

Alfred Bader Fonds

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ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

DR. ALFRED BADER

ESTABLISHED 1961

October 22, 1993

Mr. Jack Richard
2250 Front Street
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

Dear Jack:

Thank you so much for your letter of October 19th received just before I leave on a two-week trip to Canada from which I will not return until November 8th.

The still life by Brackman looks very nice, but \$1600 for an 8x10 oil is just too much. Could I perhaps purchase it together with his self-portrait?

I will not have a chance to get to New York until January. There I work with a very competent dealer who has also become my good friend, Dr. Otto Naumann, 4 East 74th Street, telephone 212 734 4443. I am taking the liberty of sending him the ten snapshots and a copy of your letter. If he is interested in any of the pictures or in the whole collection, Otto and I will buy it together. If not, he will return the snapshots directly to you.

I hope you do not mind that I am keeping the Brackman photograph. I will return it to you if I cannot purchase the work.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

c: Dr. Otto Naumann

By Appointment Only
ASTOR HOTEL SUITE 622
924 EAST JUNEAU AVENUE
MILWAUKEE WISCONSIN USA 53202
TEL 414 277-0730 FAX 414 277-0709

Studios of
JACK RICHARD

2250 FRONT ST., CUYAHOGA FALLS, O. 44221 (216) 929-1575

October 19, 1993

Alfred Bader Fine Arts
Astor Hotel Suite 622
924 East Juneau Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Dear Dr. Bader:

Enclosed are ten photos of a few pieces of a large collection of paintings and three-dimensional objects. All are available.

The owner would prefer to dispose of the entire collection to one buyer, but would sell by the piece or groups if necessary.

If you are interested, please contact me for more information, or call the owner directly:

Jack Paramore
251 W. 89th St. #9E
New York City, NY 10024
Ph: 1-212-873-2117

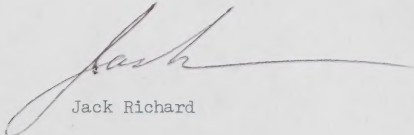
If calling directly, refer to the name Charles Pfahl.

Also enclosed is a photo of an 8 x 10 oil still life by Robert Brackman. The owner suggests a price of \$1,600.00, for your consideration.

Later we will send a photo of a Brackman self-portrait - one of the best; 3/4 length, at easle, with palette and hand on hat.

Best regards.

Sincerely,



Jack Richard

JR:jw
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Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. in relation to the above mentioned matter.

The same has been referred to the proper authorities for their consideration and they will be glad to hear from you again.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours obedient servant,

J. H. [Name]

[Address]

[City, State]

[Date]

[Signature]



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December 6, 1993

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Astor Hotel Suite 622
924 East Juneau Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

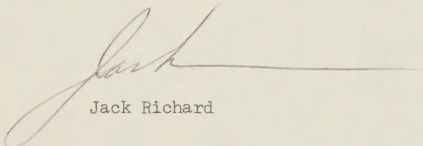
Dear Dr. Bader:

The Brackman portrait can be seen when you are in New York at the Wunderlich Galleries, 50 West 57th St., 12th Floor. Ask for Jerry Wunderlich.

The painting is stored there with other Charles Pfahl holdings. Not a Wunderlich property.

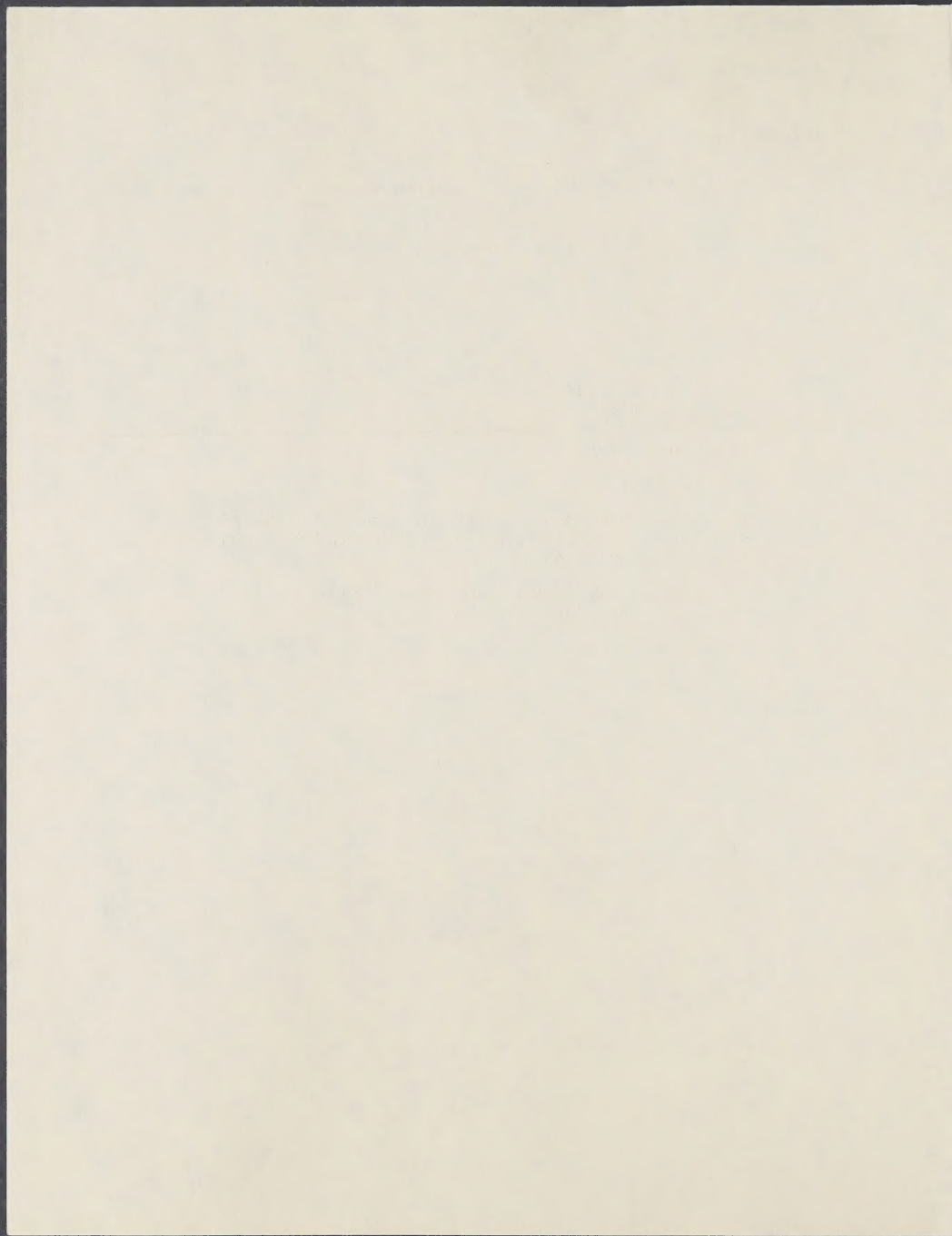
If you choose to suggest an offer, please make it to me.

Sincerely,



Jack Richard

JR:jw





ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

DR. ALFRED BADER

November 9, 1993

ESTABLISHED 1961

Mr. Jack Richard
2250 Front Street
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

Dear Jack:

Thank you so much for your letter of November 5th and the two slides, which I return.

I like the painting very much, but I don't believe that I could sell a Brackman self-portrait, no matter how good, for \$16,000.

Isabel and I hope to visit June and Otto Schreiber at the end of January or early February, and perhaps we might then come to look at the painting if the price is really negotiable.

All good wishes.

Sincerely,

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2250 FRONT ST., CUYAHOGA FALLS, O. 44221 (216) 929-1575

November 5, 1993

Alfred Bader Fine Arts
Astor Hotel Suite 622
924 East Juneau Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Dear Dr. Bader:

Enclosed are two slides of the Robert Brackman self-portrait;
a full shot and a detail.

The painting is 50 x 48 and in excellent condition - the best
self-portrait I have seen. Please look at a projection of
the head detail to see the painterly quality.

The painting is in the book "Brackman His Art and Teaching"
(but not a good reproduction).

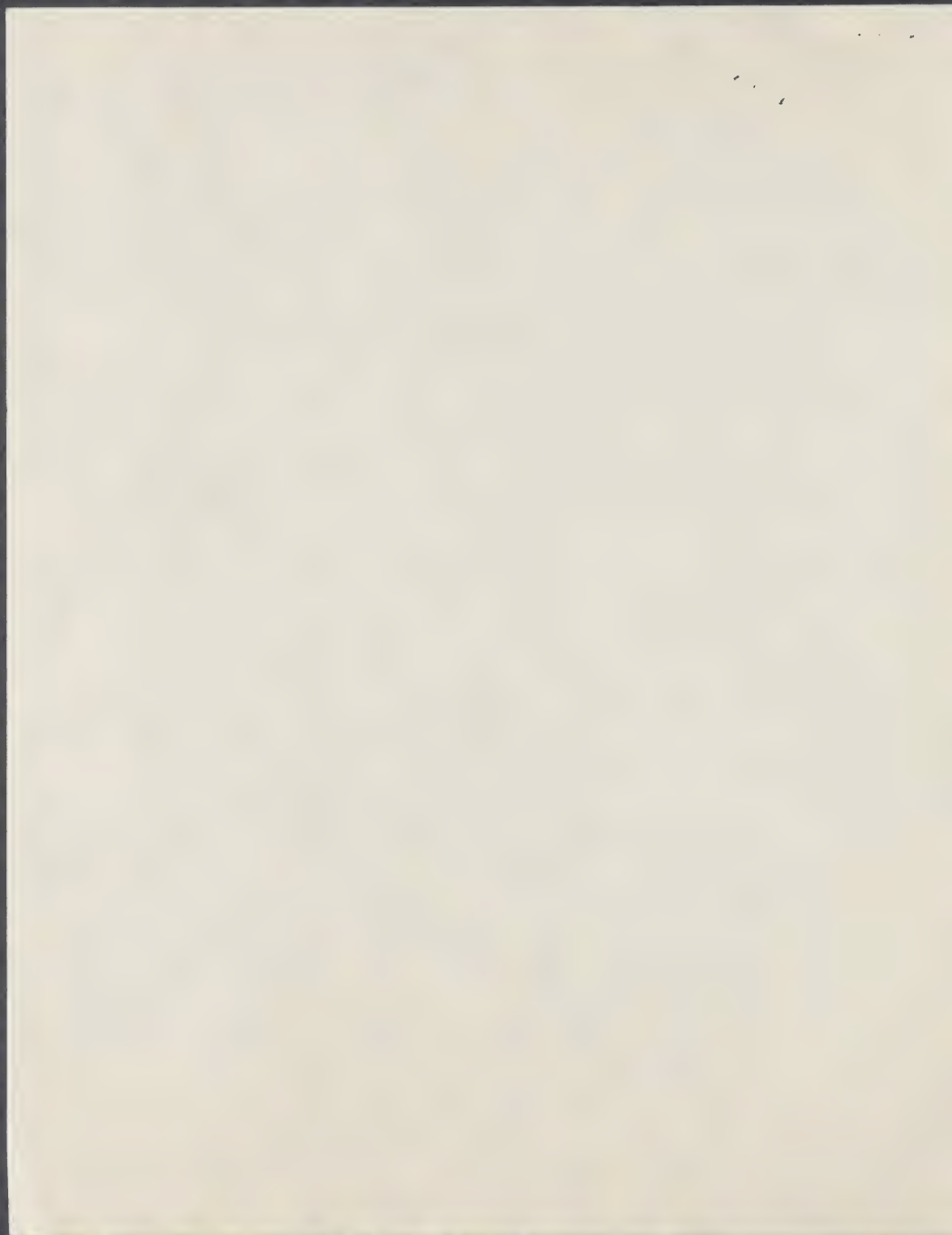
Charles Pfahl, the owner, is asking \$16,000.00.

Sincerely,



Jack Richard

JR:jw
Enclosure
2 Slides





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ESTABLISHED 1951

April 8, 1993

Mr. Jack Richard
2250 Front Street
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

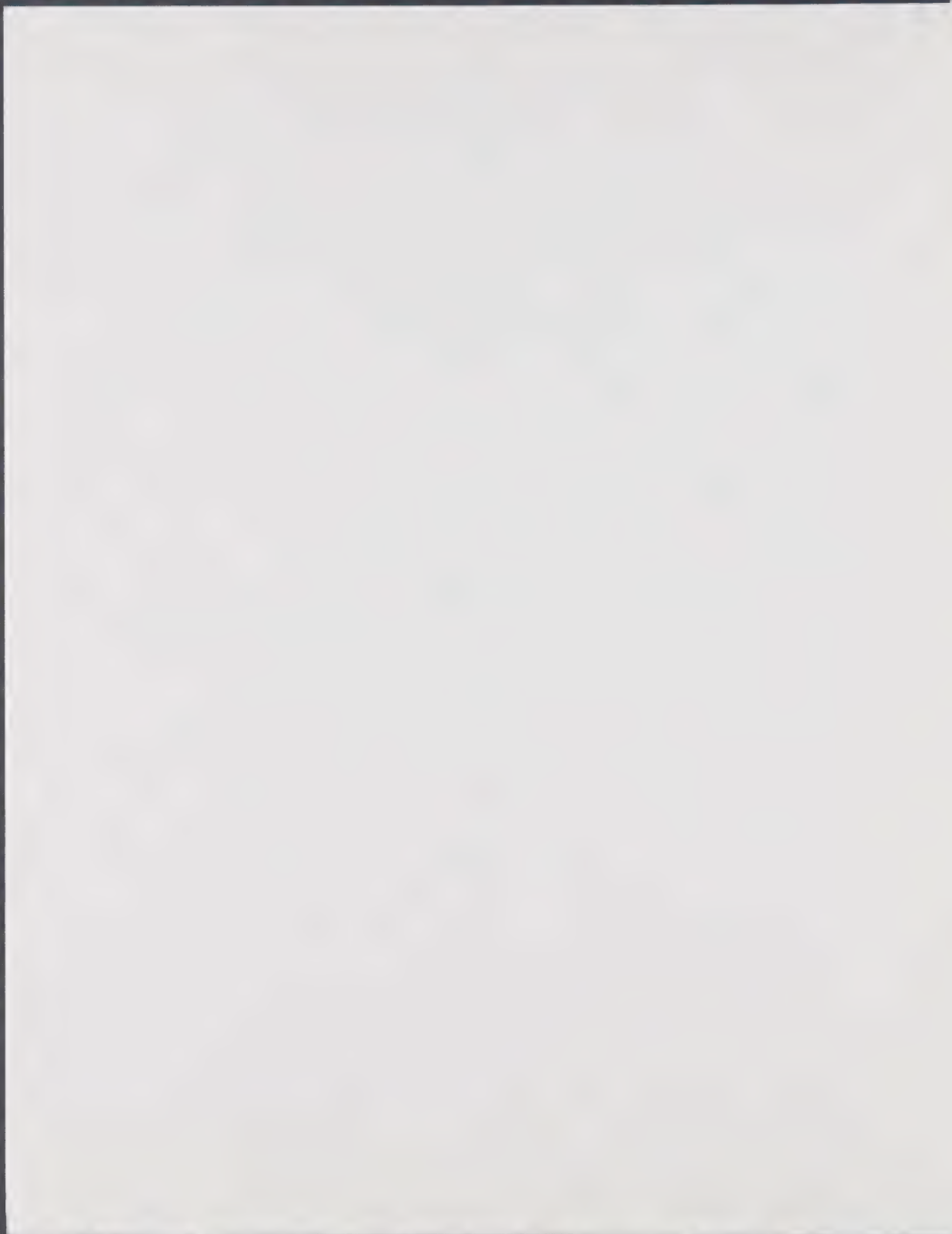
Dear Jack:

Isabel and I look forward to being in Ohio next week, speaking in Akron on the 15th. We will be staying with June and Otto Schreiber on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Their telephone number is 216 228 5464. Could you please let them know whether I may visit you next Thursday morning, of course in the hope that you may have some good paintings for me.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

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November 5, 1992

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Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

Dear Jack:

I hope that my last letter to you, regarding your strange American landscape did not get lost.

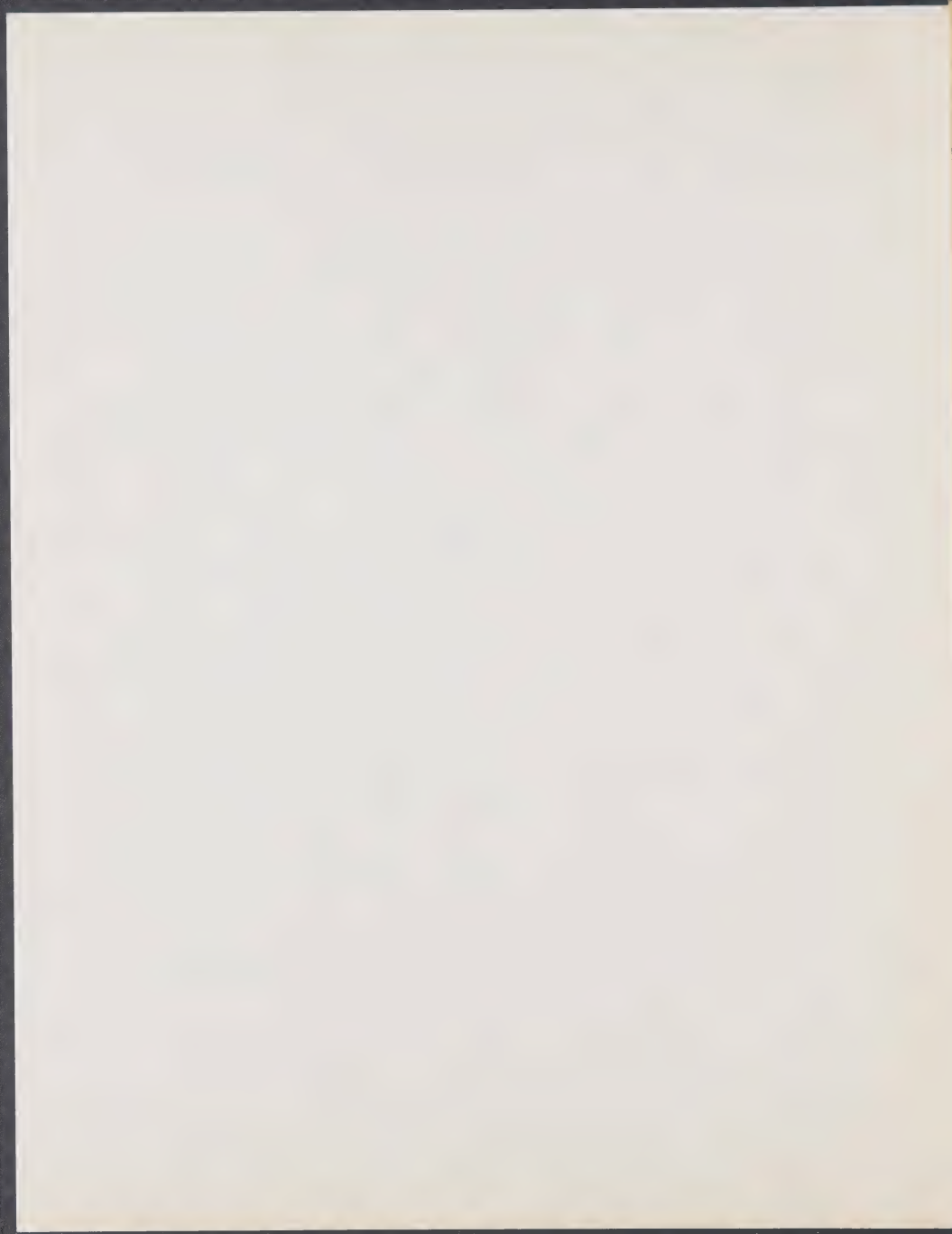
I am now working pretty full time in my art gallery, although we will be travelling a good deal looking for paintings.

Isabel and I plan to be in the Cleveland/Akron area in the middle of April and hope to see both you and the Schreibers then.

Best regards,

c: Dr. Otto Schreiber

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March 28, 1980

Mr. Jack Richard
2250 Front Street
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

Dear Mr. Richard:

Enclosed please find a few color slides of paintings I did not buy. I do hope that you will have other good old master paintings for me before long.

Best regards,

Alfred Bader

AB:mmh

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Studios of
JACK RICHARD

2250 FRONT ST., CUYAHOGA FALLS, O. 44221 (216) 929-1575

July 16, 1979

Alfred Bader Corporation Fine Arts
2961 North Shepard Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211

Dear Dr. Bader:

Enclosed are slides of four paintings:

- A. Oil on Canvas.
- B. Oil on Board - missing oil on face filled with wax.
- C. Oil on Board.
- D. Oil on Board in two pieces.

All paintings are small. Paintings were returned to owner before measurements were taken. If exact measurements are important, will send along later. Unable to reach our client at this time.

All works are available for sale if you are interested.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

STUDIOS OF JACK RICHARD


Jack Richard

JR: jw
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April 3, 1979

Mr. Jack Richard
Studios of Jack Richard
2250 Front St.
Cuyahoga Falls, OH. 44221

Dear Mr. Richard:

It was kind of you to think of me when the Italian painting of Bacchus was offered to you, but this is not of great interest and I return the snapshot.

Best personal regards to you and Mrs. Richard.

Sincerely,

Alfred Bader

AB/lsm

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March 21, 1977

Alfred Bader Corporation
Fine Arts
2961 North Shepard Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211

Re: Print - enclosed
Life Cycle of Bacchus - Oil on Canvas - 35 x 47
By Joseph (Francesco) Altieri - 157-1290

Dear Mr. Bader:

Would you care to make an offer on the painting, photo of which
is enclosed.

We would rather sell it to you if you are interested, ~~with~~ than
send it to Sotheby Parko Bernet, which our client has asked us to
do.

We do not have the painting on hand, but enclose it.

Also, would you please be kind enough to return the enclosed print,
as it is the only copy we have.

Thank you.

Very personal regards,

Jack Richard

JR:ju
Enclosure - Photo



bcc: Mr. Otto Schreiber

March 8, 1979

Mr. Jack Richard
2250 Front St.
Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221

Dear Mr. Richard:

You must have realized how very much I enjoyed the couple of hours I spent with you on Tuesday and I want to thank you sincerely for your help in purchasing the three Dutch paintings. Could you please send me your invoice and whatever photographs and letters you have. There is of course no need in your invoices to guarantee the authenticity of the paintings as I purchased these as a knowledgeable dealer.

I do hope that you will be able to do a good deal of business with Mr. Otto Schreiber. I have known Mr. Schreiber for some years and he is one of the most likeable and honest dealers I know.

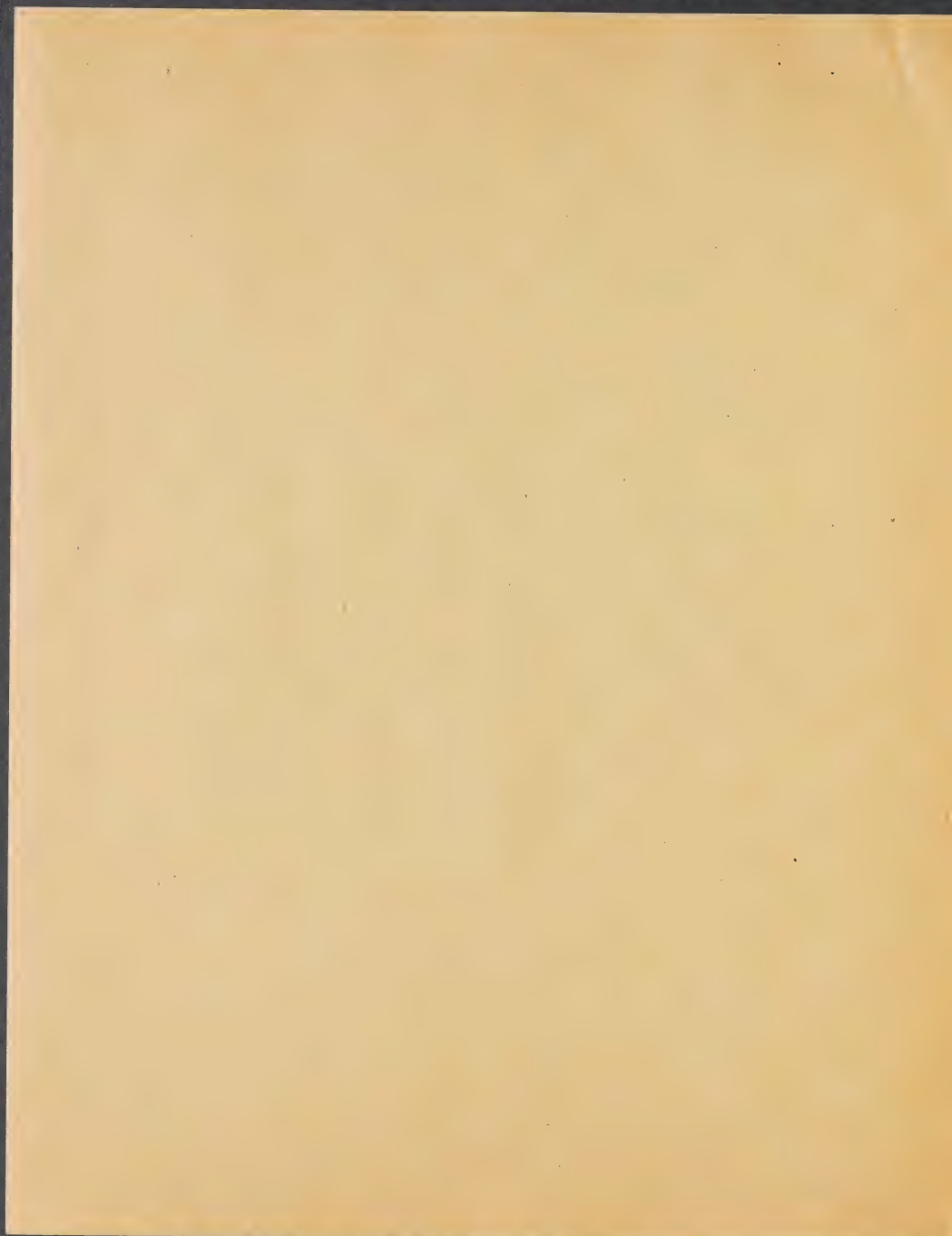
Please do think of me when other old master paintings turn up.

With best personal regards to you and Mrs. Richard, I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader

AB/lsm



February 5, 1979

Mr. Jack Richard
2250 Front St.
Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221

Dear Mr. Richard:

Thank you for your kind letter of January 29, and
it was nice chatting with you.

I plan to arrive in Cleveland by NW flight 353 at
3:08 p.m. this coming Saturday afternoon, February 10.
I will spend the next four hours with a very able dealer
in paintings, Mr. Otto Schreiber, 3335 W. 94th Street,
Cleveland, telephone 651-7188. Then I plan to leave
Cleveland on United flight 994 at 8:20 that evening.

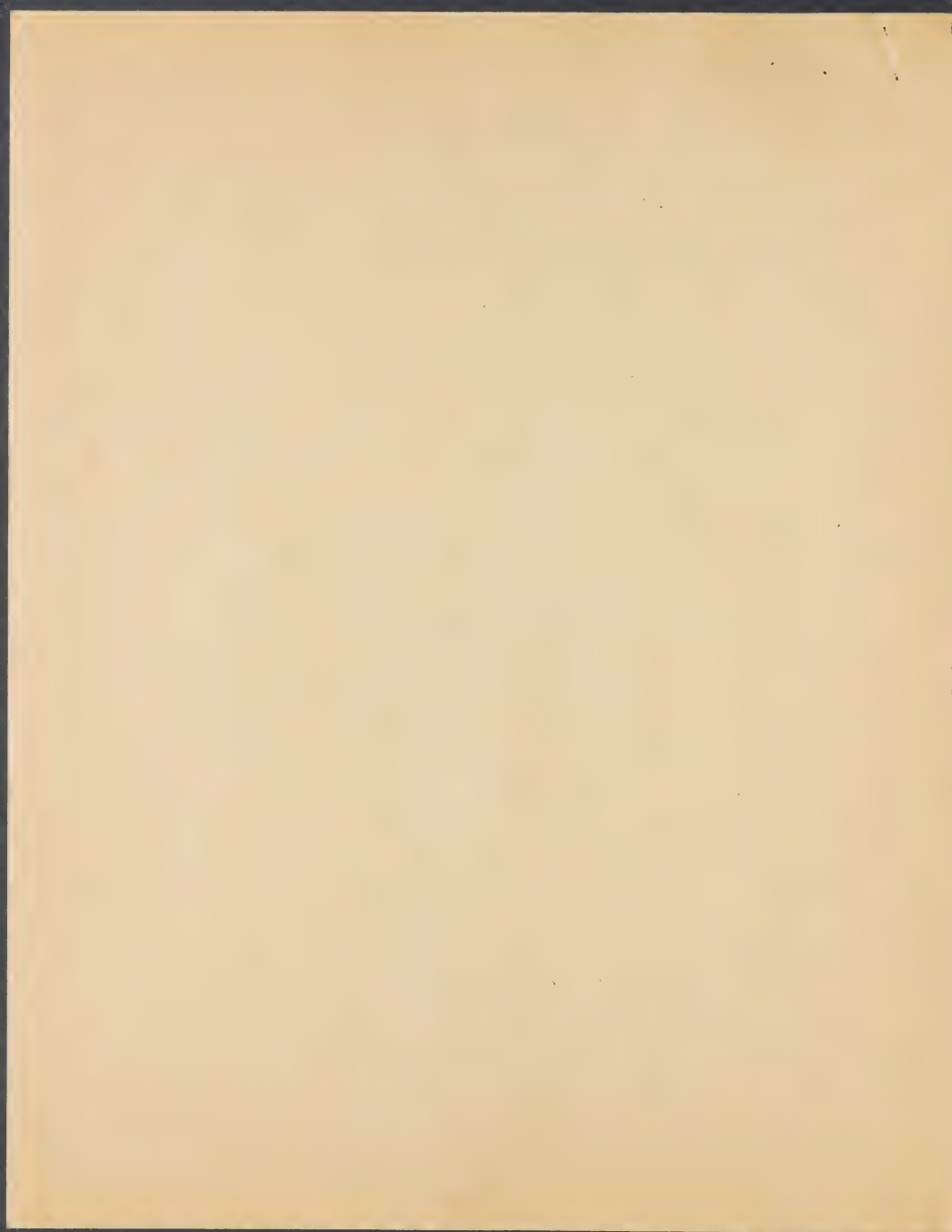
Would it perhaps be possible then to show ~~me the~~
portrait by DeKeyser. I am not interested in the Maes.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

Alfred Eader

AE/lsm



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January 27, 1977

Mr. Alfred R. Bader, President
Aldrich Chemical Company, Inc.
140 West St. Paul Ave.
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233

Dear Dr. Bader:

Enclosed are slides of two paintings; one attributed to Nicholas Savas,
and one to T. H. DeKeyser.

Marke Bernet have seen the slides and have qualified that the paintings
are likely by these artists, and they are interested in putting them on
auction in May.

We know that your interest is in paintings of this period, and would
prefer to offer them to you first if you are interested. They are in
excellent condition, and their owners are interested in selling one or
both. Would you please let us know if you are interested?

- (A) Portrait of Meinheir Van Harylax, by T. H. DeKeyser.
Oil on Board - 24-1/2" x 24-3/4". Very good condition.
Heavily cradled. Three (3) slides enclosed.
- (B) Portrait of Child with Dog. (Oil on Canvas. 12-5/8" x 7-7/8".
Catcher on back of canvas claims Nicholas Savas. Five (5)
slides enclosed.

It has been a long time since we have hear you and hope this little finds
you and your family well.

Best personal regards.

Very truly yours,

Jack Richard

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ALDRICH CHEMICAL CO., INC.

2250 FRONT ST., CUYAHOGA FALLS, O. 44221 (216) 929-1575

April 7, 1976

Dr. Alfred Bader
Aldrich Chemical Company, Inc.
940 West St. Paul Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233

Dear Dr. Bader:

We are sending information and slides on a painting that, if you are interested, you might make our client an offer.

Painting from Mussolini's headquarters in Italy. Painting was salvaged at the time of the capture of the headquarters.

Oil Painting 43" X 36"

We trimmed the painting slightly and it had previously been altered in size and shape from the original.

The man who retrieved the painting was told that it was 15th century, but since then we have received other opinions that it is mid-18th century. The painting is unsigned.

We believe the work was altered to fit an architectural shape in the building. We found a dive at the top center of the painting had been lowered to suit this situation. The painting was in extremely bad condition. We removed the old lining and board-mounted it. The board-mounting was necessary because of the extreme distortion of the canvas. A new lining would have simply formed to it and would not have been strong enough to contain the distortion. We restored where paint was missing and some severe scratches.

Enclosed are 5 slides: 1. the restored painting; 2. C.U. upper middle; 3. C.U. lower left; 4. C.U. lower right; 5. shows what might be the original dove in the upper center. The apparent original dove was severely damaged from the architectural moulding that cut through it when it was adapted to the architectural shape. Since the architectural frame was unsalvageable and the painting had previously been altered from the original we decided to trim it straight across the top using the second dove. The original dove had not shown at all when we received the painting and was uncovered by the cleaning.

Hope you are well and finding a lot of interesting paintings for your collection.

Jack Richard

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DIVISIONS OF THE STUDIOS OF JACK RICHARD: ALMOND TEA GALLERY

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Dr. Alfred Bader
Aldridge Chemical Company
P. O. Box 355
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53201

Dear Dr. Bader:

Enclosed are five slides of a Dutch, 17th Century (?) oil on board, $10\frac{1}{2}$ " x $15\frac{1}{4}$ ", unsigned. The darker slides are accurate, the light slides to show detail.

If you have any interest in this work, please let us know. The owner does not have any real knowledge of value but had been told that it might be worth several thousand dollars.

Sincerely,



Jack Richard

JR:ang

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