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Dear Manny:

Thanks for your good note.

I thought I sent the prepublication copy of the review addressed both to Dick and you for comments, but apparently you didn't get it. I'd like to put together a review of the medical literature pertinent to the insurance industry, but won't get to it for a while. If you keep a reference file on such items let's talk about the possibility later.

Look forward to seeing you in Washington.

Regards,

Henry Blackburn, M. D.

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Dear Henry:

I enjoyed seeing you at the Life Insurance Medical Directors' meeting and am pleased with the laudatory references to you and your work which are becoming so frequent.

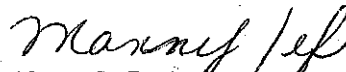
I have just come across your excellent review article, "Antecedents of Disease. Insurance Mortality Experience," in the Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences, Volume 134, Pages 965-1017, February 28, 1966. I would very much appreciate receiving a reprint of this article especially since I find myself quoted three times in it.

I see that you are on the program of American College of Cardiology in Washington this February and hope to say hello to you at that time.

I am working on a study of "First Degree A-V Block in the Aged" and will let you know more about it at that time.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,



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