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Washington, 15, D. C.
18 January 1946

Dear Miss Mortimer:

I must begin by apologizing for the long delay in acknowledging receipt of your note of September 25, forwarding Mr. Ross' paper on undeciphered languages. I hope you will be good enough to convey my sincere thanks to Mr. Ross and to tell him that I have enjoyed reading his paper, which I hope he will publish in some journal devoted to such subjects. I also wish to thank him for the reprint of an article in the Journal of the Polynesian Society. I am happy to add that to my collection.

I hope this tardy response finds you in excellent health and continuing to do the very interesting things that occupied you during the war.

My very best greetings to you and to my many friends for the New Year.

Sincerely yours,

William F. Friedman

25 September
1945

Dear Mr. Friedman

Mr Ross has asked
me to pass on to you his
notes on undisciplined
languages & an article
in the Journal of the Polynesian
Society.

I hope you had a good trip
back, I expect it is still
summer with you, the weather
is 15° and hot here.

Yours sincerely

S. C. M. Allen