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Feb 17th

Dear Unwin,

I am desolated to hear that the publication will need to be delayed. I had been making my arrangements to get away on the strength of your last note. But I know that you cannot help it. Of that I am sure. But could you not let me know generally the date so that I could arrange. At any rate wire me as soon as you hear by cable, for it is of extreme importance to me. I only get south once a year and there are a whole world of visits and engagements to be fitted in. Also there are local matters to be arranged here as if I were a great publisher going to America... a least on a little smaller scale.

You cannot of course issue review copies till you publish, that constitutes publication does it not? You might let me have twenty five as soon as possible however, and I shall undertake that none of them get into the hands of reviewing people – or even if you can only let me have one or two copies, that will always be something.

I am just going to look over the prospectus and return it

With kind regards and in hopes to see you before hope is too long deferred.

Ever truly yours

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PS I am glad to hear the Raiders is being well ordered. I had a note from Mr John Heywood saying that he had thought so highly of the Stickit that his first order was 104 copies. He began with 12 Stickits ten months ago.