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14647 Dickens Street,
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Dear Mrs. Wilck:

I have been expecting a note from you, having heard nothing re Sorority Row since last Aug. 8 when Mrs. Miller noted copies (2) had been delivered to you. I assume you received them and presented them in proper places.

For weeks I have been sweating out a torn ligament in an ankle, painful to the extent it disrupts my homework. Since I had to keep on the job, my doctor said I would be bothered with it until November. The pain has decreased, even though I have kept on my feet. The alternative would have been three weeks in bed with a cast.

I have gone through a preliminary re-arrangement of the chapters and started a rewrite of chapter I, but it is a long way from being ready for the typist. I had hoped to have it laid down to her last month.

For your confidential information my friend here, Vic Hurley has just sold a 250,000 deal (Sparta, about 50 BC, Phoenecia) to Fleet McCullum, with ~~xxx~~ whom Vic was working, straightening out McCullum's Eisenhower Family and the Scoop Conlon movie deal took it to New York and it was there 16 days when Hurley got a call on its sale. Advance and a 20 per cent royalty after 10,000. Some chapters are on their way to Hollywood for a look-see. The two McCullum deals which are being printed at Seattle will hit the market about Nov. 15. Vic is pretty sharp on writing. His association with Alan LeMay some years past gave him a little something extra.

I do hope something is stirring on Sorority Row, or that you have time to drop me a note about it.

Tried to steer some of McCullum's typing to Mrs. Miller but it had to be done in Seattle. Hope things have been going well with you.

Personal Regards

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