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TO

AFSA-252F, Attn: Hazelle Nelson

DATE. 5 April 1951

FROM

AFSA-OOT

SUBJECT.

Additions to the Riverbank Laboratory Series of Publications

1. Forwarded herewith for inclusion in the AFSA-O2 Library are photostats of the following publications in my personal collection of the Riverbank Laboratory Series:

Décryptement du Système Cryptographique du Commandant Schneider, Paris. 1921.

An Application of the Science Statistics to Cryptography. Appendix to Riverbank Publication No. 22. Paris, 1922.

Application des Methodes de la Statistique a la Cryptographie. Appendice a la Publication No. 22. Paris, 1922.

- 2. As in the case of Riverbank Publication No. 15, photostatic copies of these documents have been furnished, inasmuch as the original items are difficult, if not impossible, to obtain.
- 3. Should the ASA School Library desire copies of these documents for its collection, I shall be glad to furnish that institution with copies similar to these. Inasmuch as I believe you were instrumental in forwarding to me their recent request for additional documents for the Riverbank Series, would you be so good as to ascertain for me their wishes in this matter?

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN

Incls. 3
As noted above.

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DATE.

FROM

AFSA-OOT

SUBJECT.

Documents for AFSA Central Library

1. Forwarded herewith for inclusion in the AFSA Central Library are photostats of the following publications in my personal collection of the Riverbank Laboratory Series:

Décryptement du Système Cryptographique du Commandant Schneider, Paris, 1921.

An Application of the Science Statistics to Cryptography. Appendix to Riverbank Publication No. 22. Paris, 1922.

Application des Méthodes de la Statistique a la Cryptographie. Appendice a la Publication No. 22. Paris, 1922.

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WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN AFSA-OOT

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TO : AFSA-252-F

DATE: 16 Feb 51

FROM : Haselle Nelson

AFSA-OOT

Mr. Friedman

SUBJECT: Riverbank Publications for ASA School

In reply to your memorandum of 19 Jan 51 I am forwarding herewith for transmittal to the ASA School copies of Riverbank Laboratories Publications 22,75, and "Synoptic Tables for the Star Cipher". No. 15, which was also listed among those publications which the School did not have, I am forwarding in photostatic form, since the original of this publication is very rare.

I believe that with these documents the set of Riverbank Laboratories Publications at the ASA School will be complete.

William F. Priedman Afsa-oot

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TO AFSA-OOT DATE: 19 Jan. 1951

Mr. Friedman AFSA-252-F FROM

Hazelle Nelson

Riverbank Publications for ASA School SUBJECT.

ASA School checked its holdings of Riverbank Laboratories Publications and found the following to be present: Nos. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 50. They now request they be furnished only 1 each of the numbers they lack. Can you complete their set from your files?

AFSA-Library Officer

IRS from AFSA Library Officer dated 9/1/50

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- 1. About two years ago, I gave a complete set of the Riverbank Publications to the ASA School on an indefinite loan basis. I understand that they were deposited in "A" Branch of the School.
- 2. It is suggested that the ASAS Librarian be requested to ascertain whether the publications mentioned in Par. I above are still in the custody of "A" Branch and, if not, to advise whether a search elsewhere in the ASA School has been made for them.
- 3. Upon receipt of further information, I will be glad to be of any assistance in the matter.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN