.

It was a pleasant surprise learning that Charles can do this and has. I had only one with that kind of binding, sent by Weichter, the one that has not been returned.

This occured to me when I went back to tell Lil about your call. I'm just thinkin' aloud, asking, trying to learn if it is practical, etc.

Thanks much for everything,

H/c r 06'