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Dear Lawton:

I hear from Henry
Canby you have writ
a play. Won't you
give me the details
about it so I can
get Phoenix to lay an
egg for you in The Phoenix
Nest. The Bird regards
you faithfully.

Bill
(W.R.B.)



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William Rose Benet

130 West 12th Street
New York 11, N. Y.

May 6, 1948.

Mr. Lawton Mackall,
406 Pape Building,
Staten Island 4, N.Y.

Dear Lawton:

Your friend the doctor's
description of Casey is amusing,
but I think it is a bit too long
for what it has to say. Tell
him that I wish I had room for
it just now, but I simply haven't.

I am glad that they are sell-
ing the Kinsey book for Mother's
Day!

As ever,

Bill

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