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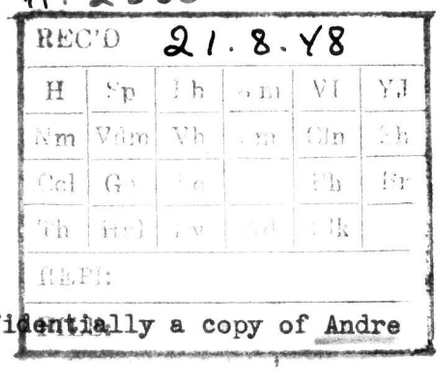


Mr. D. N. Heineman,
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Dear Dannie:

I am sending you confidentially a copy of Andre Meyer's letter to me of August 17th.

Upon its receipt I called Andre and told him that I was not informing George Messersmith of its contents; that I had seen George Woods subsequent to Andre's and my last talk and had prepared a memorandum which I had sent George Messersmith and you and that I still felt I would shortly hear from George Messersmith and this whole matter be harmoniously settled. Andre thanked me and told me he would not take any action on his resignations until he heard further from me.

You will observe in the last paragraph of my memorandum to George Messersmith how I suggest handling the matter. If George Messersmith agrees to that I am sure everything will be all right.

Always yours,

J. Donald Duncan
(M.L.)

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Enc.