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Dr. Hugh O'Neill, The Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.

Dear Dr. O'Neill:

I wish to thank you very much for sending me two reprints of your recent paper, "Botanical Observations on the Voynich Manuscript". I am very happy to have this item to add to my collection and will ask Colonel McGrail if he wishes to have a copy.

I also wish to take this opportunity to transmit my personal thanks through you to Dr. Petersen for his courtesy in making available to us the complete photostatic copy of the Voynich Manuscript. A recent letter from Miss Nill advises that a negative photostatic copy is being sent to our group and this should be very helpful to us.

With cordial greetings, I am,

Sincerely yours,

William F. Friedman, Director of Communications Research.

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