15 August 1949

Dr. Luther H. Evans
Librarian of Congress
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dr. Evans:

Thank you very much for your note of 4 August. I was very glad to send the book of autographs and especially to a place where it is received with the appreciation indicated.

It is awfully kind of you to extend such a cordial invitation as is contained in your note and just as soon as I can spare the time I will be very happy to avail myself of it. At that time also I may have an opportunity to renew acquaintance with Dr. Blickenader for whom I had the pleasure of meeting a couple of months ago.

Reciprocating your kind regards, I am

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Dear Colonel Friedman:

I appreciate very much your thoughtfulness in sending me the book of autographs of the kings of Sweden. It is a beautiful thing and we shall cherish it.

It has been a long time since I have had an opportunity to talk with you. If your work is a bit slack, please call me up and join me for lunch.

With kind regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Luther H. Evans
Librarian of Congress

 Colonel William F. Friedman
Special Assistant to the Chief
Army Security Agency
Washington 25, D. C.
25 July 1949

Dr. Luther H. Evans
Librarian of Congress
Washington, D.C.

Dear Dr. Evans:

In clearing out some odds and ends of books in my personal collection, I came across one which might be of sufficient interest to the Library of Congress to warrant its deposition in the Swedish section. It is a collection of autographs of the various Kings of Sweden, and the book is enclosed herewith for deposit or other disposition, as you may see fit.

The item was presented to me by the head of the Swedish firm Aktiebolaget Cryptoteknik, when I visited his works in 1946. I thought it too beautiful a piece of work to throw out, an opinion I hope you will share.

With cordial greetings, I am

Sincerely yours,

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Special Assistant to the Chief
Army Security Agency

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