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ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

DR. ALFRED BADER

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September 15, 1992

Mr. Harold Henderson  
Harold Henderson & Associates  
119 Laurel Lane  
Austin, Texas 78705

Dear Harold:

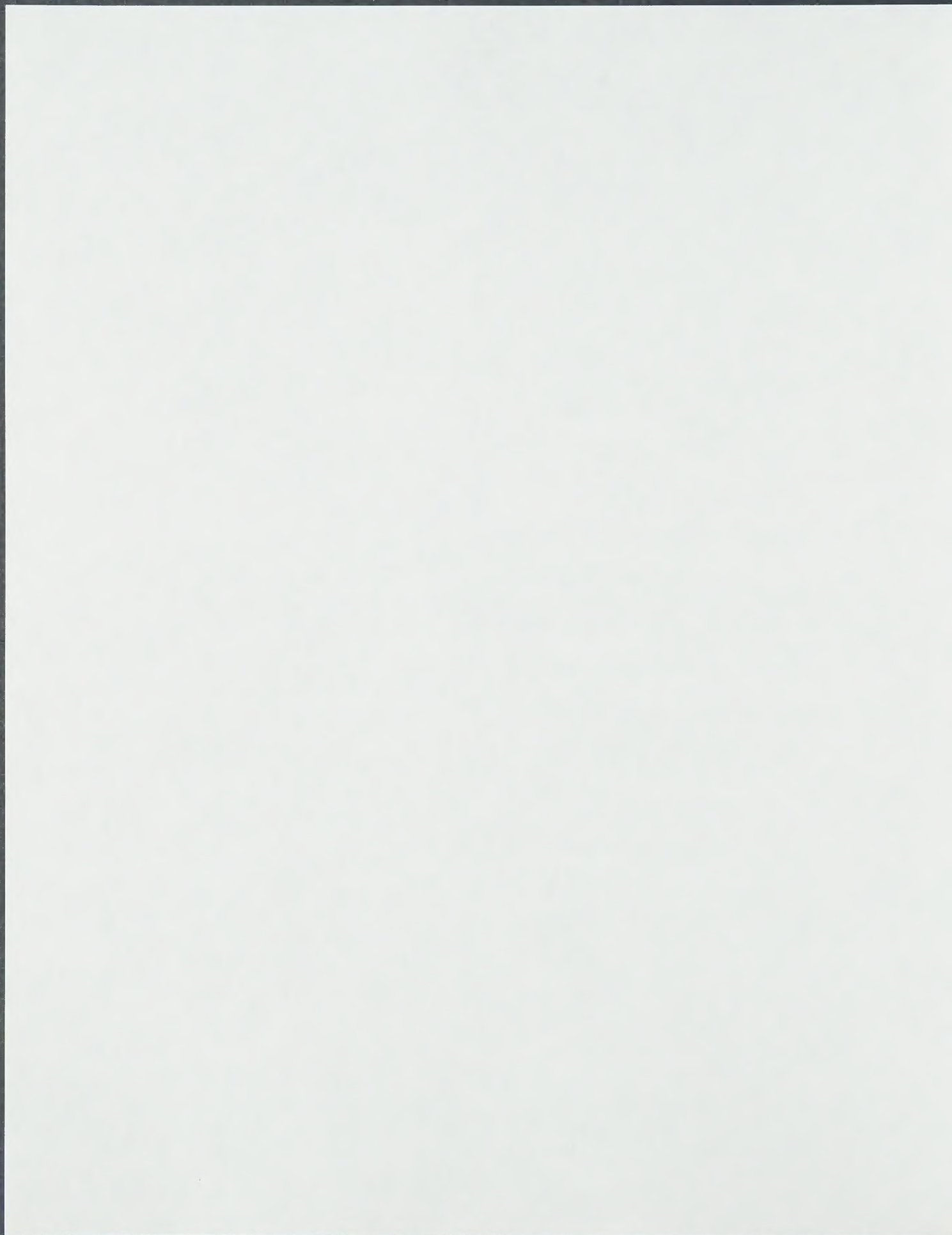
We have not seen you in the longest time.

I have been invited to speak at Trinity University between the 18th and 20th of February, and if a visit is convenient, we would fly to Austin, rent a car to drive to San Antonio, and visit with you either before or after that weekend.

Please let me know whether this will be convenient.

Best regards to you and Frances,

*By Appointment Only*  
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February 12, 1988

Alfred and Isabel Bader  
2961 N. Shepard Avenue  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211

Dear Alfred and Isabel:

I just wanted to write and thank you both for your spending some time with Frances and me, and being so gracious as to include us in the weekend events in San Antonio.

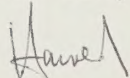
Also, thank you, Alfred, for your purchases and especially for your willingness to work with the portrait of the priest. I hope all the pieces work out fine for you. Please let me know if there is any problem with the Heine book (I'm referring to your possibly comparing the book with yet another copy in a library, if you in fact you can find another copy).

Frances and I both are looking forward to seeing the two of you in Milwaukee this May. My classes are over May 6th; final exams are over on 17th. The test schedule has not been posted yet for individual classes; however, if we planned to leave for Milwaukee no sooner than the 17th, everything should work fine on this end. If we planned to arrive the 19th, leaving Milwaukee on the morning of the 21st, would this conflict with your schedules?

We would then drive to Cleveland and fly from there to New York for a short stay, then back to Cleveland for the wedding we're planning to attend on the 28th. Summer classes start June 1st.

Perhaps you could let us know if this could work for the two of you. If it doesn't, we could surely figure something else out.

So long for now; sincerely,



Harold Henderson



2/14/88

Dear Isabel + Alfred -

I asked Harold if he'd allow me to include a personal note. Just wanted to say directly to you how much I enjoyed making your acquaintance. It's a pleasure to know I'll be able to spend more time getting to know you as soon as May.

Spent today being domestic - a true break from work... taking leaves, cleaning + a special souffle lunch.

Be well, yours,

Francis.





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February 5, 1989

Dr. Alfred Bader  
Alfred Bader Corporation Fine Arts  
2961 North Shepherd Avenue  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211

Dear Alfred:

I received your check and letter in regards to the 19th century study of a priest, previously attributed to Bol.

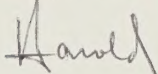
Thank you for your willingness to handle the restoration and sell of this piece.

Please say hello to Isabel for Frances and me. We hope that Isabel's tests last summer came out okay. It would be nice if the two of you could come down to Texas again and see us ("us", is now the three of us...Arrial Anna was born ten days ago). I talked to Christophe last week. As you probably know, he and Roxanne are expecting another child. They all seem to be doing well in Paris.

Perhaps you've seen the article in the current Art & Antiques written by the infamous Fred Kline! He used to be a writer for National Geographics and obviously knows how to go about getting published.

Well, so long for now, Alfred.

Sincerely,



Harold Henderson





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January 17, 1989

Mr. Harold Henderson  
Harold Henderson & Associates  
119 Laurel Lane  
Austin, Texas 78705

Dear Harold:

You will recall that during our visit with you in Austin, I purchased for \$100 a half interest in that early 19th century study of a priest, previously attributed to Bol. This is my inventory No. 1111.

I had the painting cleaned by my Chicago restorer, L. Liparini, and he charged me \$100. Thus, our total cost is \$300. I sold the painting to a dealer for \$600 in cash, so that our profit is \$300, and I enclose my check for half of the profit, \$150.

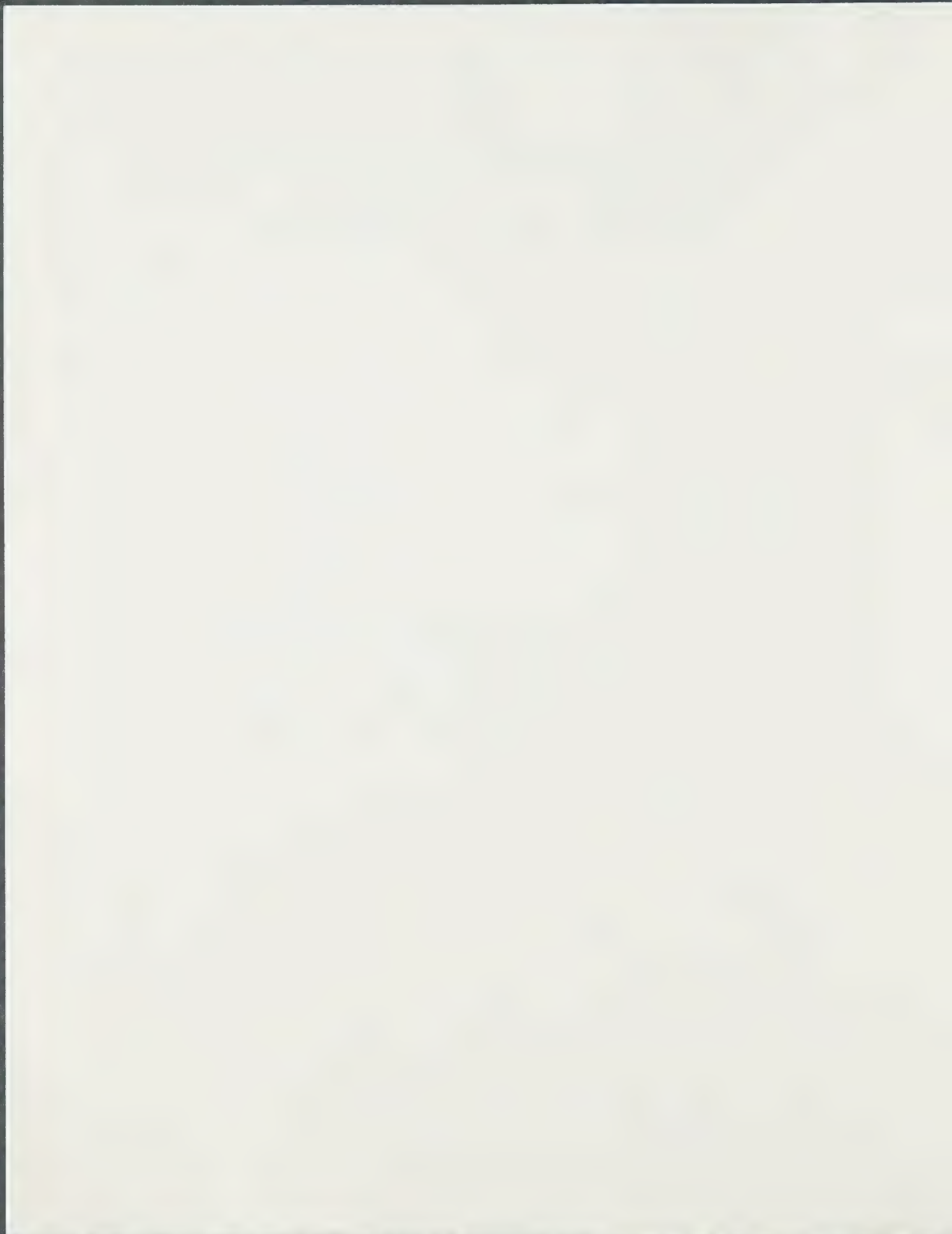
Fond regards from house to house.

As always,

Alfred Bader

AB:mmh

Enclosure





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## BILL OF SALE

May 20, 1988

Harold Henderson & Associates  
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Austin, Texas 78705

Oil painting on canvas, 12-3/4 x 9-1/2 inches,  
by M. N. B. Lipicie (1735-1784).

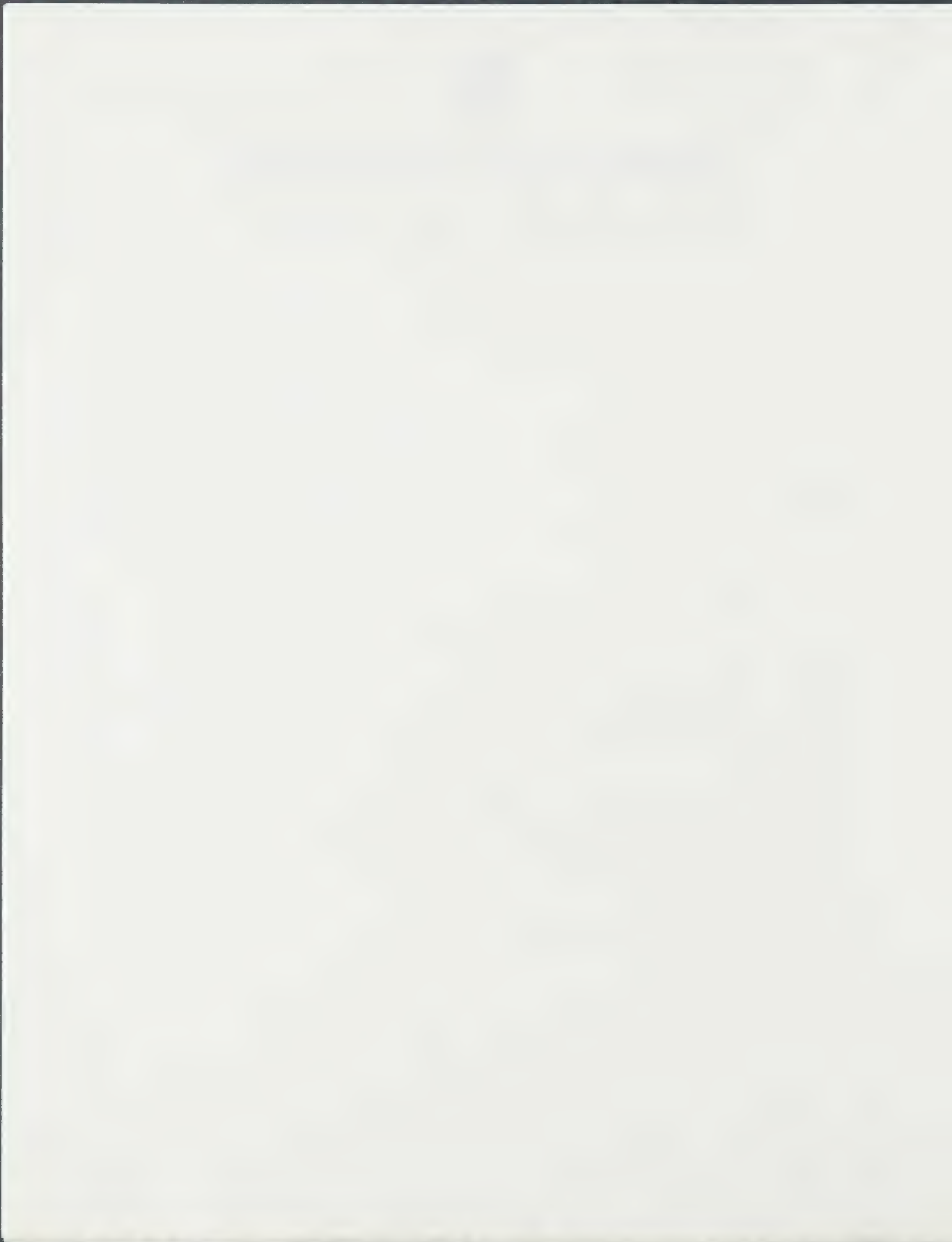
This painting depicts a turbaned old man holding  
a medal. It is in a period, carved frame.

Provenance: Acquired from Christophe Janet some 3  
years ago. Mr. Janet told me that there is an  
engraving of this work, and the engraving bears the  
inscription that it is by Lipicie.

Some weeks ago, Dr. Chiego, the Director of the Museum  
at Oberlin, visited me and told me that quite a few years  
ago the museum where he worked was offered this painting  
by a New York dealer for \$12,000.00, which he thought very  
reasonable, and which the museum decided not to buy.

\$4,800.00

Payment received by check, with thanks.



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April 4, 1988

Dr. Alfred Bader  
2961 N. Shepherd Avenue  
Milwaukee, WI 53211

Dear Alfred:

Enclosed is a photograph of the oil painting which we had discussed on the telephone shortly before you left for your trip to Europe.

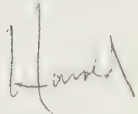
The size is approximately 14 x 22 " and it appears to be in good condition, although it is considerably dirty. The hair, the clothes, and the background are not executed with the detail and care that is characteristic of the face and hand.

I will not know if the owners will be willing to sell this painting until we have the identity and a price established for the piece.

I hope you and Isabel had a good trip, Alfred. Frances and I are both very much looking forward to visiting with the two of you in May.

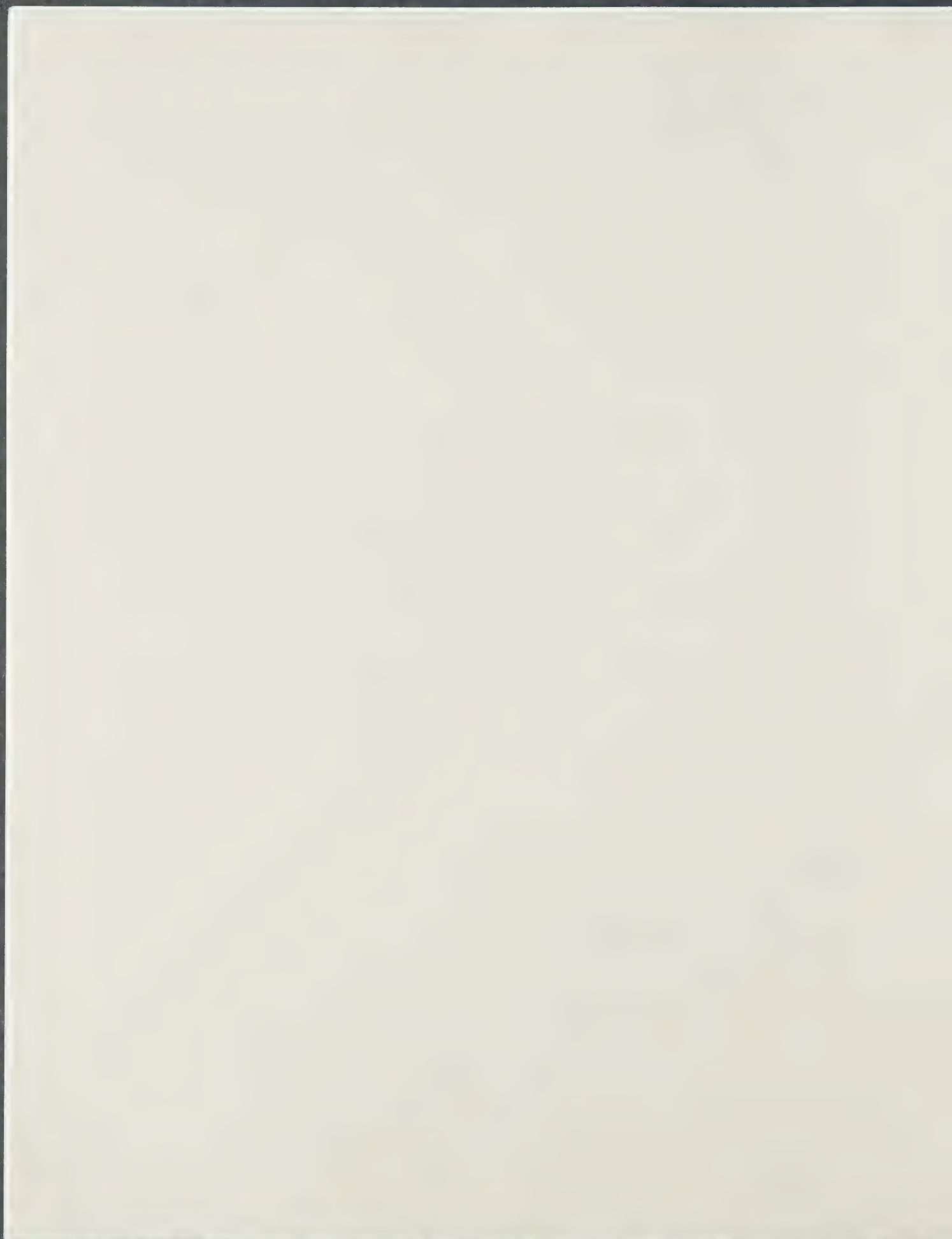
Please let me know if I can be of any further assistance to you on this painting.

Sincerely,



Harold Henderson

Enclosure: 1 photograph





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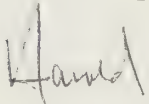
Frances and I have finally gotten all our travel arrangements completed. My one professor who was sceduled to test on the 17th was very happy to give me the final early; so, it will be no problem to visit with you at the best possible times for your schedules.

At present, we have it planned so that we would be arriving the morning of Wednesday May 18th and leaving the morning of the 20th.

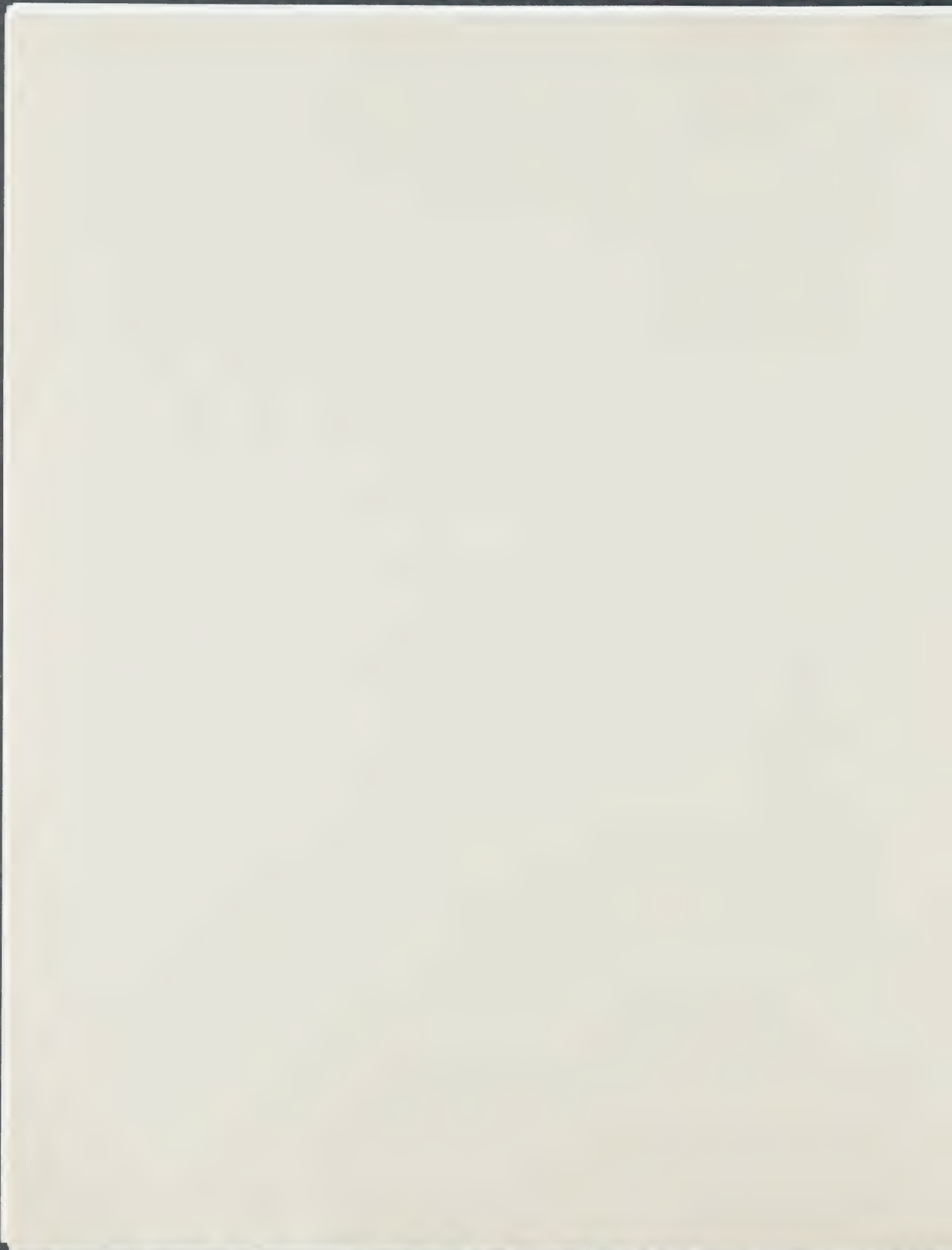
Frances and I would very much enjoy your being our guest out at dinner while we are there, if that would be acceptable with you. If it is acceptable, perhaps you could make the reservations (if necessary) for us at a restaurant that you would enjoy going to.

Thanks for your so graciously inviting us up, Alfred, Isabel. We're looking forward to seeing you again.

Sincerely,



Harold Henderson





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Dr. Alfred Bader  
Chairman

January 22, 1988

Mr. Harold Henderson  
119 Laurel Lane  
Austin, Texas 78705

Dear Mr. Henderson:

As discussed by telephone, I very much look forward to meeting you on Wednesday, February 3rd.

The details of my talks are enclosed.

Best personal regards,

Alfred Bader  
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