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Dr. Jaroslav Nemec
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Dear Dr. Nemec

I was sorry to hear while talking to you on the phone the health problems with your wife. You have to overcome as God shall give.

The Bivins Library sent for the books and they should be in your hands shortly. I need the material in preparation of a biography of Billroth and I appreciate your cooperation very much. I am now in private practice and non-university affiliated and this is the reason I am making the request through the public library.

Many thanks!

Sincerely

Karel B. Absolon, M.D.

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