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Mr. Henry P. Mills
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Via FAX (512/441-7999) and Mail

Dear Henry:

Your work with the Walker Percy Educational Project is of considerable interest to me (as a member of the project's Board of Directors) and to LSU Press. As you know, the Press has had an important history with Walker Percy, as friend and advisor and as a great man of letters. Publications on our list of literary studies about Percy and his work have met with critical and commercial success, and we have every reason to hope to add additional titles on Percy to our catalogs.

I understand that you will be promoting many forms of scholarship on Percy and encourage you to keep LSU Press in mind when you are ready to discuss such projects further. We will appreciate appropriate referrals of manuscripts and other materials for potential publications as they are generated by or flow through the project.

We would also be interested in exploring a collaborative arrangement for the development, publication, and distribution of a CD-ROM version of some or all of Walker Percy's works, his sources, and the growing body of literary criticism about his life and work.

Depending on a number of factors, such as timing, we may also be interested in taking part in sponsorship of a conference associated with the Walker Percy Educational Project.

Congratulations on your excellent creative service to date with the WPE Project, Henry. It's a pleasure to work with you.

Sincere best wishes,

Maureen G. Hewitt

Assistant Director & Editor-in-Chief

