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Dear Al:

Each issue of the Newsletter brings with it another view of the Society's growth and development. Martha and I read these avidly, as they represent a contact with our past.

It has been two years since I accepted the responsibility to develop the laboratories in St. Louis, and I have recently written a summary of this. I am enclosing a copy for your information and if it is of any help to my many friends, you may abstract what you would like. The story is largely written here.

For the past few months, the administrative demands have become increasingly less as my associates have accepted various of the burdens. This has given me an opportunity to return to the laboratory and I have been able to undertake a number of studies myself. The computer analysis of the EEG, and the psychopathological assessment of the severe mentally ill are both under my direct supervision.

Keep up the good work with the Newsletter. Martha joins me in sending our regards and best wishes to Barbara and to all our friends in Great Neck.

Sincerely yours,

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