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Prof. Mathew Meselson,  
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Dear Professor Meselson,

I have at last completed the **FIRST** draft of my paper on Steed's 1934 revelations on German BW activities. In due course and after correcting, the usual number of redrafts, etc., etc., I plan to submit it to "Intelligence & National Security".

I would appreciate it greatly if you would read it over and give me the benefit of your advice, comments, and corrections. You will see that I have quoted yourself re. Andre Mayer. His anecdote is a simple and logical way of making sense of the Metro "experiments" and the cryptic foolscap document. But I have left it open that it might have been a forgery, though I doubt it. I have sometimes wondered whether it might have all been forged by the Germans, except that their response was inept.

There are a number of other problems with this script and the analysis, which have yet to be solved. Most are fairly obvious.

The news from eastern Europe and the USSR is astounding. What is the plural of annus mirabilis? My classical education has left me.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

With thanks and best wishes,

Yours Sincerely,



Martin Hugh-Jones