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Mr. George Alberts
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Dear George:

Recently we got a letter from a Mr. Thomas I Potts, from the community playthings outfit, confirming an offer made to you over the telephone. We wrote to Mr. Potts, asking for more information concerning the extent of the offer. We would like to know something from you, too, as to what he said over the telephone. We are reluctant to just send in an order for what we NEED. Naturally, we don't want to take advantage of his naivete.

Furthermore, could you give me a little background on the Society of Brothers? I'm confused about the relation of the Brothers to Community Playthings, and just who is giving the money, etc.

They specifically mentioned Greenwood and Meridian as places where they would like to supply playthings. Meridian won't be built until next year; do you think we could suggest Jackson, where there is a kindergarten teacher who is dying for some of that stuff for her day care program? About Greenwood, WHO do we write to? Mary Lane was indefinite, so I don't know whether to leave it all up to Miss Pilcher or not. Just what is the status of your day care proposal? In limbo? Being handled from afar? I can't find anyone in Greenwood who is interested, although I'll grant you I haven't tried any farther than the office by telephone. I'll contact anybody you say.

I'm putting off ordering for Greenwood until you tell me more stuff. As far as I know, there is someone in Greenwood who knows exactly what that day care center needs, and I'm reluctant to just write away to them.

Yours truly,

Lois Chaffee

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