

To the Bag

To the *Bag*:

I have enclosed, per your instructions, the original back cover entitled “Request for a Gift” from my latest issue of the *Green Bag*.

I don’t mind telling you, as someone who maintains in mint condition all of my back issues, that this requirement has more than a whiff of evil about it. Is this part of a larger scheme to sell replacement copies? In any event, may God have mercy on your soul.

Sincerely,
Robert E. Edick

To the *Bag*:

Enclosed please find my “Request for a Gift” for a Justice Benjamin R. Curtis miniature bobblehead doll. It broke my heart to have to deface an issue of the *Green Bag* in order to make this request. It also set me to wondering whether “deface” is the proper term to use when one removes the back cover off a publication and, if not, what the appropriate term would be.

Sincerely,
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