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Dear Jack:

The prepublication party for the SELECTED POEMS OF GABRIELA MISTRAL at La Libreria was impressive; I am really sorry that you missed it. Henry Raymond was there, and he has another date with Doris so that we are hoping for a good spread in the New York Times sometime in the future.

I am dreadfully sorry to hear about the disappointing printing of the first edition. The copies which were sent to New York must have been very carefully selected because they looked just fine to anyone who had not been especially briefed.

My office was sent ten of the paperbound copies by La Libreria, which I shall use for promotion and foreign submissions. In addition, we should have at least two file copies of the hard bound edition, plus three copies for use on foreign rights. These copies can come out of the initial printing provided they do not show any obvious faults, or else they might be sent us as soon as the new printing is available. Any charges for these copies should be made against the author's royalty accounts, with statements sent to our office.

With best wishes and regards,

Joan Daves/cs

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b/c Doris Dana

Dear Doris:

In order to organize and facilitate later bookkeeping: If you have the Press send you copies of the book, for whatever purpose, please ask them to send the charge slip to us. If copies are sent to you for legitimate promotion or publicity use, they should not be charged by the Press. If on the other hand you want books at author's discount to supply your friend with, these will be charged against your royalty account. Statements of these charges will be kept here in our office so that the deductions from your royalty earnings can be checked out. Whenever my office orders copies charged against your royalty account we always note the specific use they are put to.

Yours, for law and order even in Baltimore,

Love - Wm.

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