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Dear Brother Delbert:

I am beginning work on the W. T. Journal, getting quotations from both Edwards Brothers in Ann Arbor who printed it last year and the E.N.C. Press which is so much closer and easier to work with. Of course I will seek for the best price.

The records show that reprints were necessary for several back numbers, and I wonder if 2500 or 3000 copies might be preferable to the 2000 printed last year.

Last year the printing of the membership added considerably to the cost. Is it the policy of the W.T.S. to do this each year, and should we continue it? Personally, from the present vantage point, I hardly see the value in terms of expense. We will need to do a good deal of trimming of articles this year to keep the journal below 100 pages.

In this regard, we will have more than enough without Herbert McGonigle's article, the one given on tape. It is twice as long as the average sought, and unless it was promised publication, I think it best to exclude it. I judge that Richard Taylor arranged for it and so I will ask him if any promise was made.

There were eight papers this year. Dr. Arnet's is rather long and I judge Wayne Thompson's may need some shrinking. I do not have his address and sincerely hope he sends his paper soon. When I asked for it he said it was not in good shape and he would send it. Do you have his address?

The time was so short after I had received the shock at the election, that I could neither think of the needed questions nor anticipate the problems. I will be in touch with Dr. Peisker as well as yourself.

It is my plan to publish all the papers except the one mentioned above, for I see none which should be eliminated because of quality or content. I will write you and the other members of the executive on this again.

It was good to be with you again.

Cordially,

Harvey J. S. Blaney