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Dear Pete:

Thank you very much for your letter of 28 July. I have been slow in answering it since I thought it well to wait until the German book arrived, which it did this morning. I enclose herewith my check for \$4.72 to cover the cost. The German edition is far more detailed than the American and I am all the more glad to have it for that reason.

Your bits of personal news about Bowen and Roberts were appreciated. I note also you plan to come to Washington for a short visit in late September; by all means you must save some time for us.

It was good to learn of the improvement in your health and we both hope you will continue to play golf and get some recreation.

As for me, I am making steady progress but I must say that the hot weather interfered somewhat with my being able to get out and walk around out-doors enough to regain strength. We have had much cooler weather now for a couple of days and it represents a good break for me.

Elizabeth joins me in sending affectionate regards.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN

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