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Dear Professor Ferrater Mora:

By now you should have received my paper for the Eastern Division meeting.

No amount of apologizing can excuse the inconvenience my tardiness must have caused you. There were, however, circumstances: two months ago our whole family was infested by a skin fungus. And though it has been a painless affliction, care, treatment, and sanitation have taken an immense amount of time. And the paper was the only thing I could postpone. In any case — I'm terribly sorry.

The paper is not only late, it is not as good as it should be. You should have no trouble finding weaknesses in it. But I think I have a point or two, and I look forward eagerly to discussing it with you. — The documentation is not entirely in order, but I don't think it should confuse you. CUP = Postscript, COD = Dread, etc.

See you in Atlantic City.

Sincerely,



Louis Mackey