

Copy for Doris Dana

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Miss Joan Daves
Marie Rodell and Joan Daves, Inc.
15 East 48 Street
New York, 17, N.Y.

Dear Miss Daves:

Just before leaving for Greece Doris Dana phoned me asking me to get the corrections for the second edition to you as soon as possible.

About January first, perhaps before, I shall send you a corrected copy of the book to be forwarded to Aguilar. You will find the proof reading signs slightly different from the American ones. . . I have followed the signs that Aguilar uses.

I am sending you in this letter the corrected paragraph for the introduction. As you know Aguilar wrote that paragraph on page xi from a longer explanation which I sent them. In this new paragraph I simply say that this is an authorized definitive edition; I identify myself and Doris. I omit the part regarding the inclusion of new poems because this is not exactly true.

I shall include this corrected paragraph in the proper place in the corrected copy of the book that I will send you later. In this letter I enclose a copy of it for you and for Doris. I would send it to Doris directly had I her address but I forgot to ask her for it on the phone.

As I understand, Aguilar has agreed to the following:

- 1) to number all the poems (they will be numbered in the corrected copy)
- 2) to change introductory notes (new paragraph will be in corrected copy)
[It is enclosed in this letter]
- 3) to make changes indicated in the text of the poems (these changes amount to changing no more than a complete line, they will not necessitate any radical change. . . pagination etc. will not change)

In the copy of Aguilar's letter of May 13, 1961, which I have they do not agree to point 4 of your letter of May 2, 1961:

"4. You will send proofs to Miss Bates for corrections, and you will not go to press before you have our written release to do so."

Since their reaction to this apparently is silence I would not insist on it but simply pray. . . they seem to be in good faith. You might suggest that they give me a deadline and if the proofs are not back to them by that date then they can go ahead. It would take me only a day to go over the proofs.

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