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Dear Mrs. Wrigley:

Thank you very much for sending me the announcement of the opening of your new offices. I wish Pasadena weren't so far away!

For, really, I would like to make a visit to the new quarters, and most especially to browse among the books in the Arensberg Collection. By the way, do you have a listing of the items in the Collection which could be sent me for information?

You may be interested to learn that Mrs. Friedman and I have just about completed the manuscript of a book-length analysis of the various ciphers which are or have been employed in attempts to establish non-Shakespearean authorship theses. We hope to find a publisher, as the Cambridge University Press appears to be definitely interested in such a publication.

Wishing the Foundation and its workers success in their new quarters and with cordial greetings, I am,

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN