19 April 1955

Mr. E. Ross Anderson Anderson-Nichols Company 150 Causeway Street Boston 14, Massachusetts Attention: Mr. Leo Rosen Mr. Robert Williams

Dear Birs:

My husband bids me acknowledge for him his grateful appreciation of the handsome floral gift he has received from the three of you. He also wishes to acknowledge the letters and bids me to say that he is grateful for your interest in the winning of the Folger Shakespeare Library award.

He is progressing satisfactorily and indeed has shown marked improvement in the last two days. The medical command, however, remains the same, approximately four weeks in the hospital and an additional month's rest at home.

I should like to add my own appreciation for your gift and letters.

Sincerely yours,

KLIZABETH SMITH PRIEDMAN