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Dear Dr. Gowen:

I am inclosing, herewith, a copy of my recent correspondence with Dr. Gerty regarding the Illinois report. Prior to this I have talked with Dr. Rosenthal on three occasions since our last meeting and also to Dr. Sherman and Mrs. Walters who was the social worker at Illinois. Mrs. Walters has submitted a detailed and apparently very creditable report to Dr. Gerty, as has Dr. Sherman. Dr. Rosenthal, who by the way is still on our payroll, has repeatedly stated that he has not found the time but that he is working on it. I have informed him of the urgency of his report.

Pursuant to your recent teletype message I will send you a report within the next few days. I have been trying to await the return of Dr. Gerty from vacation, which I understand will be next Wednesday, so that we might at least have a general statement from Illinois to add to the other reports for purposes of the budget committee. Then at such time as Dr. Rosenthal finds time to submit his report we will then combine the three documents to be printed in a permanent form in accordance with our previous discussions.

With very best regards, I am

Yours very truly,

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