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Dear Kit,

Our letters crossed, but I wanted to thank you for sending me your excellent review, and to tell you how much I enjoyed it. I hope Ateneum was sent a copy. I'm not surprised about the picture situation; it's a mess, but I'll try to have it remedied - there is an excellent picture of Staley and me together in Great Shelford, and if I can get my broker to print copies, I'll have it distributed, but photographers seem to be a temperamental lot. Anyway, your review and enclosures made my day, and gave me the illusion of contact with the great world again - thank you so much.

Glad to hear the news about Tommy. Your political life sounds most lively.

Corinne calls from time to time, and she does seem to have partially recovered. I wish that I could do more for her; she has so few supports, and Staley's death completely threw her.

All success to your many endeavors, and to Representative Thomas.

Love,  
Phil <sup>'68</sup> [Pettingill]