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Dear Doris:

I hope by the time you receive this note your cat fever has abated. As I told x on the telephone we are at fault, the mistake was in not accepting the fact that Pussy Willow is a cat, in giving her citizenship etc. When she demonstrated her catness we were surprised. Although I do remember that I ran into my room and shut the door when I saw her and the white dog together. You must have a fine handsome rug now; no wonder poor x kept looking at mine and worrying about a fire.

x wants you to send the address of that rich Sra. Nigel to:

Mr. Fausto Soto
5617 Grove Street
Chevy Chase
Washington 15, D.C.

It was Fausto (he is very nice, very cultured) who came for x with Aguilera. I let Marta recount the incident. x was supposed to see his little girl, 14 months, Mariamela, but then refused to go because of Aguilera. Fausto is at the Chilean Embassy here.

We had bets on the result of Pisiffo's marriage-- Mrs. Jara (who was very sorry you couldn't come) and I think she will have one boy and two girls; Marta: 4 (2 girls, 2 boys); Mistral: 3 (abstained from voting on sex).

PERSE: I am sending along Perse's book that he dedicated to x. He told me he met her 5 years ago at Mrs. Biddle's house with Juan Ramón Jiménez. (here in Washington)

TAPE RECORDER: (serial number 4847)

Your model is ~~number~~ T 10. About that attachment on the right side that I mentioned on the telephone: it really won't do you any good because you don't have a Hi-Fi set. I had it put on especially for mine (cost \$7.50) [I will send you the rest of the attachment you might want to play it at Carol's]. The amplifier in the Revere T 10 can't compare to an amplifier that costs \$100.00 for instance. If you have a good amplifier you want to by-pass the revere amplifier. With this attachment you play through your own amplifier and speaker.

TAKING PROGRAMS OFF THE RADIO AND TELEVISION--you have an attachment for this.

EARPHONES--do you want them? I thought they would be very good for you because you could work in the bedroom with them --x would see you, wouldn't be calling you, and at the same time you wouldn't disturb her. X could listen for telephone and door bell, perhaps. You would have your nose free to detect rug fires etc.

SPLICING--I send you an example--not perfect the scissors cut a little too deep.

SPARE PRESSURE AND ERASE PADES - never have ^{had to} used them

TUBES - before sending the machine to you I have the tubes tested--they put one new one in - 12AX7.

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