

December 11, 1976

Dear Clyde:

Thanks for sending me the Sherman material. I've just finished reading the long thing and in my opinion it is much better than the first one although I feel it is still too long.

In general, I agree with your description of things that happened, ~~xx~~ except your description of the Sunday afternoon meeting. Three of us here remember the details differently, in fact, more as Harold describes them. But then, who can remember for sure after 35 years?

We have had almost no inquiries about the book or Sherman - I think only three and those when the book was first discovered.

Christy, Edith, and I will write something to be notarized and put with your paper in the safe in case anything comes up in the future.

By the way, I remember that you ridiculed Meredith's title for his paper. That was not his choice. It was changed by the lawyer, and none of us were happy with it, including Meredith. In fairness to Meredith, I thought I should tell you that, in case he didn't mention it.

I'm enclosing a sheet which gives the names of the "Officialdom," by which I suppose you mean the trustees of the Foundation and the Executive Committee of the Brotherhood.

Hope you and Florence have a fine holiday.

My best,

Harry's term as Treasurer expired in June. Apparently the only one you missed was Lynne Kulieke. And Jim Mills is not one of the officials now.