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Dear Dave,

A note from Dean Eagon enclosing an agreement I've signed and returned reminds me that certain formalities are necessary.

You have taken a few more records with you and when the trucker picks them up nine cartons more will follow.

This is to record that they are yours, subject only to the normal conditions of scholarship relating to rights of privacy.

After all these years I doubt there will be any such consideration.

It was a different world before Pearl Harbor.

I have not looked at those records since then.

Those records relating to the Dies committee are not complete. If and when I locate others you'll get them.

Some of the folders holding clippings about those of the left are probably because of the Dies interest in those people.

This can be the kind of thing in which there is no present interest or value. While in my view my saying these records are now yours I do not want you or the university to have any concerns, so you also have the right to throw any you regard as of no value away.

If I can recover all the Dies records I had you will have what I believe can be unique: an account of every cent of public moneys it spent.

When he can ⁱⁿ will draw up formal papers.

It was good to see you again. I hope there is a repeat soon.

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