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AIR MAIL

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Geneva, Switzerland

Dear Mr. Marthaler:

In discussing our common interests with Dr. Joseph Jaffe of New York, he indicated that you were experienced in various procedures of automatic documentation. I am writing, first to obtain copies of your recent articles, especially those prepared for the Moscow Symposium of November, 1963.

This institution is a new research facility, affiliated in many of its endeavors with Washington University. My own interests are similar to those of Dr. Jaffe in part. In addition, we are anxious to provide facilities for psychiatric research. Central to these will be a documentation center. It was for this reason, in part, that we became immediately affiliated with the computer center of Washington University. That center has an IBM 7072 facility. This institution has been equipped with an IBM 1710-1620 unit, largely because we have special interests in analog-to-digital conversion. Our arrangement with the University provides for the mutual exchange of computer time.

Dr. Jaffe indicated that you may be interested in coming to the United States. In the event that that interest still exists, I should be pleased to discuss such an appointment with the staff at the University. It may be possible that your experience would fit in very well with our mutual needs.

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Dr. Jaffe extends his best regards.

Sincerely yours,

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Director

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