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Dear Ruth ---

By George !!!! it works. That's because of - well, the generous assistance of Tom P. He has produced (after a good spell of whining "Where is a Typewriter???? Please!!!!

So, one day he came up with a nice machine like this one, IBM Correcting Selectrid II RED as CAN BE. It will take a bit of time to get used to it, and I'll make lots of mistakes but it will please me to have this pretty much like the GOOD old days.

Yes, I'm here in Austin, at the generosity, or enthusiasm of Tom P.

That you stay a bit or more in Cincinnati pleases me (Ha, I see I can correct by backing up and over-riding! I would be happy to get down or up to Cincinnati. But I'm pretty much settled here. I've got a house, within walking distance (by MY estimation) from the University.

But there has just been a big bit of Trouble (one must keep the keys in the right places under the fingers!

Anyhow, just a few days, I was halfway walking home, and I passed a small place surrounded by bits of trees, or somethings. I Tripped. Fell down. Was assisted, managed to walk over, with assistance, to the streetcar place, and then helped up, assisted, and called for official persons, called to Tom P very promptly, and brought home. Anyhow, I had fallen flat down on some concrete passageway. Hit, face down, and bumping the eyebrow, left eyePolice, drivers, and soon Tom, showed up, and things were taken care of very soon.

So today, my glass is in good shape, and I can wear it well enough enough

Anyhow, Tom took me home - and Yesterday I took myself down to the Univ universe, with a bit of scab on the left elbow, AND A FINE TYPEWRITER!!!!

That's enough for the time Please just count this as practice, which is about as much as I can make it today.