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Dear Mr. Metcalf:

Will you pardon me for my long delay in thanking you for your letter of May 21st concerning my inquiry as to whether the New York Public Library had in its manuscript file the correspondence between Karl Marx and Abraham Lincoln. I have been ill or you would have had an earlier reply.

S I think you are quite right in supposing that what Daniel Hoan has in mind is the Sorge correspondence. I am passing on to him the information you give me as to that.

a Thanking you again for your prompt attention to my query which certainly merited a prompt acknowledgment believe me

Very sincerely yours

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