June 21, 1970

Dearest Nell,

In haste early this morning to send you Ian Ballantine's negative response to our submission of $\frac{\text{Mother and Child.}}{\text{will undoubtedly}}$. The book has not yet been returned but $\frac{\text{will undoubtedly}}{\text{will undoubtedly}}$ arrive soon. We are disgusted that he did not find it right for Ballantines at this time.

Our deepest love,

John