19 April 1955

Mr. John V. Connorton Executive Director Greater New York Hospital Association 369 Lexington Avenue New York 17, New York

Dear Mr. Connortons

This is a brief letter to thank you and Mrs. Connorton for your very prompt response to my news of my husband's illness and your "get well" greeting which was one of the cleverest we have ever seen.

Two days later, he received your letter written on 11 April containing your congratulations on the Folger Shakespeare Library award. We both thank you for your interest and congratulations in this matter. Your letter reached him on the 15th of April, although postmarked New York on the 11th, because it was forwarded first to his office on Nebraska Avenue and then to our home address.

Thanking you again for your friendly interest, I am,

Sincerely,

ELIZABETH SMITH FRIEDMAN