

November 2, 1932

Mr. William L. Brown,
Acting Register of Copyrights,
Library of Congress,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of October 29th enclosed, which kindly return with your reply, will you advise me if the rewriting of an introduction and explanatory notes and the reworking of graphs, charts, and diagrams, would be sufficient change in a volume to make possible its copyright protection after the expiration of the first twenty-eight years and the renewal period of twenty-eight years.

In the matter in which I am interested, it is desired to maintain the main text in its original form but to protect it against infringement for an indefinite period; if the changes I have suggested are not sufficient to provide copyright protection, how extensively would the text require rewriting in order to secure such protection?

Yours very truly,

000060

U 1681