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Dear Red:

The tapes themselves and your manuscript are here and I have begun work. I should be able to get the corrected script off to you, plus the biographical notes, within the coming week.

I am so very pleased with your generous comment about me and Shadow and Act. Whether for public print or not, I personally value your words.

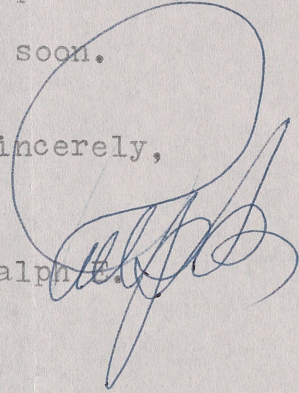
You should know too that the Rockefeller Foundation has given me a nice bite of a grant, which came in time to prevent my signing a contract with the State University of N.Y., Thank God. My thanks to you and to Danny Hoffman for this unexpected piece of good luck.

Fanny and I hope that you, Eleanor and the kids are having a happy time and that there will be no additional bouts of infection, accidents or what-have-you to interfere with work and pleasure.

You will hear from me again soon.

Sincerely,

Ralph



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