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Mr. J.H. Gipson, president,
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Dear Jim:

Regarding your inquiry concerning comments of your head reader in relation to Drummers and Dreamers and quotation marks:

I concur with you that quotes are unnecessary, both from the standpoint of following the Manual of Style and from clarity.

It was written that way originally, since in most of the instances it led in by "he said" or such a reference. Moreover, the use of smaller type makes it obvious to the reader that it is quoted material. But it is my recollection that is the way the msct. was returned to me by the corrector and on pages typed over, I followed the corrections.

I noted too that all the brackets [] had been carefully marked with fingernails in red () and was at a loss to understand that but made no comment. I had examined the McWhorter manuscript carefully and noted that brackets were drawn in in ink. Before my msct. was prepared I had my typewriter, loaned to the typics, equipped with [] to help give a clean manuscript.

Please go ahead as is proper in the matter of the quotes.

A separate letter concerning the circulars goes out in the same mail.

Sincerely

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