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Dear Uncle George:

I went yesterday to see Miss Gillmor of the Bollingen Foundation. I think the important thing now is to get official estimates of everything for which an estimate has not been made.

Lehrbuch

As I recall it, the estimate on this related only to your manuscript of the actual text of the Grammar itself, without any front or back matter. I see by the way that the Chicago Press is advertising the book as having 208 pages. I don't know whether this figure is supposed to include front and back matter. I suppose that the front matter will include foreword, detailed table of contents and list of abbreviations, and the back matter only a bibliography.

Chrestomathy

Miss Gillmor would like to have you provide the Chicago Press with material so that they can make an estimate on the cost of printing this. I gather from your letter of 21 October that you wish to have the Chrestomathy in the same format as the Grammar, although the sample page provided by Augustin was in the smaller format of the second edition of the Grammar. I think it would be well to bring the text material down to the lowest bulk that you feel would be reasonable for the representation of the various dialects and sub-dialects. To this will be added the glossary and I suppose a few pages of front matter.

I had spoken to Miss Gillmor about the separate printing of the reading exercises after you gave me your ideas about this several months ago, but the extent of the Chrestomathy was of course a surprise to her as I had not known of your plan for such a large amount of text, and so had not informed her. I do not get the impression that it is hopeless to try to get the Bollingen Press to undertake the Chrestomathy, but I cannot say it is certain that they will do it. Perhaps Bill Edgerton or other friends at the Oriental Institute could help you in the matter of presenting these things to the Chicago Press. Getting an estimate on the Chrestomathy is of course more important than the estimate on the front and back matter of the Lehrbuch.

With love to all,

Affectionately,

Ludlow

Ludlow Bull

Chrestomathie

- 1) Lesestücke und Wörterverzeichnis: bilden, wie in der alten Grammatik, den zweiten Teil des Buches. Sie werden nun räumlich, zu Nutzen der Benutzer, getrennt.
- 2) Räumlich ^{ist} ~~sind~~ in der alten Grammatik das Wörterverzeichnis ein Drittel des Textes der Lesestücke.
- 3) Der Anschlag 25 Bogen Text (396 Seiten) vielleicht zu hoch, eine Kürzung möglich (auch nach Bonnet)?
- 4) Wiederhol. Seiten können beivilligt werden?

5) Jahrdinge Texte	120	Seiten
bohairische "	100	"
arabisch "	32	"
subarabisch "	16	"
farjennisch	16	"

284 " = ca. 18 Bogen

Plus: Glossar . 6 "

Zusammen 24 "

- 6) Ich werde vorschlagen als Höchstes

20 Bogen Text

7 " Glossar

27 Bogen

Dann haben wir freien Spielraum

das aus Bull
21/x vorgeplagen!

- 7) Kosten nach Augustin's Voranschlag:

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8) K² (1904) : Grammatik: 242 S.

Lesestücke, Glossar: 104 "