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Dear Professor Bennett!

I've written to you some weeks ago, but I think my letter has been lost somewhere — I wonder if you have the same address (I think you should).

Till July 1978 I'm allowed to stay and work at Yale as "Visiting assoc. professor in linguistics"; I try to use ~~for~~ this possibility for my work in Anatolian languages, etc. The library is good (though many things are lacking) but books come very slow to the shelves. For me <sup>it</sup> is very important to have current bibliography in work which I'm interested in (to get them as soon as possible).

Is it possible that you sent me "Nester" to Yale? I haven't received "Nester" for about 2 years (or even more).

I've written to my wife (who is still in Moscow) and asked her to find out about sending to you and other colleagues.

the Book "Tayny dreunix pis'm'on"  
(about decipherment; translations and com-  
mentary), which I have made being  
in Russia and which appeared now  
but not under my name (under the  
name of I. M. Dyakonov; I've asked  
him to "take" the book). The other book  
which I have <sup>and published</sup> written in Moscow was  
destroyed after my departure.

I'd be very thankful to  
you for "Nestor" as well as any  
other work of you and your colleagues.

Sincerely yours —

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