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Dear Alked

I haven't yet seen the book in which my miss of 1966 has finally appeared. I'm grateful for your letter. I suppose I inserted the reference to your Scientific American paper in the last group.

If you consider that my statements appear to implicate you I can so state elsewhere since I don't suppose this book will be revised soon if ever.

I haven't source material at hand (except your paper) but I suppose "isolated a nucleus

acid" is what you object to. You
state that he referred to the sub-
stance as nucleon which later
was called by Hoffmann (with
Miescher's agreement) Nucleic
acid.

Thus is only to thank you
for your letter & to say that when
the text comes I'll read it and
try to correct any impression
that any errors of time can
be attributed to you.

I saw your vigorous son Jonathan
in Hanover. I think he feels a
little like *Vox clamantis in deserto* the
college north. With best respects for both from
Louise & Susan