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General Correspondence.

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A Chemist Helping Chemists

August 1, 2002

Dr. David Harvey
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Dear David,

I am sending this to you at your home where you probably have more time to look at paperwork than you have in St. Louis.

I believe that you are a stockholder in Synthetech and yet may not have had the time to look at a number of matters in the Annual Report which look particularly interesting.

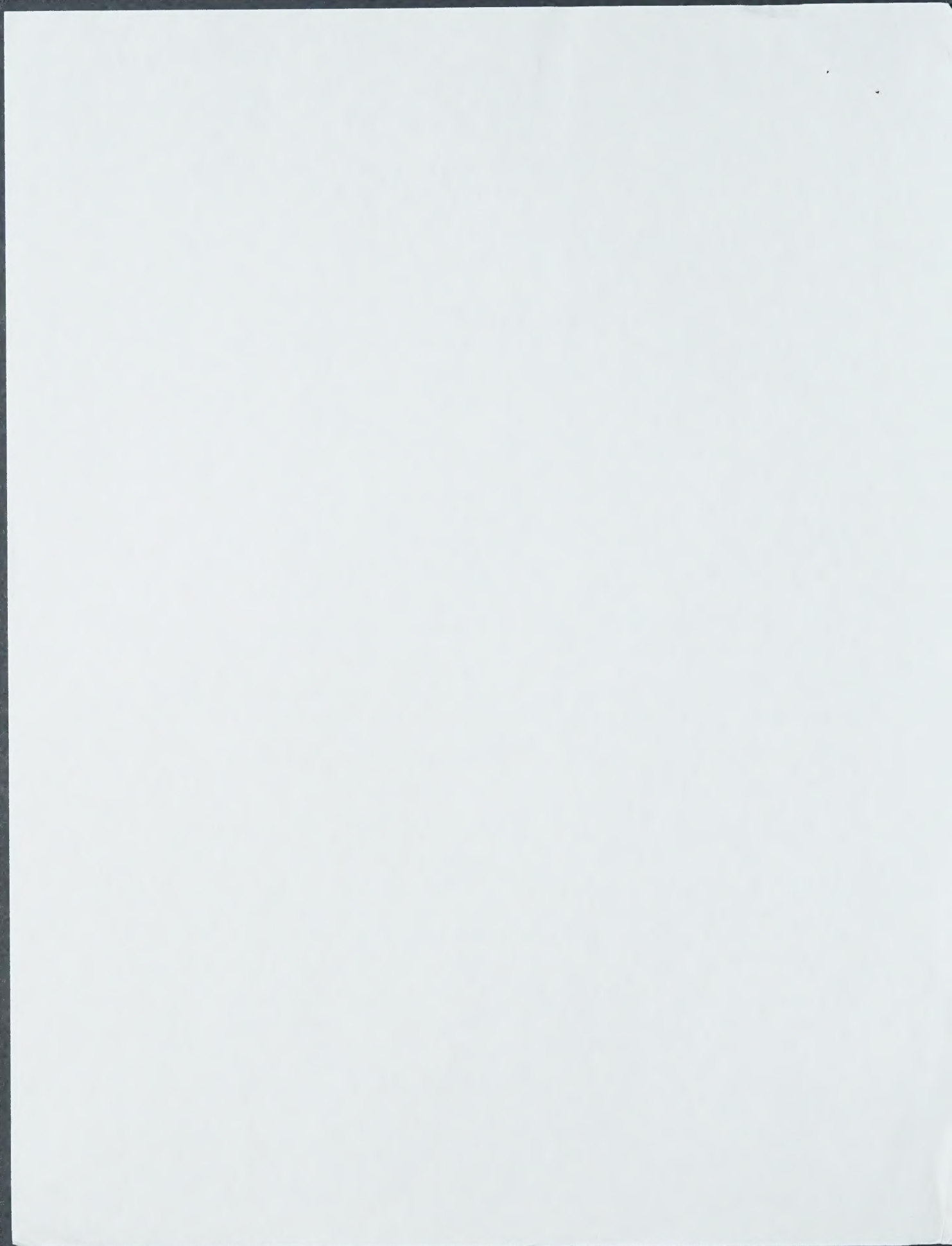
On p. 14 they describe their backlog of \$6.2 million which makes it very likely that this will be a good year.

Also, note their difficulties, probably shared by so many companies including Sigma-Aldrich, in changing accountants.

Finally you will have noted that two of their Directors are well know to us. I always liked Dan Fagan who was, I believe, a fine President of Sigma, an opinion not shared by Cori. Edward Giles is a very active investor who has had an interest in Sigma-Aldrich for many years.

Would it make sense for Sigma-Aldrich to acquire Synthetech? On the plus side, their peptide production is of great interest. On the negative, they are far away and the business obviously is very cyclical.

Another company that you have probably considered is Promega, whose Annual Report I enclose.





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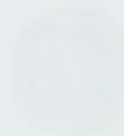
Bill Linton is not easy to work with and he has been fighting Roche for years, spending many millions.

Will you be at the ACS meeting in Boston to which I much look forward? Also, Isabel and I have planned to drive to St. Louis in September to give a number of lectures there.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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Dear Istvan,

Isabel and I have just returned from our long trip to Europe where I do not receive e-mails.

Thank you for your two communications of June 14th.

Of course we were happy to be able to spend a few hours with you in Vienna. I remember visiting Terezin and seeing where my mother lived briefly and died in November '42, so understand what impact your visit to that school had on you.

Thank you also for interceding for Dr. Rosner, hopefully, successfully.

Regarding your Candid Science books, I think these would fit very well into the Aldrichimica Acta. I left the book which you so kindly gave me in our home in Bexhill, where I enjoyed reading it very much indeed.

Could you please Air Mail to me a few flyers describing your books and I will visit with the people at Aldrich after finding out who the decision maker for books is.

Isabel and I plan to be at the Boston ACS meeting from August 18 to 22 and I would certainly have time there to discuss this with the Aldrich people.

With all good people I remain

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader

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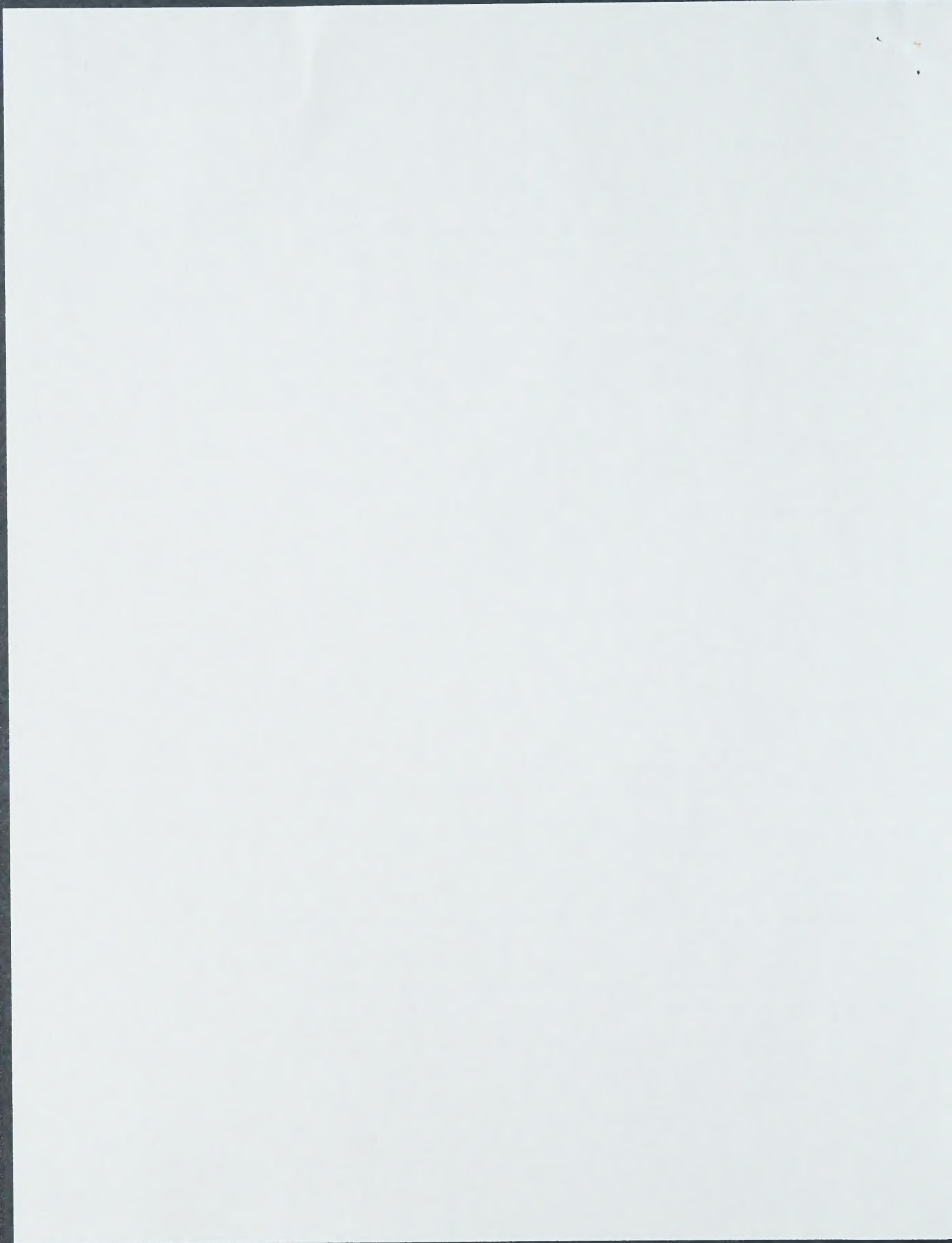
Dear Alfred:

I just received word from Imperial College Press that they are accelerating production of Candid Science III: More Conversations with Famous Chemists. This is the volume in which your interview figures.

Also at this time I received Aldrichimica Acta 35/1, which is dedicated to Herb Brown and I enjoyed leafing through it. At the end of the issue there is the section of "From the Aldrich Bookshelf". I wonder if the Candid Science books could also be listed in this section. Is there a way to organize it. I understand that it must be an arrangement between the publisher and Aldrichimica Acta. Can you give me any advice in this connection, for instance, who should be contacted?

Although Candid Science is not about reagents, but it is about the people who have used them with great success. It would be a most appropriate place to display these volumes.

Thanks and sincerely,
Istvan



Subject: Candid Science
From: Hargittai <hargittai@tki.aak.bme.hu>
Date: Fri, 14 Jun 2002 12:31:08 -0700
To: baderfa@execpc.com

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Dear Andy,

Isabel and I have just returned from England and so thank you belatedly for your long e-mail of July 24th.

Of course you are entirely correct about what you say about hoodlums all over the world.

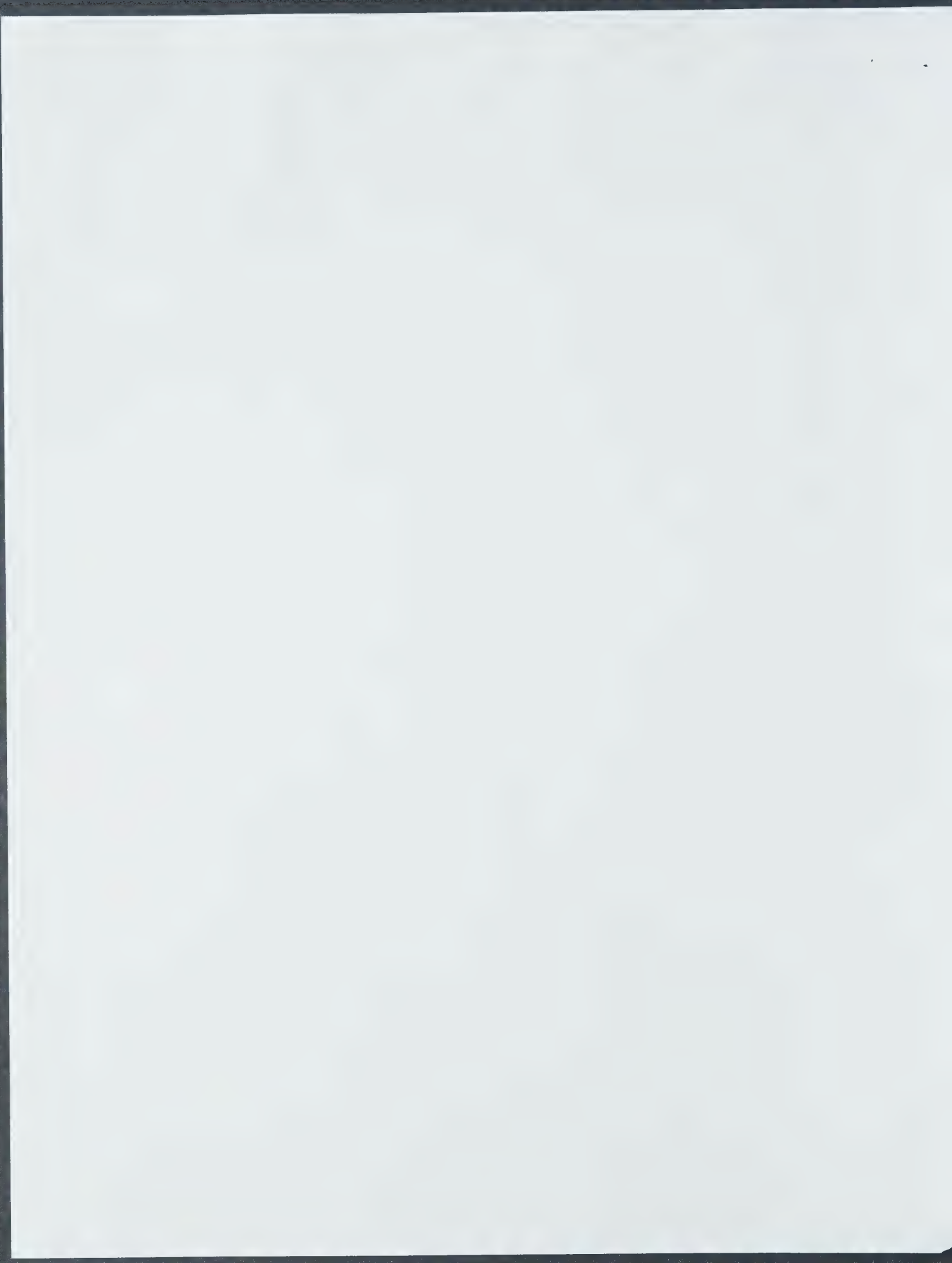
Isabel and I plan to be at the ACS convention in Boston from August 18th to the 22nd and then spend a week with my son and his family in Pennsylvania. In September we are here most of the time except for the week of September 9th when I have been invited to speak at Sigma-Aldrich/St. Louis and also to the ACS and the art museum there.

We will be in Milwaukee most of October except from the 2nd to the 5th, when I have been invited to speak in Rochester and then I go to Queen's University.

Most of November and December we will be first in Holland and then in England.

Of course we much look forward to seeing you.

Fond regards,
Alfred



Subject: Your letter about sad events in Kiev.
From: "Andrey Esaulenko" <andrey_esaulenko@alsi.kiev.ua>
Date: Wed, 24 Jul 2002 20:26:34 +0300
To: "Alfred Bader" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

I do hope you and Isabel are OK. I got your letter about the sad event held in Kiev not so long ago... Generally I don't like football fans. In such case those rascals came back from football game... Jewish pogroms took place before 1917 many times, you probably know it better than me. There were no Jewish pogroms happen in Soviet time, but one can say about hidden discrimination of Jews. Unfortunately, many of them emigrated from Kiev within 70-90.

I know one person who came back from Israel. He worked in Teba pharmaceutical company. He decided to come back to Ukraine, because he thinks it is much more safety to live here.

I think there is few %% of population in every country which we call: "drags of society" who spoil life to the rest of the population, who have to spend billions \$\$ for security items: police keeping, locks, steel doors, fences, guns etc. against those few %%.

I visited Croatia in June by car (2400 km from Kiev). When I came to Rieka, my car was shaken by football fans who, fortunately, were "tuned" positively for Ukraine, but very negatively toward Italians (Croatian team won Italian one). I was happy that we escaped, parked my car in the very center of city to make some photos. When we came back in 20-30 minutes, we found my car with broken window. It happened at 3 p.m.! The bag of our employee was stolen. No money, but Ukrainian, passport, keys, driving license, car registration (not mine one!) gone. I saw the same in the center of Vienna 7 years ago.

It is pity that the violence happened in Kiev. I love this city and think that it is quite secure one. Of course, Shorewood, N. Shepard Avenue is much more secure, but you travel so often. I pray for God to save you and Isabel of violence in any country.

By the way I visited my old friends in Hungary: Prof. Jozef Andor and his wife Iren. They give you best regards.

I hope to come to Milwaukee this Autumn to see you again.

Please, accept my very best regards, embrace Isabel,
Sincerely,
Andy



Subject: 2003 ACS Award Recipients
From: Alicia Harris <a_harris@acs.org>
Date: Mon, 5 Aug 2002 14:15:57 -0400

Award Sponsor:

Attached is the list of the 2003 ACS Award recipients. The announcement will appear in the August 19th issue of Chemical & Engineering News. Until then this information is confidential. A copy of the nominating document will be sent to you shortly for your use in promotional materials and company literature.

The award presentation will occur at the Awards Ceremony on Tuesday, March 25, 2003 at the 225th ACS National Meeting in New Orleans, LA. Please mark your calendar now; we would like to have a representative from your organization make the award certificate presentation.

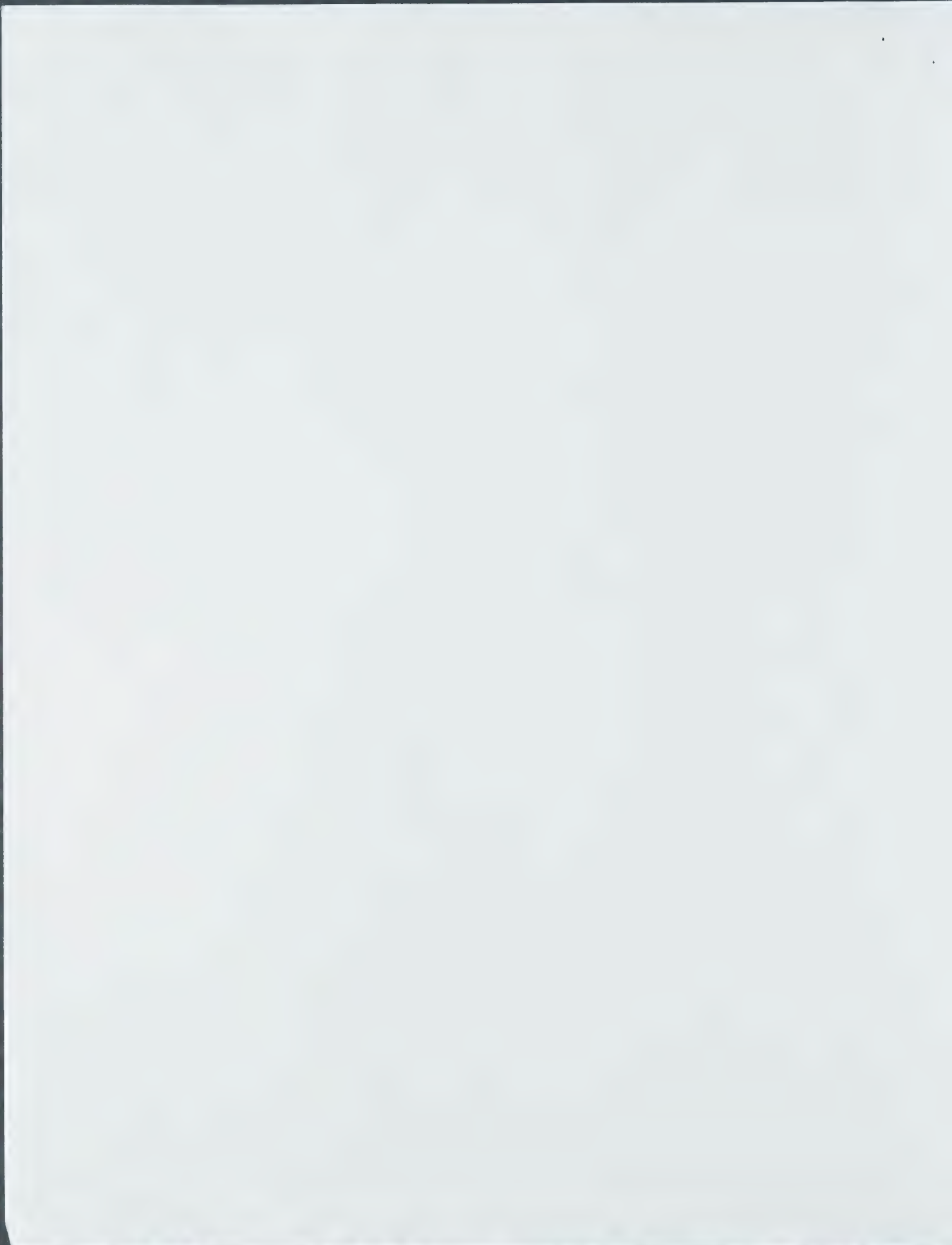
As always, the Society appreciates your support of the National ACS Awards Program. If you have any questions, please contact me at a_harris@acs.org or 202.872.4619.

Sincerely,

Alicia Harris
Senior Membership Associate

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ACS 2003 National Award Winners

Following are the recipients of awards administered by the American Chemical Society for 2003. Vignettes of the award recipients will appear in successive issues of C&EN in early 2003. These recipients will be honored, with the exception of the ACS Award for Creative Work in Fluorine Chemistry, Roger Adams Award in Organic Chemistry, and the Arthur C. Cope Scholar Awards, at the Awards Ceremony, Tuesday, March 25, 2003, in conjunction with the 225th ACS National Meeting in New Orleans, LA.

ACS Award for Computers in Chemical and Pharmaceutical Research sponsored by Accelrys Inc. Kendall N. Houk, University of California, Los Angeles. Address to be presented before the Division of Computers in Chemistry

ACS Award for Creative Advances in Environmental Science and Technology sponsored by Air Products and Chemicals, Inc. in memory of Joseph J. Breen, John W. Birks, University of Colorado, Boulder. Address to be presented before the Division of Environmental Chemistry

ACS Award for Creative Invention sponsored by ACS Corporation Associates, Bruce D. Roth, Pfizer Global Research and Development, Ann Arbor, MI. Address to be presented before the Division of Medicinal Chemistry

ACS Award for Creative Research in Homogeneous or Heterogeneous Catalysis sponsored by Shell Oil Foundation, Robert H. Grubbs, California Institute of Technology. Address to be presented before the Division of Inorganic Chemistry

ACS Award for Creative Work in Fluorine Chemistry sponsored by Lancaster Synthesis, Inc.; David A. Dixon; Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Richland, WA. Address and award to be presented at the 16th Winter Fluorine Conference, January 12-17, 2003, St. Petersburg, FL.

ACS Award for Creative Work in Synthetic Organic Chemistry sponsored by Aldrich Chemical Company, Inc., Scott E. Denmark, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

ACS Award for Distinguished Service in the Advancement of Inorganic Chemistry sponsored by Strem Chemicals, Inc., Richard Eisenberg, University of Rochester, New York. Address to be presented before the Division of Inorganic Chemistry

ACS Award for Encouraging Disadvantaged Students into Careers in the Chemical Sciences sponsored by the Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation, Inc., Isiah M. Warner, Louisiana State University. Address to be presented before the Division of Analytical Chemistry

ACS Award for Encouraging Women into Careers in the Chemical Sciences sponsored by the Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation, Inc., Madeleine Jacobs, *Chemical & Engineering News*, American Chemical Society. Address to be presented before the Division of Chemical Education

ACS Award for Research at an Undergraduate Institution sponsored by Research Corporation, Ronald L. Christensen, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME. Address to be presented before the Division of Physical Chemistry



ACS Award for Team Innovation sponsored by ACS Corporation Associates, Charles R. Harrison, George P. Lahm, Stephen F. McCann, Keith D. Wing; E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc.; and Rafael Shapiro, Bristol-Myers Squibb for work done at E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc. Address to be presented before the Division of Agrochemicals

ACS Award in Analytical Chemistry, Richard D. Smith, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Richland, WA. Address to be presented before the Division of Analytical Chemistry

ACS Award in Applied Polymer Science, Lloyd M. Robeson, Air Products and Chemicals, Inc., Allentown, PA. Address to be presented before the Division of Division of Polymer Chemistry

ACS Award in Chromatography sponsored by SUPELCO, Inc., William S. Hancock, Thermo Finnigan, San Jose, CA. Address to be presented before the Division of Analytical Chemistry

ACS Award in Colloid Chemistry sponsored by Procter & Gamble Company, Clayton J. Radke, University of California, Berkeley. Address to be presented before the Division of Colloid & Surface Chemistry

ACS Award in Industrial Chemistry sponsored by the ACS Division of Business Development and Management, Bruce E. Maryanoff, Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research & Development, Spring House, PA. Address to be presented before the Division of Business Development and Management

ACS Award in Inorganic Chemistry sponsored by Aldrich Chemical Company, Inc., Karl O. Christe, University of Southern California and Air Force Research Laboratory, Edwards AFB, CA. Address to be presented before the Division of Inorganic Chemistry

ACS Award in Organometallic Chemistry sponsored by Dow Chemical Company Foundation, William D. Jones, University Rochester, New York. Address to be presented before the Division of Inorganic Chemistry

ACS Award in Polymer Chemistry sponsored by ExxonMobil Chemical Company, Maurice S. Brookhart, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Address to be presented before the Division of Polymer Chemistry

ACS Award in Pure Chemistry sponsored by Alpha Chi Sigma Fraternity, Jillian M. Buriak, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN. Address to be presented before the Division of Inorganic Chemistry

ACS Award in Separations Science and Technology sponsored by IBC Advanced Technologies, Inc., Ralph T. Yang, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Address to be presented before the Division of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry

ACS Award in the Chemistry of Materials sponsored by E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company, Larry R. Dalton, University of Washington, Seattle and University of Southern California. Address to be presented before the Division of Polymeric Materials: Science and Engineering

ACS Award in Theoretical Chemistry sponsored by IBM Corporation, Henry F. Schaefer III, University of Georgia, Athens. Address to be presented before the Division of Physical Chemistry



Roger Adams Award in Organic Chemistry sponsored by Organic Reactions, Inc., and Organic Syntheses, Inc., Albert J. Eschenmoser, Laboratory of Organic Chemistry, ETH-Hönggerberg, Zürich, Switzerland and The Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, CA. Address and award to be presented at the National Organic Symposium, June 8-12, 2003, at Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

Arthur W. Adamson Award for Distinguished Service in the Advancement of Surface Chemistry sponsored by Occidental Petroleum Corporation, David L. Allara, Pennsylvania State University and Ralph G. Nuzzo, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. Address to be presented before the Division of Colloid and Surface Chemistry

Alfred Bader Award in Bioinorganic or Bioorganic Chemistry sponsored by Alfred Bader, Christopher T. Walsh, Harvard Medical School. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

Earle B. Barnes Award for Leadership in Chemical Research Management sponsored by The Dow Chemical Company, Paul J. Reider, Amgen, Thousand Oaks, CA for work done at Merck Research Laboratories, Rahway, NJ. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

Ronald Breslow Award for Achievement in Biomimetic Chemistry sponsored by the Breslow Endowment, Jacqueline K. Barton, California Institute of Technology. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

Herbert C. Brown Award for Creative Research in Synthetic Methods sponsored by Aldrich Chemical Company, Inc., Purdue Borane Research Fund, and the Herbert C. Brown Award Endowment; Paul A. Wender, Stanford University. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

James Bryant Conant Award in High School Chemistry Teaching sponsored by Albemarle Corporation, Linda K. Ford, The Seven Hills School, Cincinnati, OH. Address to be presented before the Division of Chemical Education

Arthur C. Cope Award sponsored by the Arthur C. Cope Fund, Larry E. Overman, University of California, Irvine. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry at the 226th ACS National Meeting in New York, NY in September 2003.

Arthur C. Cope Scholar Awards sponsored by the Arthur C. Cope Fund, Jean A. Chmielewski, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN; James L. Leighton, Columbia University; William H. Pearson, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; and Viresh H. Rawal, The University of Chicago. Addresses to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry at the 226th ACS National Meeting in New York, NY in September 2003.

Arthur C. Cope Senior Scholar Awards sponsored by the Arthur C. Cope Fund, Andrew S. Kende, University of Rochester, New York; Richard B. Silverman, Northwestern University; Dietmar Seyferth, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; and James D. White, Oregon State University. Addresses to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry at the 226th ACS National Meeting in New York, NY in September 2003.

Arthur C. Cope Young Scholar Awards sponsored by the Arthur C. Cope Fund, Milan Mrksich, The University of Chicago and Peter H. Seeberger, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Addresses to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry at the 226th ACS National Meeting in New York, NY in September 2003.



Peter Debye Award in Physical Chemistry sponsored by E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company, William H. Miller, University of California, Berkeley. Address to be presented before the Division of Physical Chemistry

Frank H. Field and Joe L. Franklin Award for Outstanding Achievement in Mass Spectrometry sponsored by Bruker Daltonics, Inc., Jesse L. Beauchamp, California Institute of Technology. Address to be presented before the Division of Analytical Chemistry

Francis P. Garvan-John M. Olin Medal sponsored by Francis P. Garvan-John M. Olin Medal Endowment, Martha Greenblatt, Rutgers University. Address to be presented before the Division of Inorganic Chemistry

James T. Grady-James H. Stack Award for Interpreting Chemistry for the Public, Boyce Rensberger, Knight Science Journalism Fellowships at MIT for work done at *The Washington Post*. Address to be presented at the National Press Club, November 15, 2002, in Washington, DC.

Ernest Guenther Award in the Chemistry of Natural Products sponsored by Givaudan, Steven V. Ley, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

E. B. Hershberg Award for Important Discoveries in Medicinally Active Substances sponsored by Schering-Plough Corporation, A. K. Ganguly, Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken NJ; for work done at Schering-Plough Corporation, Kenilworth, NJ. Address to be presented before the Division of Medicinal Chemistry

Joel Henry Hildebrand Award in the Theoretical and Experimental Chemistry of Liquids sponsored by ExxonMobil Research and Engineering Company and ExxonMobil Chemical Company, Lesser Blum, University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras. Address to be presented before the Division of Physical Chemistry

Ralph F. Hirschmann Award in Peptide Chemistry sponsored by Merck Research Laboratories, Roger M. Freidinger, Merck Research Laboratories, West Point, PA. Address to be presented before the Division of Medicinal Chemistry

Claude S. Hudson Award in Carbohydrate Chemistry sponsored by National Starch & Chemical Company, Robert J. Linhardt, University of Iowa, Iowa City. Address to be presented before the Division of Carbohydrate Chemistry

E. V. Murphree Award in Industrial and Engineering Chemistry sponsored by ExxonMobil Research and Engineering Company and ExxonMobil Chemical Company, Leo E. Manzer, E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Wilmington, DE. Address to be presented before the Division of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry

Nakanishi Prize sponsored by the Nakanishi Prize Endowment, A. Ian Scott, Texas A&M University. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

Nobel Laureate Signature Award for Graduate Education in Chemistry sponsored by Mallinckrodt Baker Inc., Phil S. Baran (student), Harvard University for work done at The Scripps Research Institute; K. C. Nicolaou (preceptor), The Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, CA and University of California, San Diego. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry



James Flack Norris Award in Physical Organic Chemistry sponsored by the Northeastern Section, ACS; Robert G. Bergman, University of California, Berkeley. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

George A. Olah Award in Hydrocarbon or Petroleum Chemistry sponsored by the George A. Olah Endowment, Peter J. Stang, University of Utah, Salt Lake City. Address to be presented before the Division of Organic Chemistry

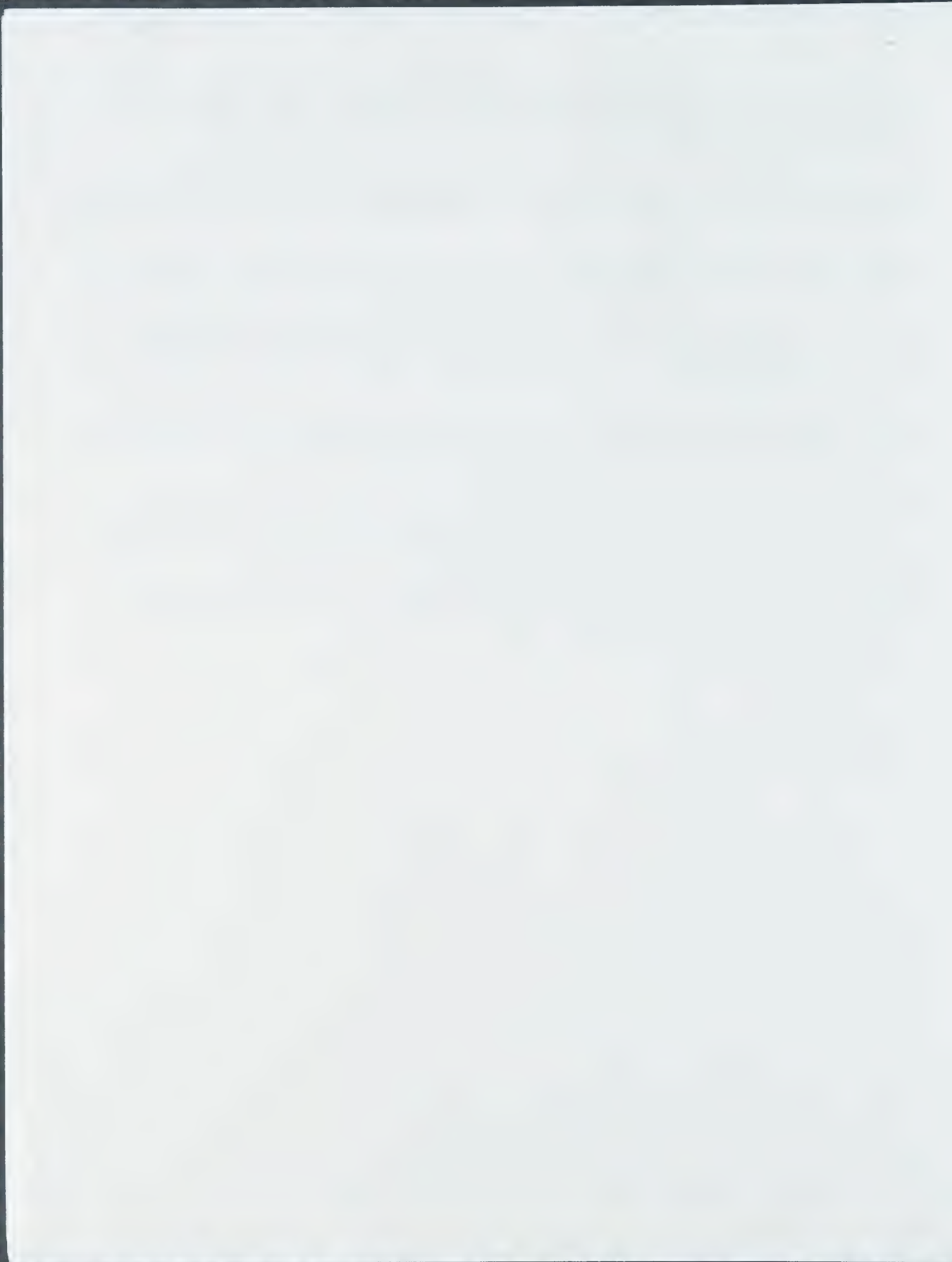
Charles Lathrop Parsons Award, Zafra M. Lerman, Columbia College, Chicago, IL. Address to be presented at the ACS Board of Directors Dinner, Saturday, March 22, 2003, in New Orleans, LA.

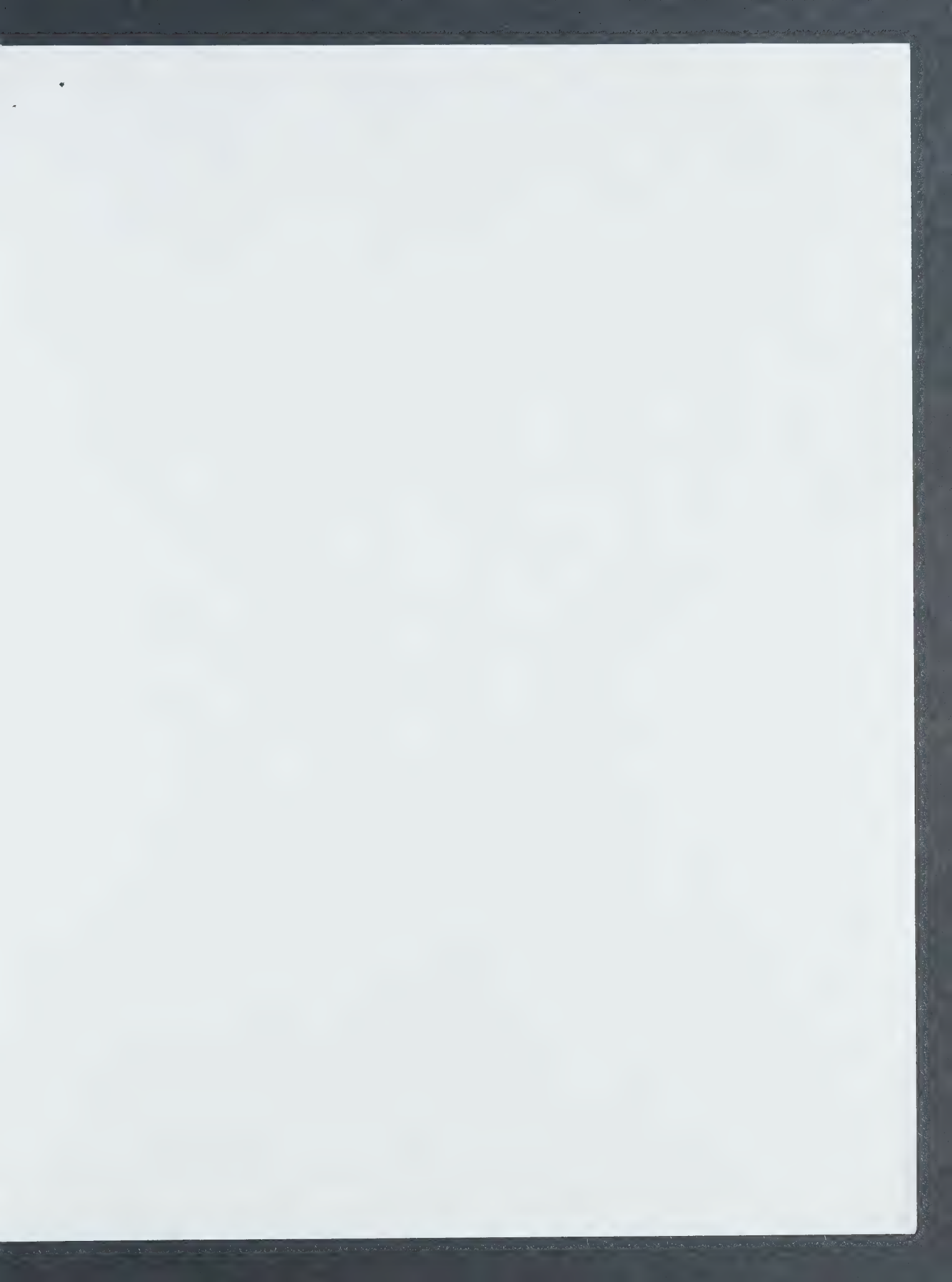
George C. Pimentel Award in Chemical Education sponsored by The Dow Chemical Company, George M. Bodner, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN. Address to be presented before the Division of Chemical Education

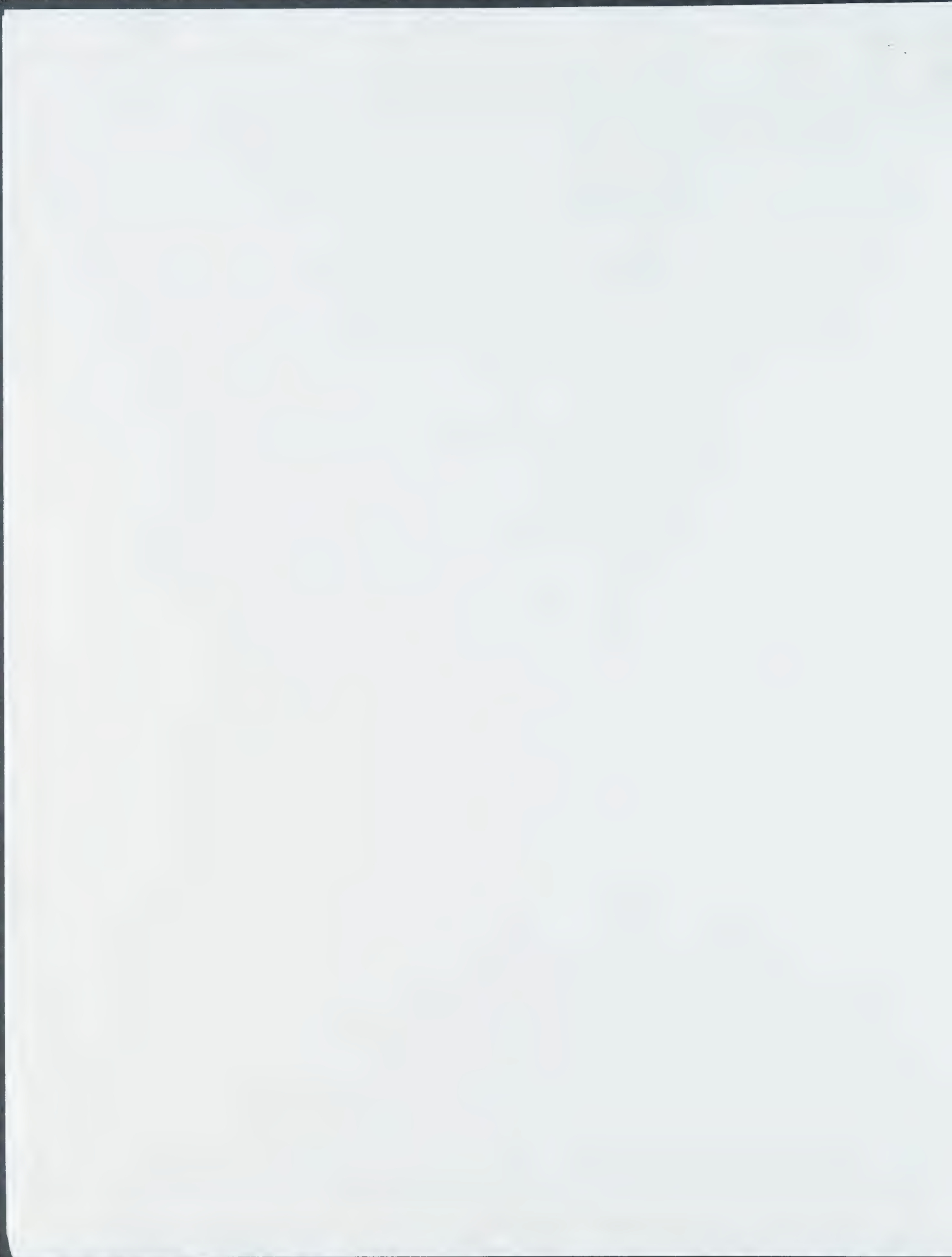
Priestley Medal, Edwin J. Vandenberg, Hercules Incorporated (retired) and Arizona State University. Address to be presented at the general meeting portion of the awards celebration, at the 225th ACS National Meeting, in New Orleans, LA, Tuesday, March 25, 2003.

Glenn T. Seaborg Award for Nuclear Chemistry, Demetrios G. Sarantites, Washington University in St. Louis. Address to be presented before the Division of Nuclear Chemistry and Technology

E. Bright Wilson Award in Spectroscopy sponsored by Rohm and Haas Company, Marilyn E. Jacox, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Gaithersburg, MD. Address to be presented before the Division of Physical Chemistry







THE HOLOCAUST CENTRE

Dr and Mrs A Bader
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6th August, 2002

Dear Dr and Mrs Bader

I do hope this letter finds you well, and hope that you are managing to find time to relax over the summer.

I wanted to be in touch as I thought you would be interested to hear that the Centre has opened to the general public for the month of August. So if you know anyone who would be interested, please do tell them about this. Although our promotion has focused mainly on the Midland region, we are pleased to note that the response has been encouraging, with visitors from as far afield as St. Albans, Glasgow and even Dublin.

I do also want to mention a potential date for your diary. On 9th September, we will be publicly announcing our future plans for the Centre. I do apologise for the somewhat short notice, but co-ordinating the diaries of our two guest speakers has been a little difficult, and resulted in the confirmation of a date which was rather earlier than anticipated. We are very pleased that our guest speaker, Mr. Bob Geldof, and Mr. Marcus Storch, (Vice President of the Nobel Commission), will be saying a few words to launch our future plans for developing the Centre, which are rather exciting.

I will send more details in the next few days, but did want to give you notice as early as possible so that you may be able to pencil this in.

With best regards



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Subject: Brenda Bailey
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Date: Thu, 8 Aug 2002 08:40:59 +0100
To: "Alfred Bader" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred and Isobel,

I contacted Brenda Bailey a few days after you had left. We had a very friendly conversation and she was aware that the meeting with you hadn't gone well and that you were disappointed with the way your funding had been spent. I did however assure her that you did not doubt her goodness and integrity and that of her parents.

She also felt that the meeting had been too short and she hadn't been able to explain the reasoning behind the distribution of the funds.

I suggested she should at least write to you, I hope she has.

I was only the link between you but never the less I feel hugely saddened at the way the money was spent and they missed a very productive opportunity for giving positive help and encouragement to those who so desperately need it. I too have no doubt as to Brenda Bailey's honesty and integrity and in the generous way you thanked the Quakers and Brenda Bailey's parents for their sacrifice and work during the war.

I am sorry I haven't passed on this before but unfortunately my daughter Katy who was staying in the country with friends broke her femur in three places by cross country skateboarding!

I am now at the hospital hoping they will do the operation to pin and screw the bone together so she can return to London in an ambulance. Apart from the pain she's in one piece.

Before this happened I managed to send forty letters to relevant organisations and individuals to help with funding. I have another £10,000 so far and Susan, The Lady Sainsbury has said she will do everything to financially support us at her next trustees meeting at the end of the summer.

I hope to return to London with Katy next week.

I hope that you are both well and busy. It was lovely to see you both and thank you for inviting me. Please lets meet in November.

Love,
Sue.



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August 8, 2002

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Dear Alfred,

As you may recall, well over a year ago you made an extremely generous gift to ACS, which was used, at your request, for the acquisition of the 2000 and 2001 Chemical Abstracts on CD-ROM for the Cuban Chemical Society. The ACS matched your gift, so that two years' abstracts were supplied. (Because of various technical hang-ups, including temporary stoppage of transmission after September 11, it took a little longer to deliver all the abstracts than we had expected, but the hurdles have now been overcome.)

Attached is a statement from the President of the Cuban Chemical Society concerning the very effective use of this tool. Although it is couched in somewhat bureaucratic language (functionaries such as Alberto Nuñez obviously always have to look over their shoulders in anything they say), I believe it documents the wide use the Abstracts have received and their usefulness to the Cuban chemical community.

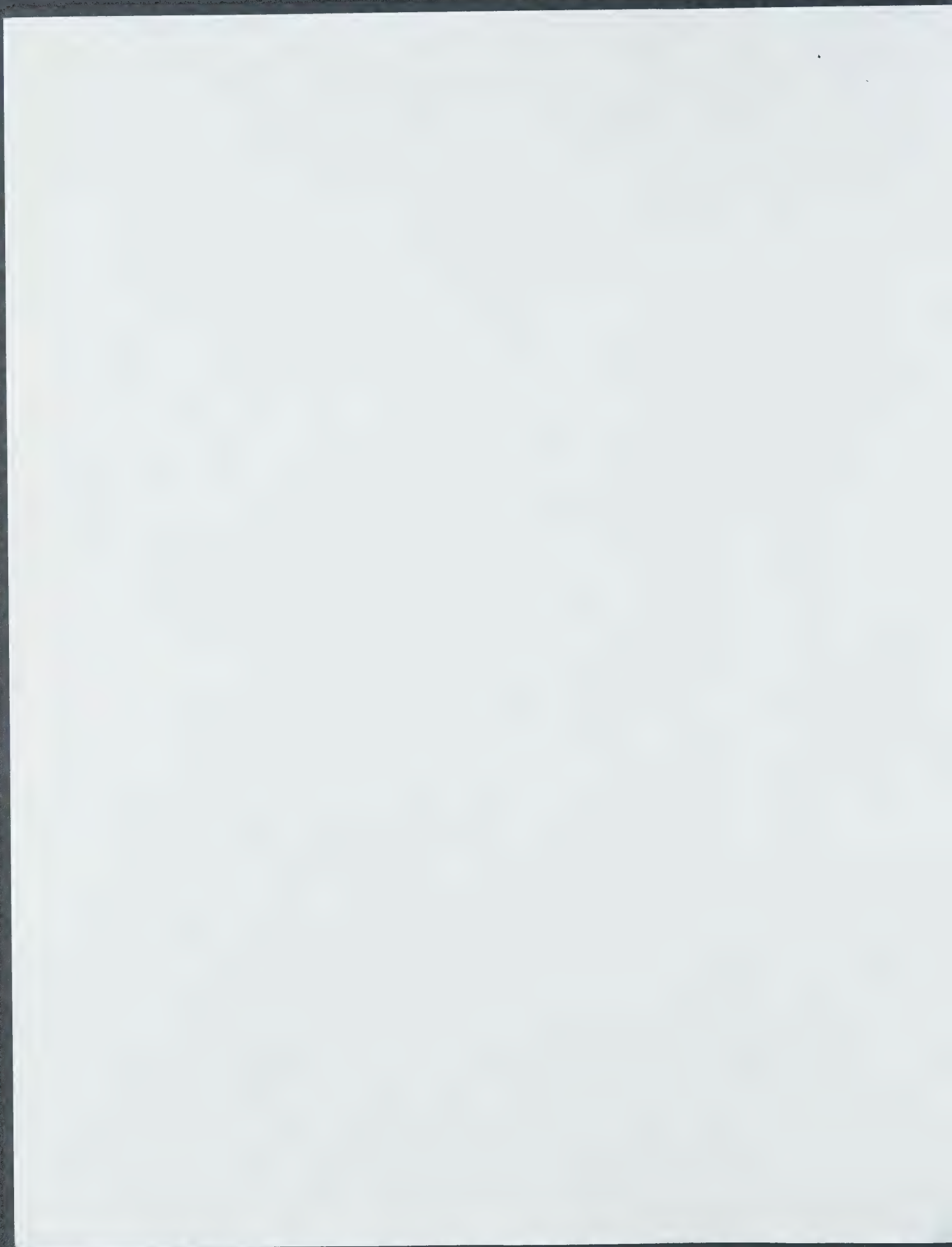
I am wondering, thus, whether you might be interested in extending this arrangement for 2002/2003. If you are attending the ACS meeting in Boston, maybe we can get together and discuss the matter further. If not, perhaps we could discuss it by phone after my return on August 22. I am at my office (919) 962-6198 most afternoons and you can also reach me by email at eliel@email.unc.edu. We would have to ascertain the continuing availability of matching funds.

I hope this letter finds you and you wife well.

Warmest regards,

Ernest L. Eliel

Cc: John Malin



Havana, June 3rd, 2002

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Hereby I state, as President of the Cuban Chemical Society, elected in 1996 and re-elected in 1998 and 2001, and Representative of the Cuban chemical community, that benefits from donations, made to our organization through the American Chemical Society (ACS), regarding subscriptions of Chemical Abstracts on CD Rom for 2000/2001 years may be summarized as follows:

1. It has been possible to maintain the access of the whole educational, scientific, and academic chemical communities in Cuba to the largest worldwide data base on Chemistry, which has been supported by ACS since 1999 and continued by private sponsors in 2000/2001.
2. That access has been possible, free of charge, to every Cuban chemist at the facilities of the Cuban Chemical Society, located at the Center of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Havana.
3. 8 122 accesses have been made possible for chemists, mainly located at Havana, through direct access at PC stations at the Cuban Chemical Society facilities.
4. 23 427 accesses have been made possible for chemists along the country through electronic mail.

It demonstrates that, without such sponsorship, either chemical education, scientific research, or academic exchanges between Cuban and foreign chemists, facilitated by the regular information appearing in CA on CD in 2000/2001, would be highly affected, having serious implications on country social development.



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Dear Alfred,

As you may recall, well over a year ago you made an extremely generous gift to ACS, which was used, at your request, for the acquisition of the 2000 and 2001 Chemical Abstracts on CD-ROM for the Cuban Chemical Society. The ACS matched your gift, so that two years' abstracts were supplied. (Because of various technical hang-ups, including temporary stoppage of transmission after September 11, it took a little longer to deliver all the abstracts than we had expected, but the hurdles have now been overcome.)

Attached is a statement from the President of the Cuban Chemical Society concerning the very effective use of this tool. Although it is couched in somewhat bureaucratic language (functionaries such as Alberto Nuñez obviously always have to look over their shoulders in anything they say), I believe it documents the wide use the Abstracts have received and their usefulness to the Cuban chemical community.

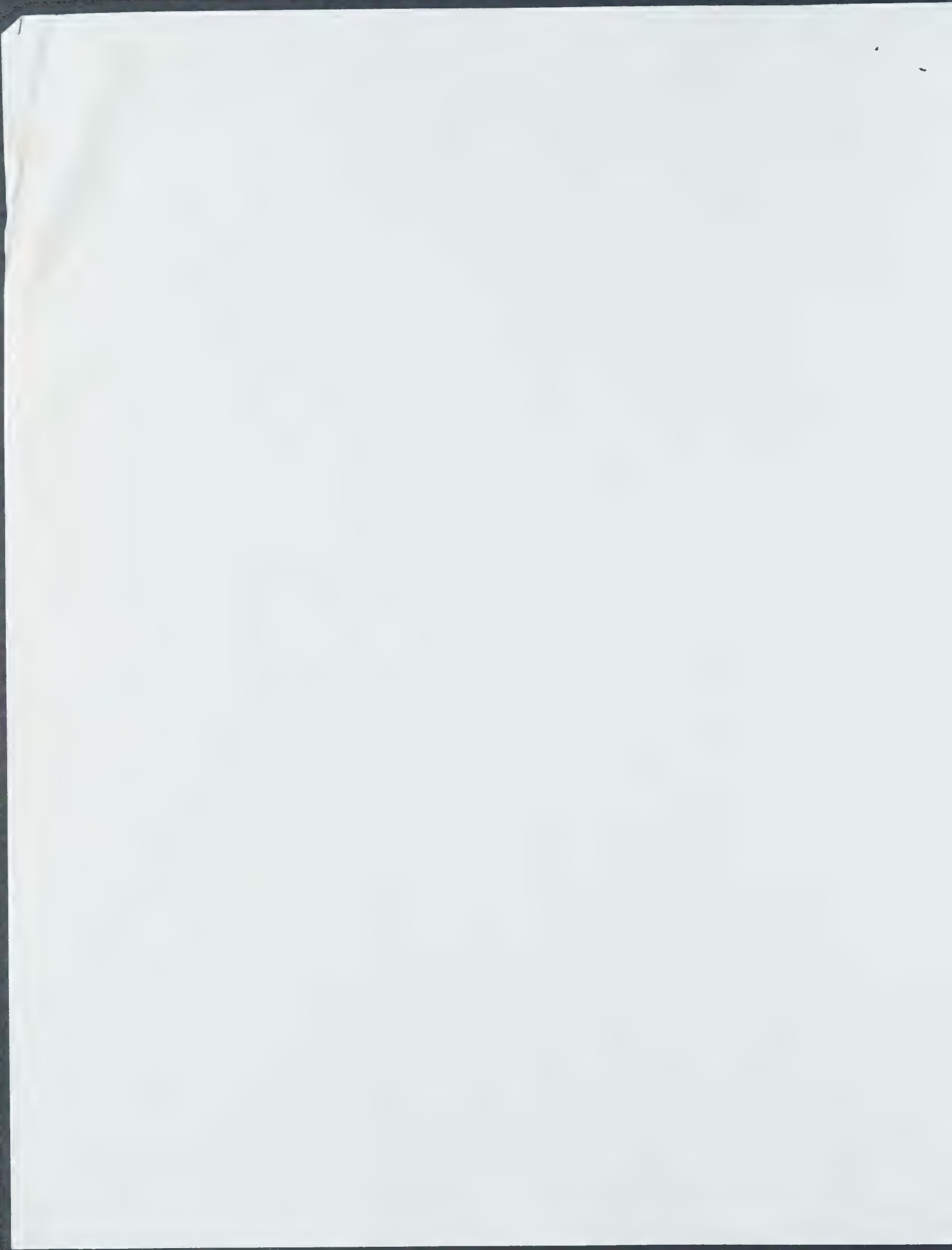
I am wondering, thus, whether you might be interested in extending this arrangement for 2002/2003. If you are attending the ACS meeting in Boston, maybe we can get together and discuss the matter further. If not, perhaps we could discuss it by phone after my return on August 22. I am at my office (919) 962-6198 most afternoons and you can also reach me by email at eliel@email.unc.edu. We would have to ascertain the continuing availability of matching funds.

I hope this letter finds you and you wife well.

Warmest regards,

Ernest L. Eliel

Cc: John Malin



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Aug. 8, 2002

Dear Dr. Baden:

It was a pleasure visiting you at your gallery this
past Tuesday and seeing some of your sales inventory.

I had an opportunity to read chapter 17. "Painting in"
"Adventures of a Chemist Collector". it was very interesting. I plan on reading
it further and discover more about your fascinating life.

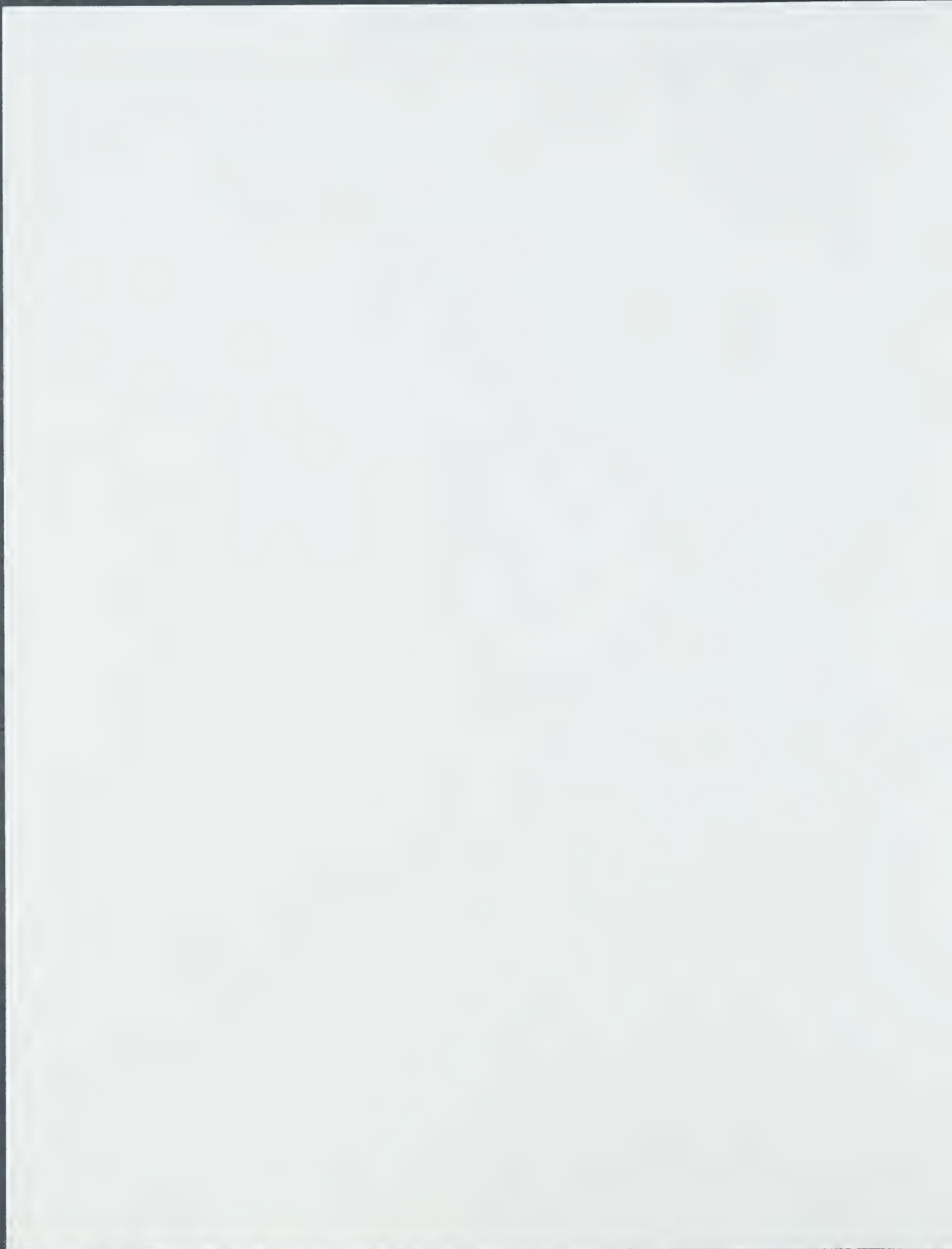
Congratulations!!

Regarding your kind invitation to visit your home and see your
personal collection on some future weekend day, I hope to
contact you early in October after the Jewish Holy Days.

Please send my best regards to Ann and thank her for her
kind hospitality.

Sincerely,

Richard Harris



Subject: Fwd: New Information Request
From: "abfa" <ordersfa@alfredbader.com>
Date: Thu, 08 Aug 2002 11:55:58 -0400
To: <Baderfa@execpc.com>, "David Bader" <David.theLabPO.theLab@thelab.net>, "Gretchen Dossa" <Gretchen.theLabPO.theLab@thelab.net>, "Harry Horner" <Harry.theLabPO.theLab@thelab.net>

Subject: New Information Request
From: ajacobs@dianthus.co.uk
Date: Thu, 08 Aug 2002 11:37:14 -0400
To: david@thelab.net;gretchen@thelab.net;ordersfa@alfredbader.com

A new request has arrived:

Email: ajacobs@dianthus.co.uk
Name: Dr Adam Jacobs
Address1:
Address2:
City:
State:
Country: UK
Zip:
sendEmail: 1
ABFANum:
Notes: Jewish history: nothing to do with paintings.

I met Dr Bader some years ago when I was a PhD student in the chemistry department at Cambridge University, and discovered that he had a keen interest in Jewish history. I recently discovered a fascinating place in London, which I think would be of interest to him. It is a building that has been used by many immigrants to London's East End, and includes a splendid 19th century synagogue among other things. More information about the building, which the owners hope to turn into a museum of immigration, can be found at <http://www.19princeletstreet.org.uk>.

I do hope you can pass this message on to Dr Bader, as I am sure he would be interested. The owners of the building would doubtless be very grateful if Dr Bader is able to support their efforts in any way.

Many thanks
Adam Jacobs

*Send copy
to Ralph N.E.*

Subject: RE: Robert Boyle Society
From: "Thackray, Arnold" <athackray@chemheritage.org>
Date: Fri, 9 Aug 2002 11:27:20 -0400
To: "Alfred Bader Fine Arts" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

Fine! Boston--any hope of an early breakfast together on the Wednesday? If not, what other Tuesday/Wednesday options would work for you?

Yours sincerely,
Arnold

-----Original Message-----

From: Alfred Bader Fine Arts [mailto:baderfa@execpc.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 07, 2002 3:21 PM
To: Thackray, Arnold
Subject: Re: Robert Boyle Society

Dear Arnold,

In response to your e-mail of today, there is nothing mysterious about my \$1800/yr. support ceasing in 2001. It did not really cease, but was increased to \$15,000, and I sent you my second \$15,000 this year and hope to do the same in 2003. If I am still around, I plan to send you a check for \$1800 in 2004. I guess I will wait until then to join the Robert Boyle Society.

Isabel and I plan to be at the Boston meeting and we can all laugh about this together then.

With best wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,
Alfred

Thackray, Arnold wrote:

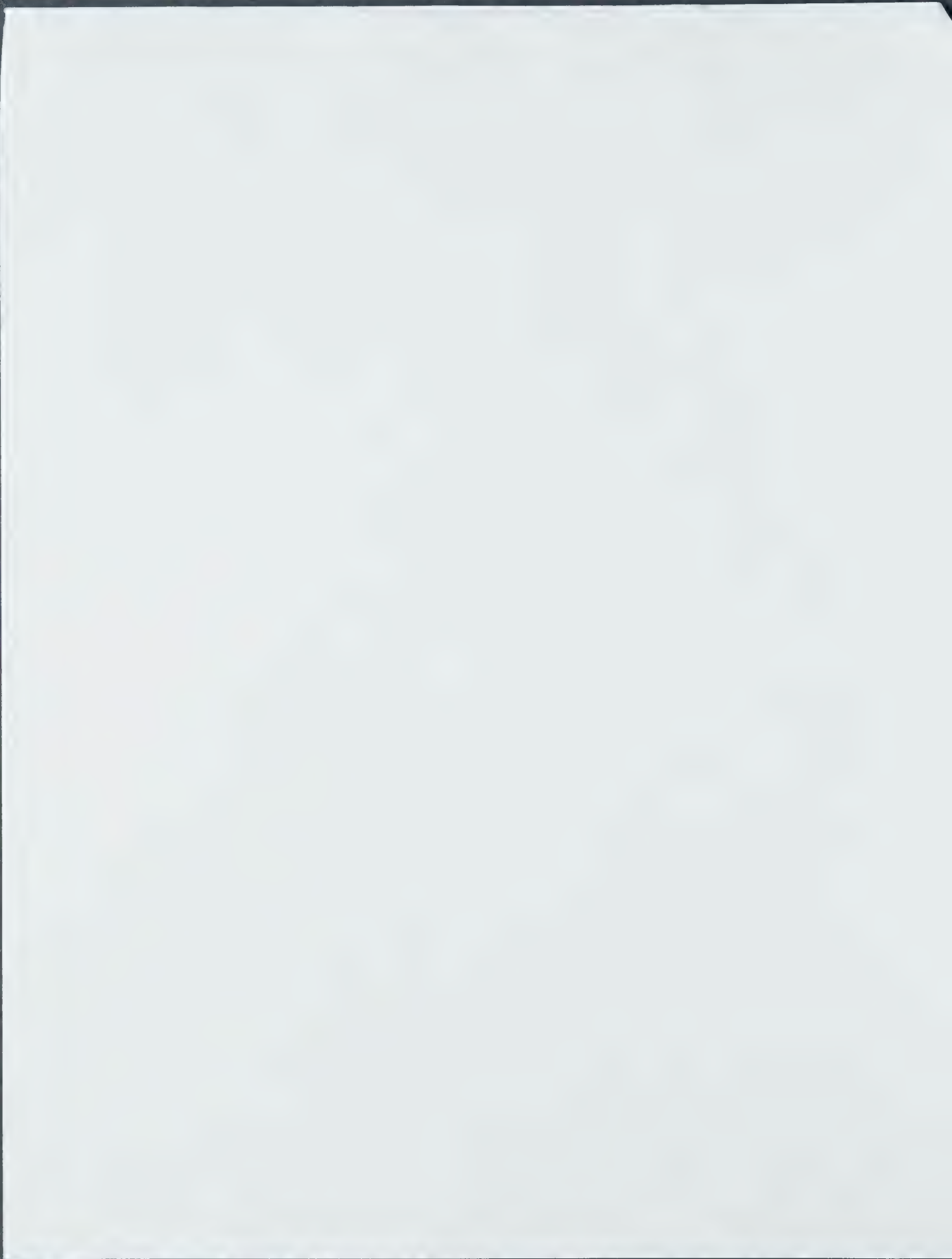
Dear Alfred,

Glad to know that you and Isabel are home, after what I trust were rewarding and invigorating travels. I look forward to hearing of your latest adventure! When shall we meet . . . ?

Since you have been a long-term and very loyal supporter of CHF, I share your conviction that you should surely belong to the Robert Boyle Society--where the aim is precisely that precious, general, unrestricted annual support that you began as long ago as 1987 . . . However, our records show that (mysteriously) your unrestricted annual support of CHF, after continuing for year after year and rising to \$1800 in May 2000, suddenly ceased! Please come back . . . You understand of course that, just as John Haas gives us many thousands in restricted support for projects dear to his heart, he also writes a separate membership check for Boyle. We hope for your continued restricted support, too, and we wish to count you among the very first of those with a n unrestricted faith in CHF, as expressed through charter membership of the Boyle Society.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,





Dr. Alfred Bader
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E-mail: baderfa@execpc.com

A Chemist Helping Chemists

August 9, 2002

Dr. Clinton F. Lane, President
Aldrich Chemical Company
940 West St. Paul Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53233

Dear Clint,

Perhaps you know of very fine interviews with scientists that have been published by Professor Istvan Hargittai first in *The Chemical Intelligencer* and now in the *Chemical Heritage Foundation Magazine*.

These have now been combined into two volumes, one interviews with chemists and the other with biomedical scientists. Descriptions are enclosed.

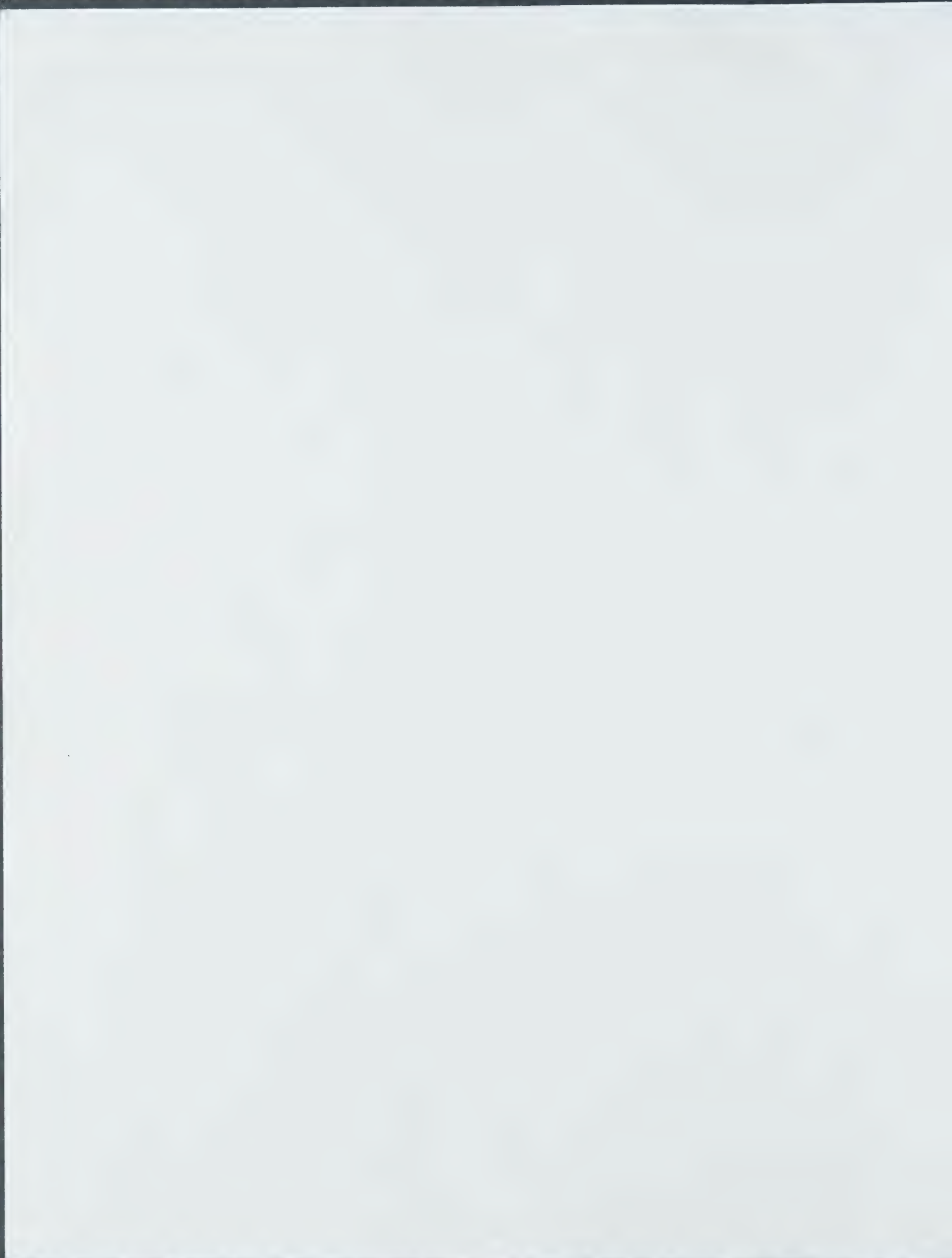
It seems to me that these would fit very well with our book offerings.

Will we see you in Boston?

With all best wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az
Enc.



Dear Rabbi Ascherman,

Thank you for your e-mail of Wednesday about malnutrition in the territories.

There probably is some malnutrition but surely this is not the most important problem. I'm afraid that there might even be malnutrition in some of our big cities, like Milwaukee, in the United States.

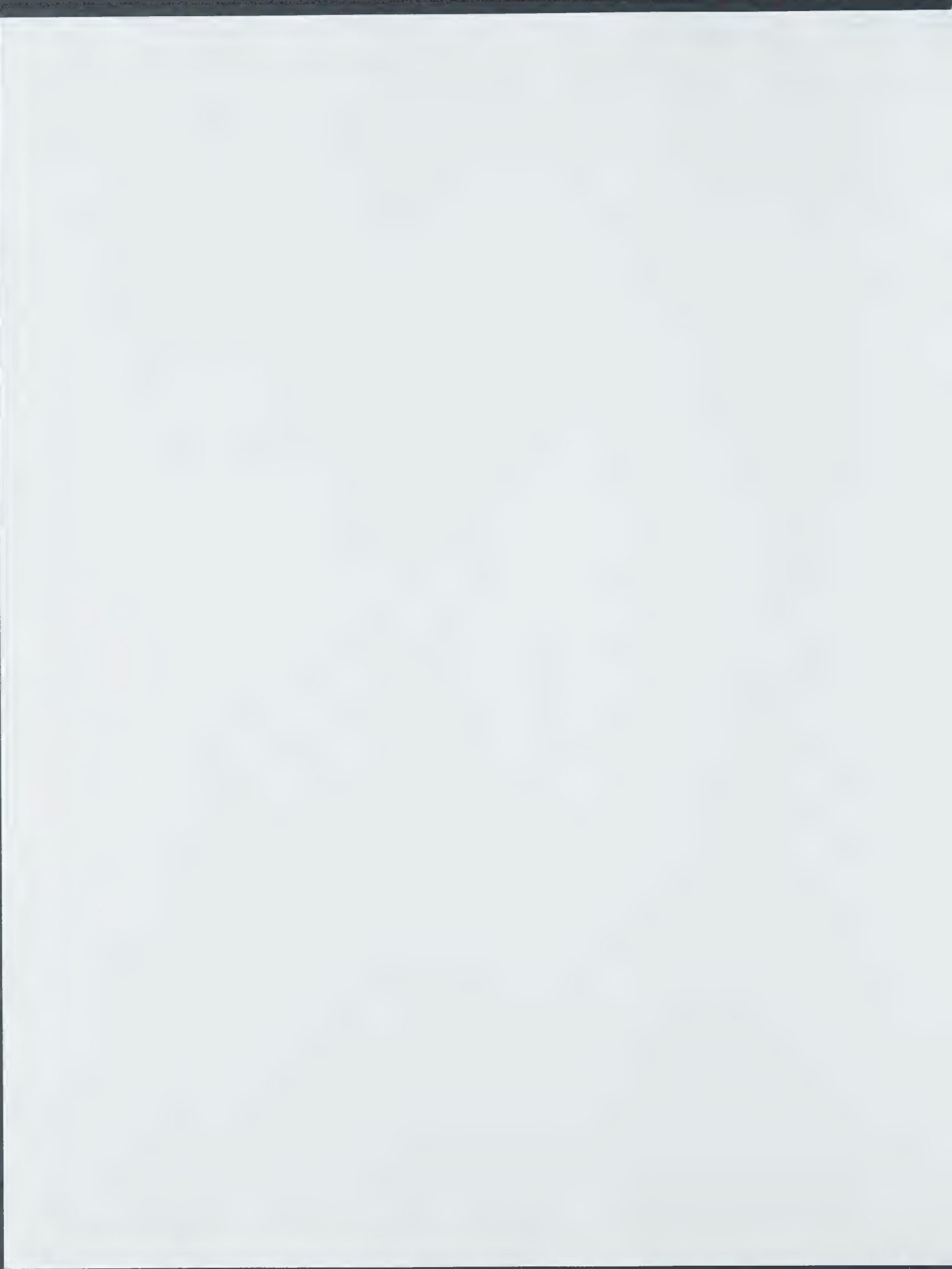
The key problem which is so very difficult to solve, though of course you are trying, is that so many innocent Palestinians are treated very badly by our people who have to use force to try and find the terrorists, but that force leads to the humiliation of so many innocent.

In any case, I admire your work and am mailing my check for \$10,000 to RHR-North America in Philadelphia today.

I have been working very closely with a good friend, Adina Shapiro, whose e-mail is adinashapiro@yahoo.com. She is the co-chair of MECA, which tries to bring Israeli and Palestinian teachers together. Adina has also been helping me to bring about a better understanding between Israeli Jews and Israeli Arabs. You might enjoy meeting Adina, who lives in Jerusalem.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader



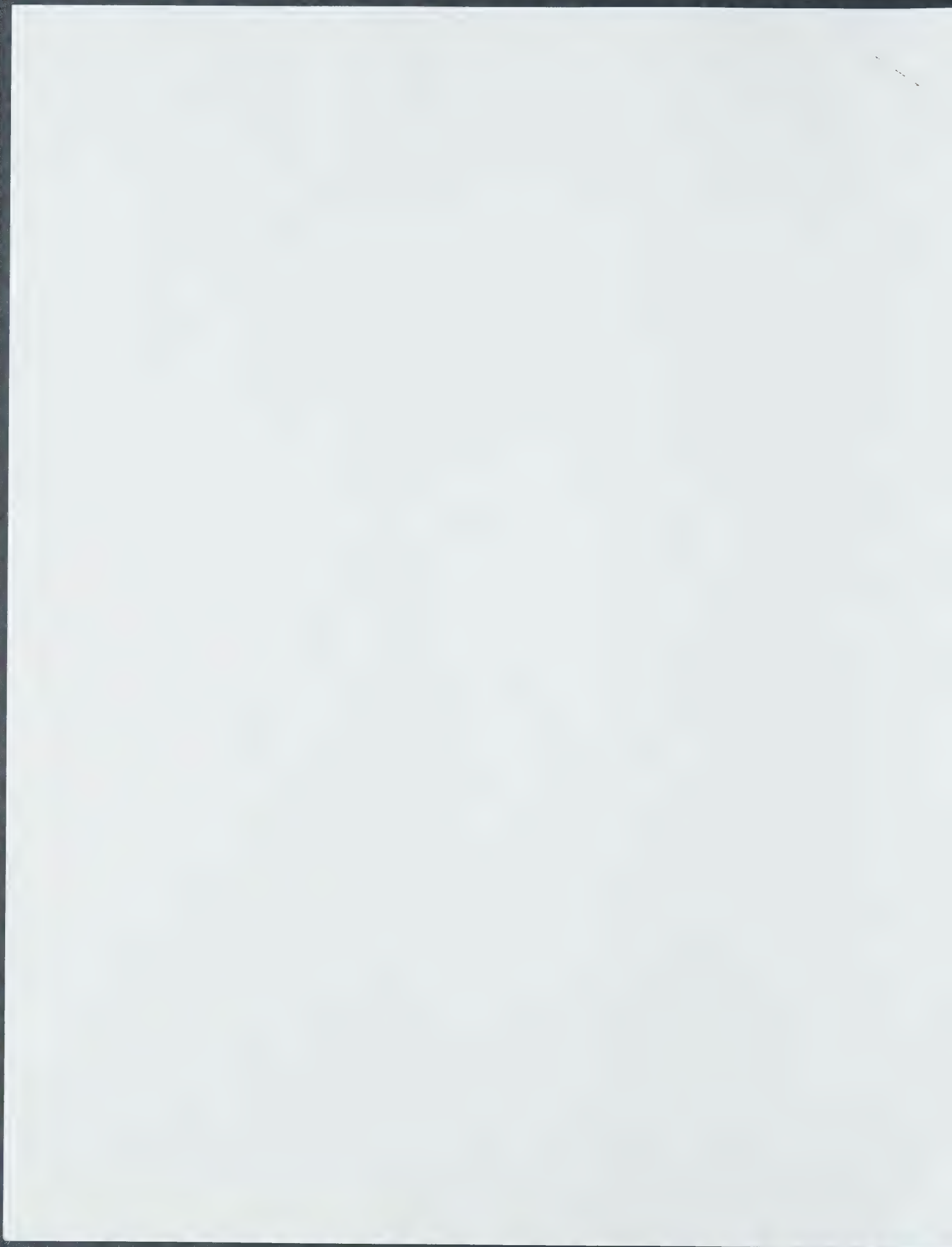
Dear Victor,

Congratulations for being awarded the highest honor in Lithuania.

Isabel and I look forward to being at Queen's October 4th and 5th and hope then to be able to congratulate you personally.

With all good wishes I remain

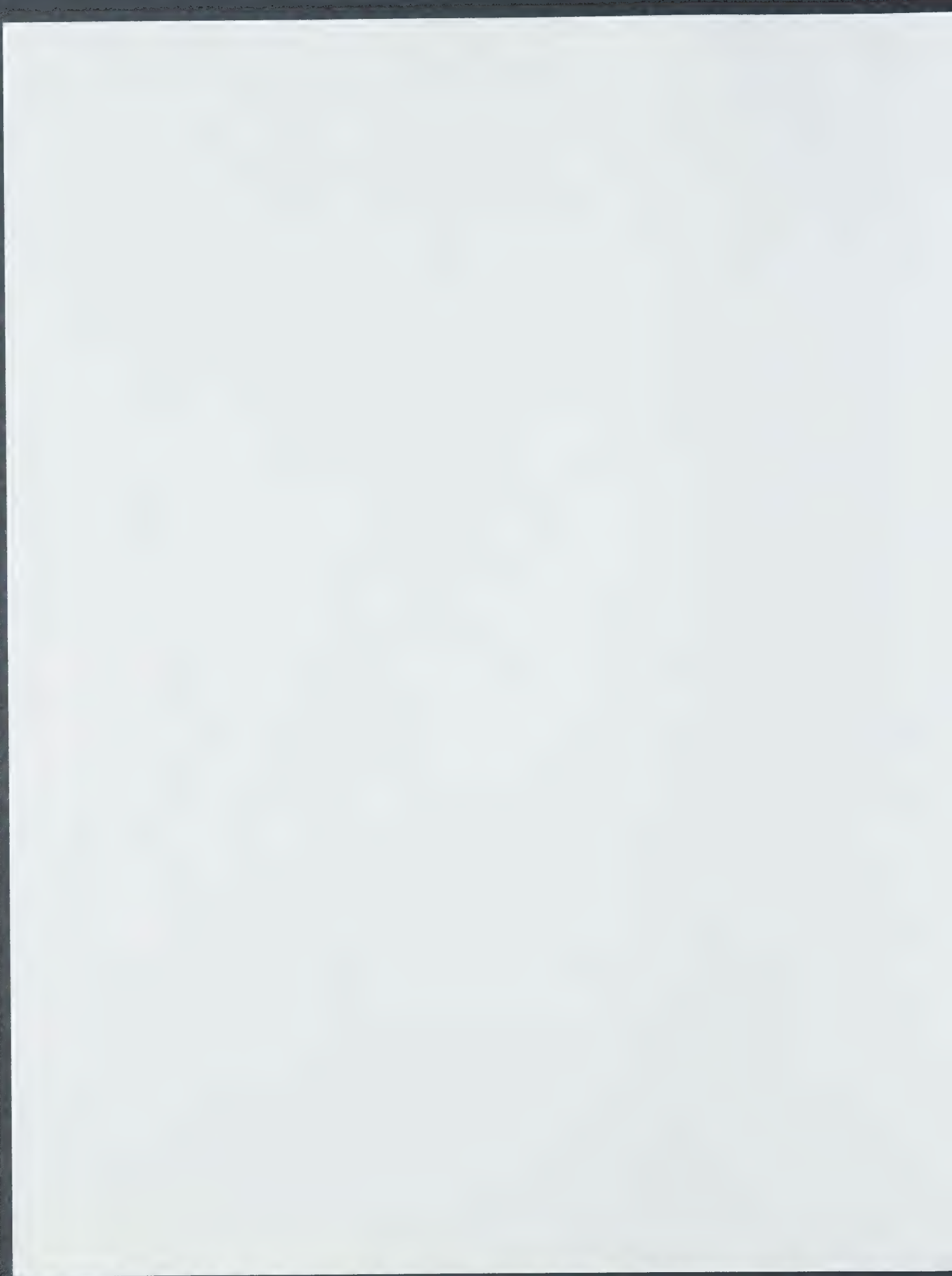
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From: steven nadler <smnadler@facstaff.wisc.edu>
Date: Fri, 09 Aug 2002 12:07:38 -0500
To: ordersfa@alfredbader.com

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It would be wonderful if you can attend. The first session will be at 3:30, the second one at 7:30.
If you can, I would also like to invite you to be our guest at a dinner for the speakersthat evening, between the two sessions.
With best wishes,
Steve Nadler



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12 August 2002

Dr Alfred Bader
924 East Juneau
Suite 622
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USA

Dear Alfred Bader,

I am pleased to invite you to a special QPSW event on September 4th at which Mo Mowlam will be speaking with a small audience at Friends House. As the UK Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Mo Mowlam played a pivotal role in the Northern Ireland peace process, which led to Good Friday Agreement. Mo Mowlam's work at this time is known and respected well beyond Britain. Less well known was her close relationship with our workers at Quaker House, Belfast during this period. Mo Mowlam will be reflecting on lessons learned in conflict resolution, the situation in Northern Ireland, and the role that Quaker House Belfast played in her work. I realize that this may not be a convenient location for you, but as I think it should be a very interesting morning, I wanted to include you on the invitation list. If you are unable to come, you are very welcome to pass the invitation along to either your children or someone else you think may enjoy the morning with the understanding that it is closed to the media and by invitation only. Depending on the response, I may organize a small reception afterward.

With good wishes,

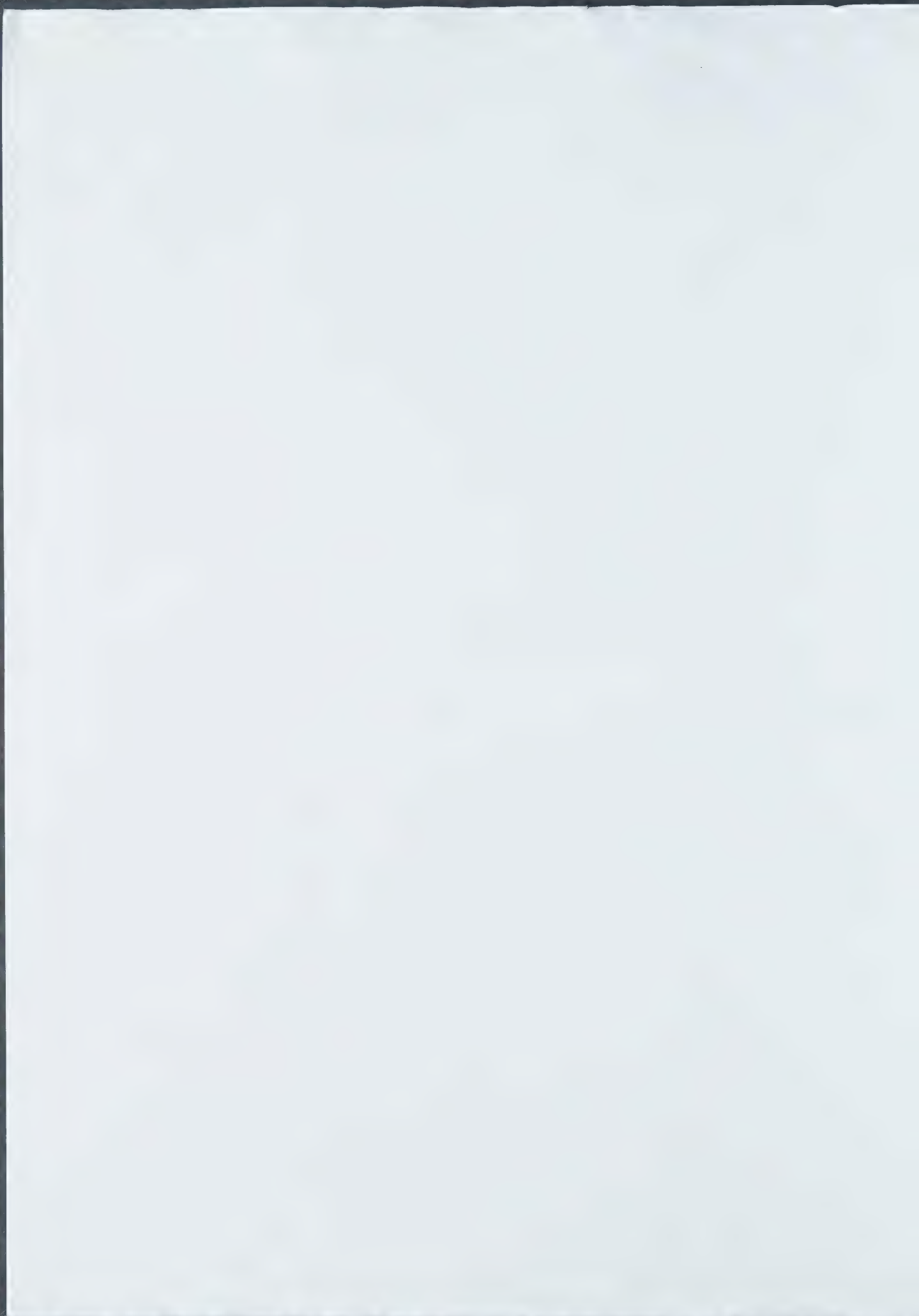
A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Liz Cafferty'.

Elizabeth Cafferty
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*I've spoken with Brenda and
I am sure you'll be glad to
hear that she is recovering
nicely!*

Encs.





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PAUL G. VANDEN HEUVEL
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Monday, August 12, 2002

Dr. Alfred Bader
2961 North Shepard Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Dr. Bader:

I enjoyed talking with you this afternoon. As you suggested during our earlier conversation, I have recently ordered a copy of your book, "Adventures of a Chemist Collector," and look forward to receiving it soon.

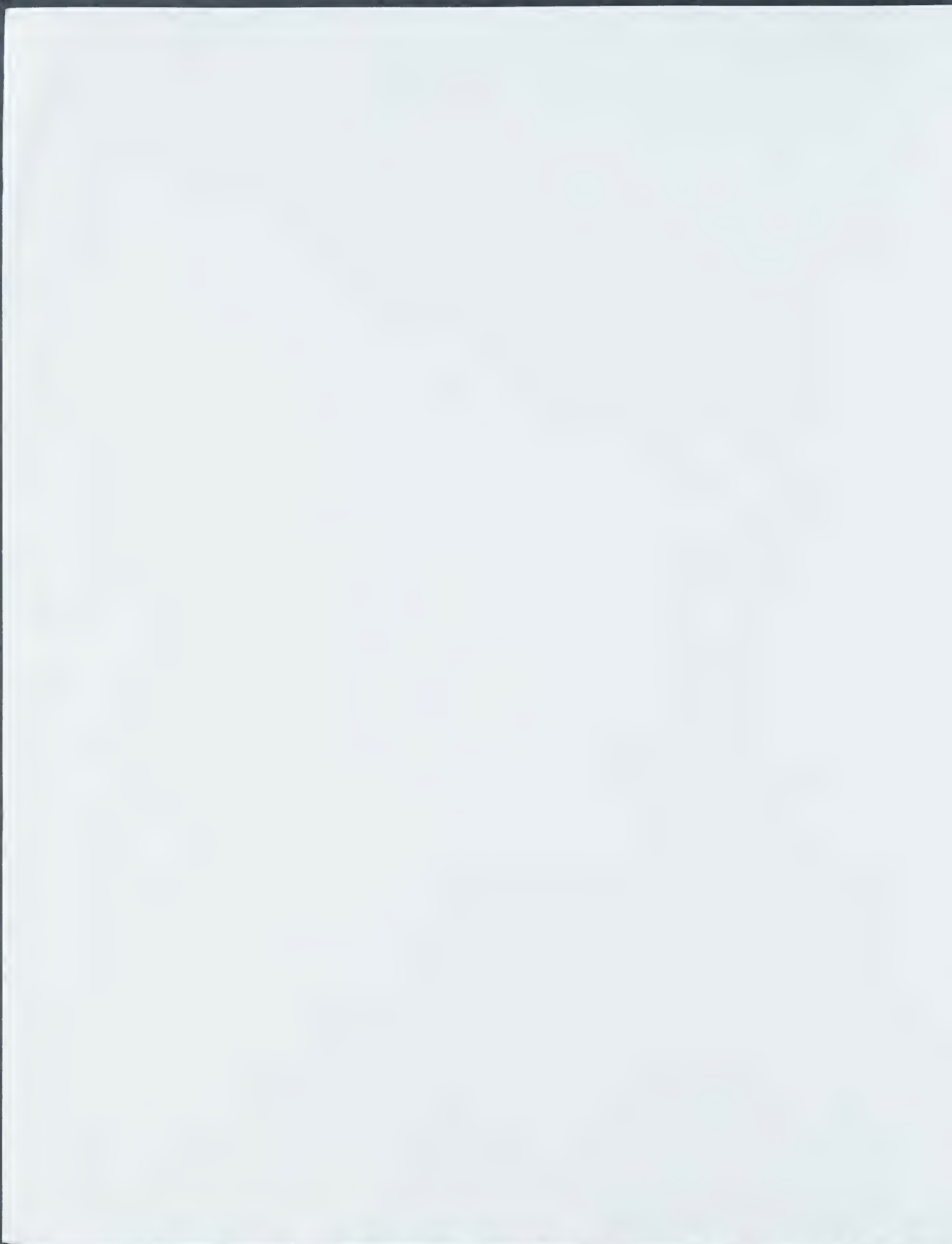
As we briefly discussed, I had arranged for you to receive materials describing the Eaton Vance Exchange Fund ("Belrose Capital"). I understand that you have a great deal of confidence in Sigma Aldrich shares and recognize that the Exchange Fund Structure may not be an appropriate vehicle for you at this time. Please understand that I was not recommending that you invest in the Exchange Fund. I do not know enough about your individual circumstances to make such a recommendation.

I am sorry that you will be unable to meet with us for thirty minutes during our visit to Milwaukee this Friday, August 16th. I hope that we will be able to arrange a convenient time to meet during one of our next visits to town, and look forward to speaking with you again soon.

Best regards,



Paul G. Vanden Heuvel



Dear Vladimir,

Thank you for your e-mail of today.

Of course we hope that your bronchitis is improving.

This chemist friend of yours, Radim Hrdina, certainly sounds like an able and likeable fellow, but you did not tell me whether he got his Ph.D. from the Charles University or plans to receive it in Glasgow.

We had a long chat with the academics in Brno and they very much want a man or woman with some more experience, preferably someone who is now a docent.

Please do let me know where your friend received his Ph.D.

With best wishes,
Alfred

Vladimír Matouš wrote:

Dear Alfred,

1) I am sending you and Isabel a lot of cordial greetings hoping you are well. Annie has informed me about your generous gift to our young chemists (Chem.Olympiade). Thanks on behalf of our students!

2) In these days also our country is punished with heavy rains and tragic floods as they occur in the whole Europe. Some villages and towns are evacuated, including part of Prague, and damages are astronomical.

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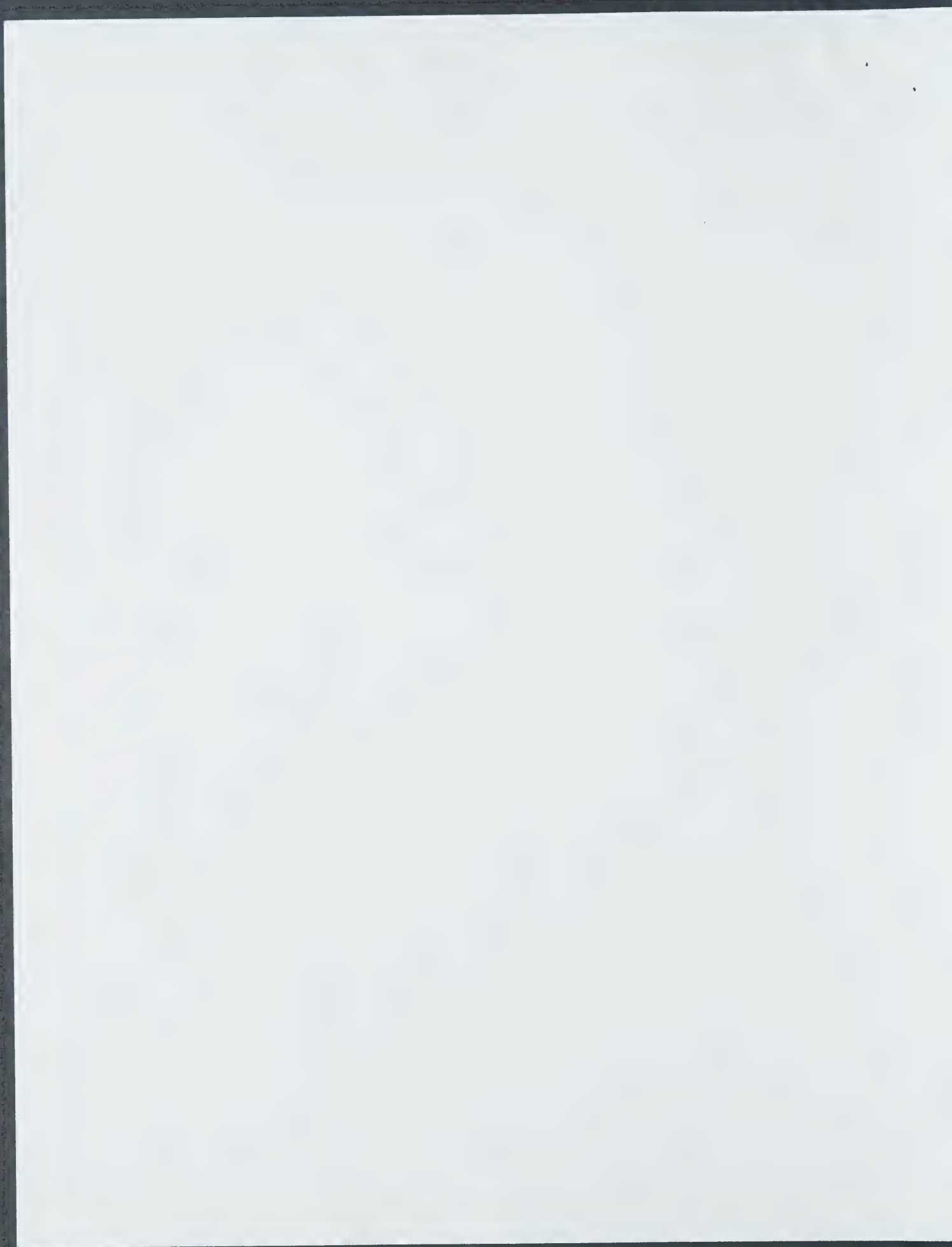
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Dear Alfred, what do you think about? Please, let me know.

With best best regards, also to Ann,

Vladimir



Subject: greetings and wish
From: Vladimír Matouš <matous.vladimir@worldonline.cz>
Date: Mon, 12 Aug 2002 16:57:51 +0200
To: <baderfa@execpc.com>

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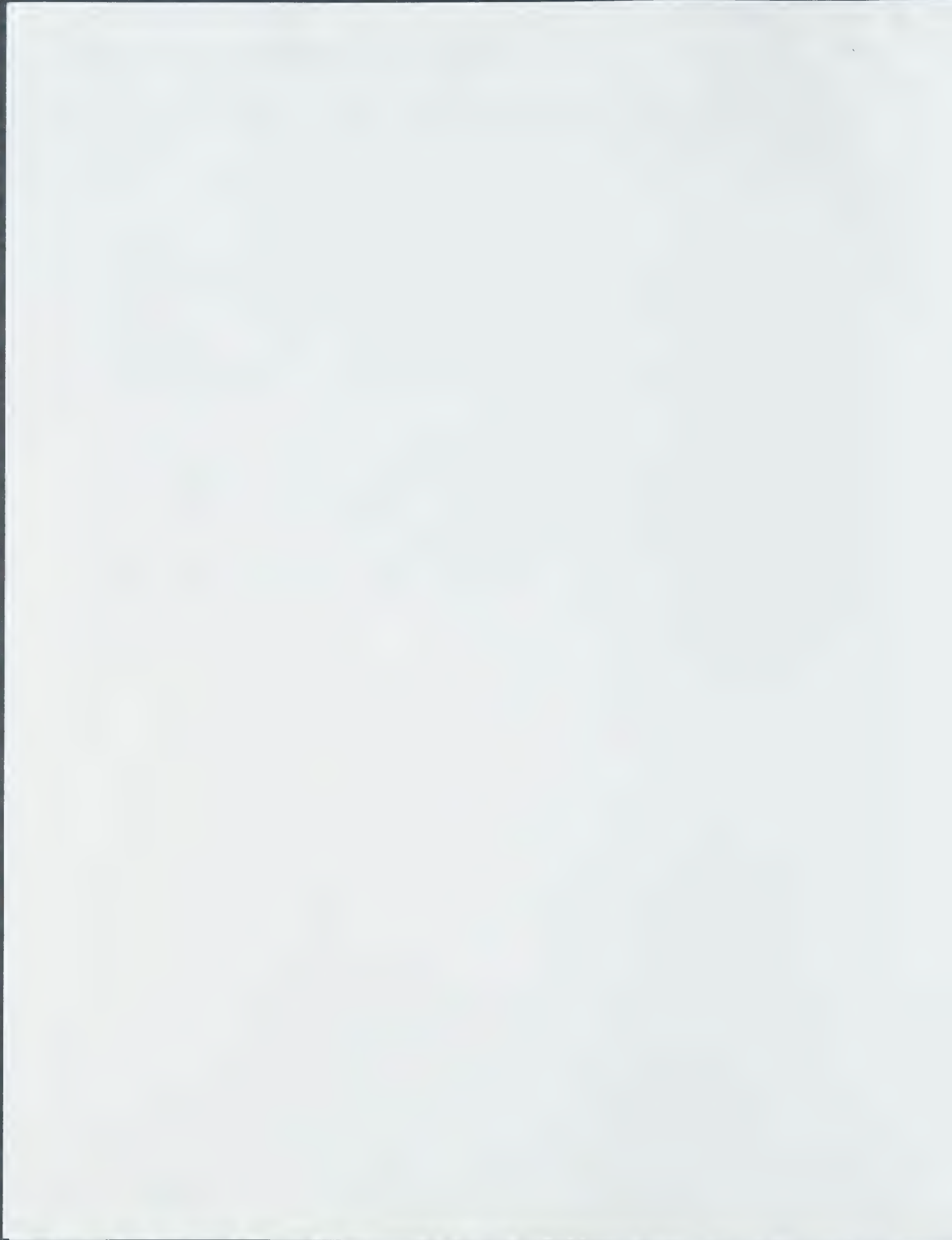
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Date: 29.07.2002

Signature:

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.....RADIM.....
First name

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Nationality: Czech

Education (degrees, dates, universities)

Education: 1994 - 1998

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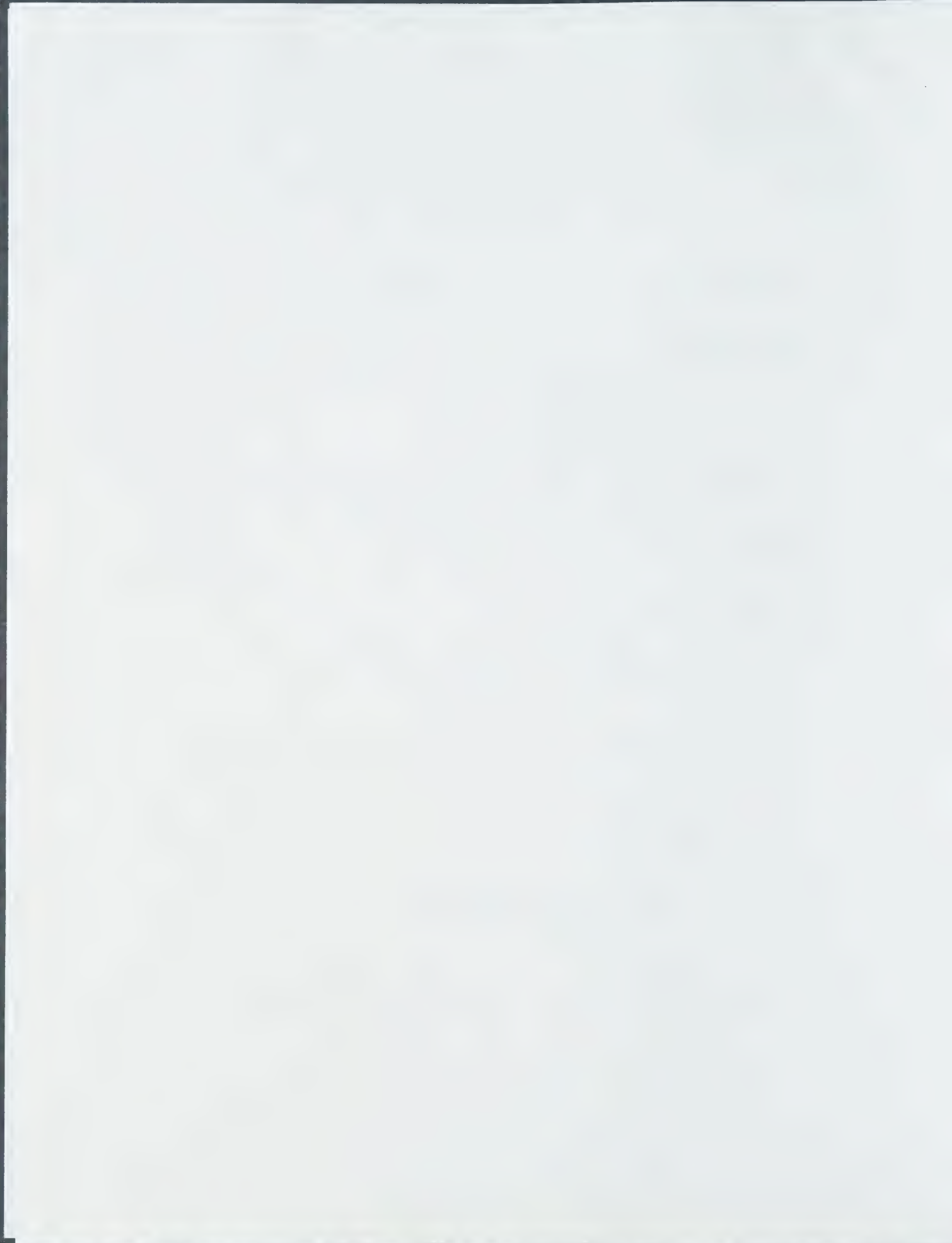
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University of Glasgow ,UK ,Department of Organic
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Diploma work: Syntheses of binaphthyl like catalysts for
stereoselective syntheses

Supervisors: Dr.Š.Vyskočil, prof.P.Kočovský

Language knowledge: English, German, Portuguese (beginner)



Dear Steven,

Of course I remember your talk last February and would love to be able to come to the lectures on December 5th, particularly as I know Larry Silver, a very competent art historian.

Unfortunately I have accepted invitations to speak at Cambridge University and in fact one of the talks is entitled *The Bible Through Dutch Eyes* a/k/a Rembrandt and the Jews.

I wish I could be in two places at the same time.

With best regards I remain

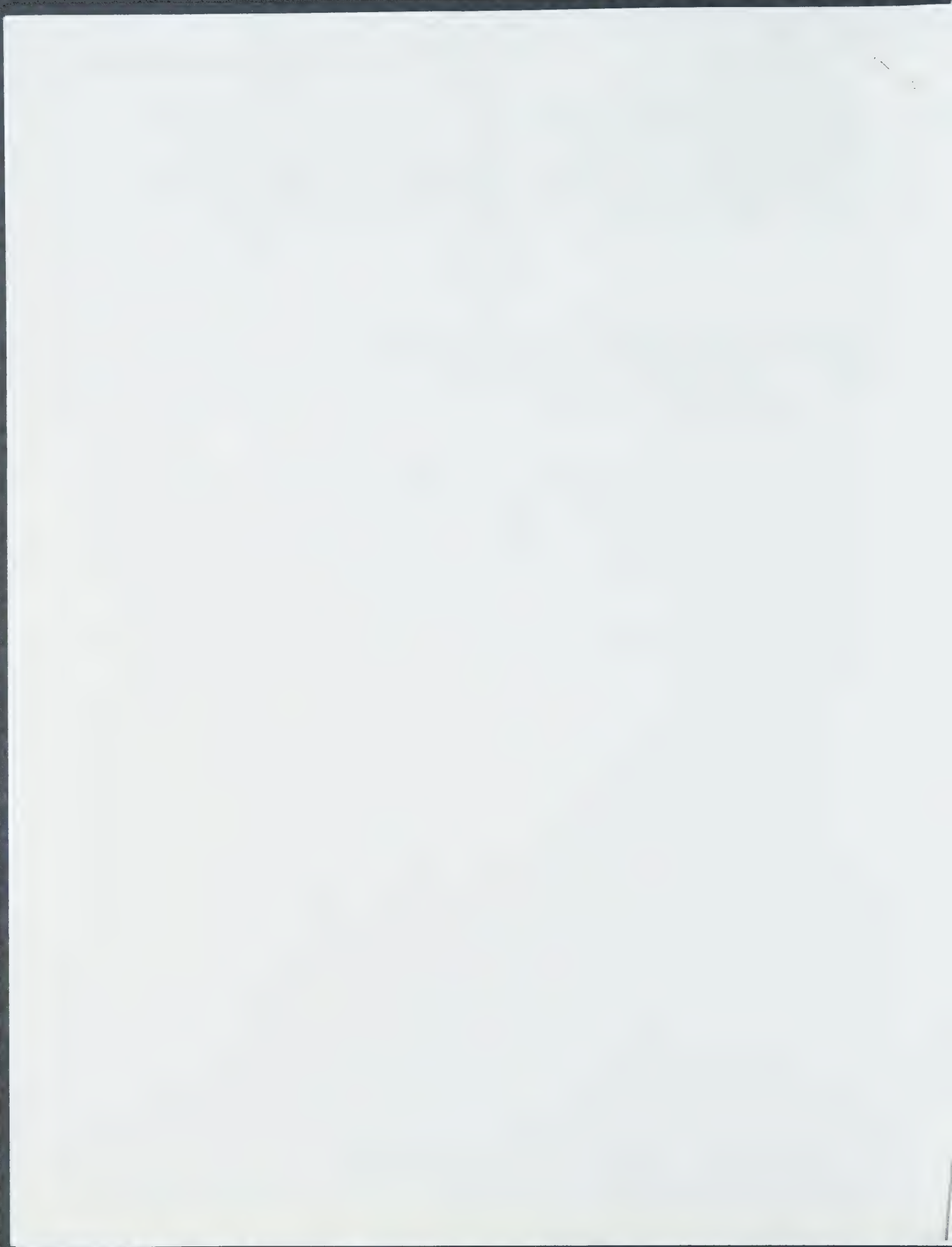
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Steve Nadler





ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

ALFRED BADER

ESTABLISHED 1961

August 12, 2002

Dr. Helen Lee
3625 Fox Hunt Drive
Ann Arbor, MI 48105

Dear Helen,

It took a little while for the penny to drop.

I was in England when I was told that a chemist in Michigan was looking for some paintings and that our good friend, Anna Napiorkowski, was trying to help.

Not until I received your check on Friday did I realize that our new customer is Dr. Helen Lee, who did such fine chemistry with Bill Szabo some 20 or 25 years ago.

Ann Arbor to Milwaukee is not all that far and I am wondering whether I could not persuade you and your husband to take a spin to our gallery to pick the paintings you like the best. The ideal date would be the weekend of October 20th because that Sunday evening there will be one of our semi-annual Aldrich Reunion dinners, to which many old-timers come. We have supper at a simple Chinese restaurant followed by an open house in my gallery.

What can I tell you about your old friends? Bill Szabo moved from Milwaukee to St. Louis and then left SIAL and is now in San Diego. Jackie Mititch may be at the October 20th dinner, though I know that she is thinking about leaving Milwaukee to move to Texas. Anna Napiorkowski, of course, is doing very well and in fact three of Lancaster's best people have come from Aldrich -- Anna, Al Runquist and Woody Fischbach.

Is your husband teaching physics at the University of Michigan?

Of course you should not have to wait until October to acquire some more paintings and so I enclose some snapshots for your consideration.

Do you have my autobiography, *Adventures of a Chemist Collector*? If not, I will be happy to mail you a copy.

By Appointment Only

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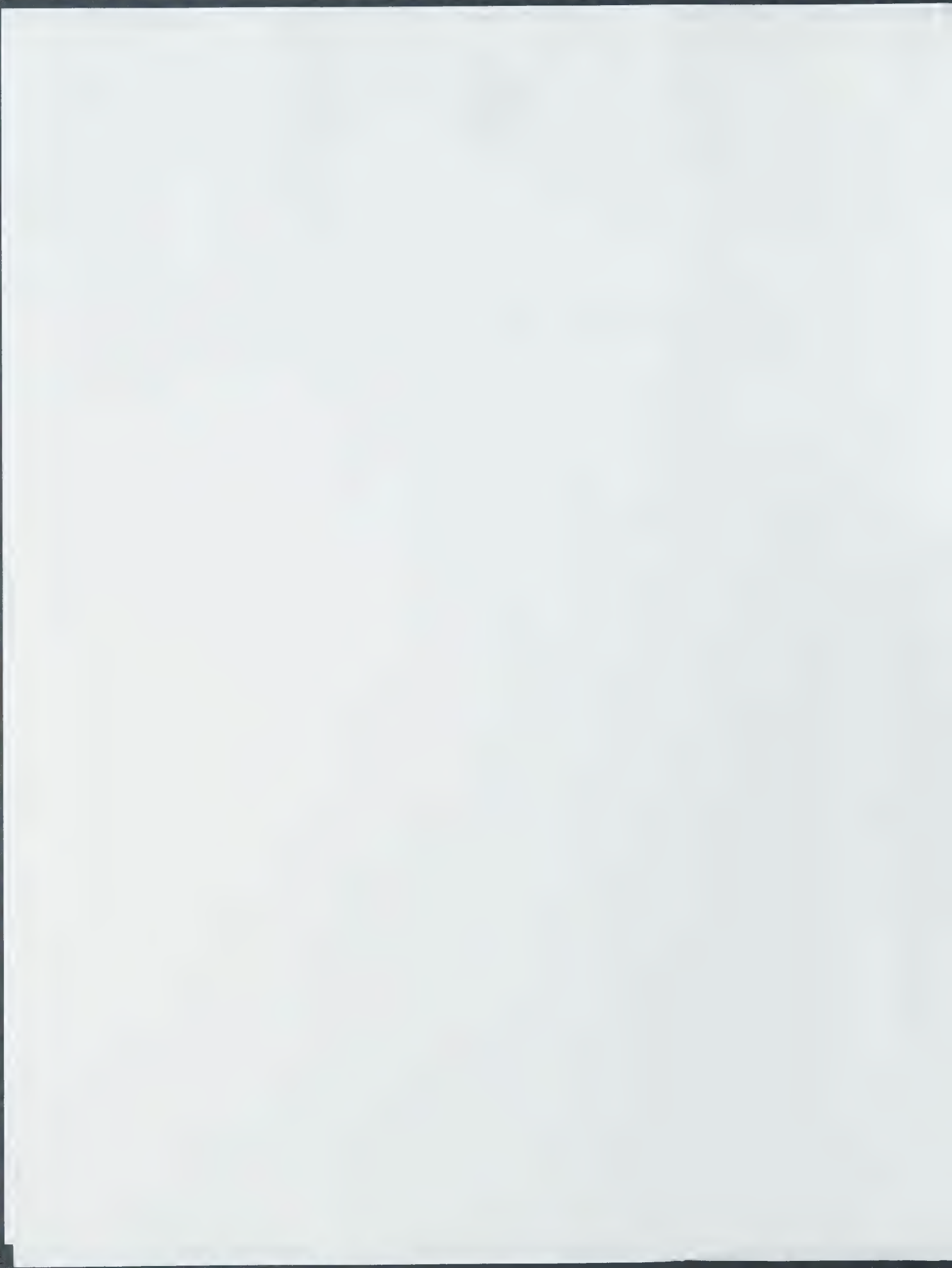


Dr. Helen Lee
August 12, 2002
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With all good wishes from house to house I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az
Enc. - Photos
C: Mrs. Anna Napiorkowski





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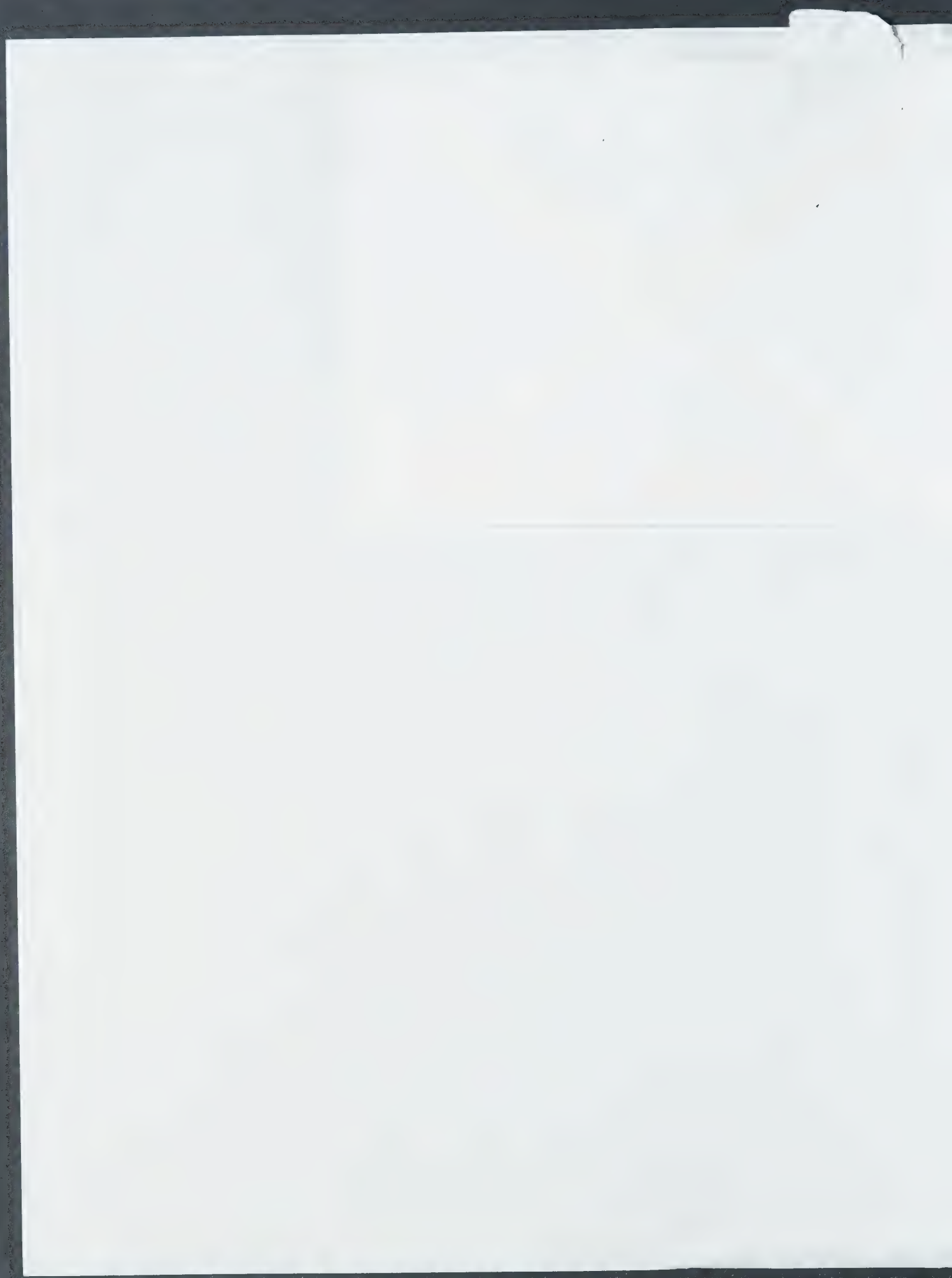


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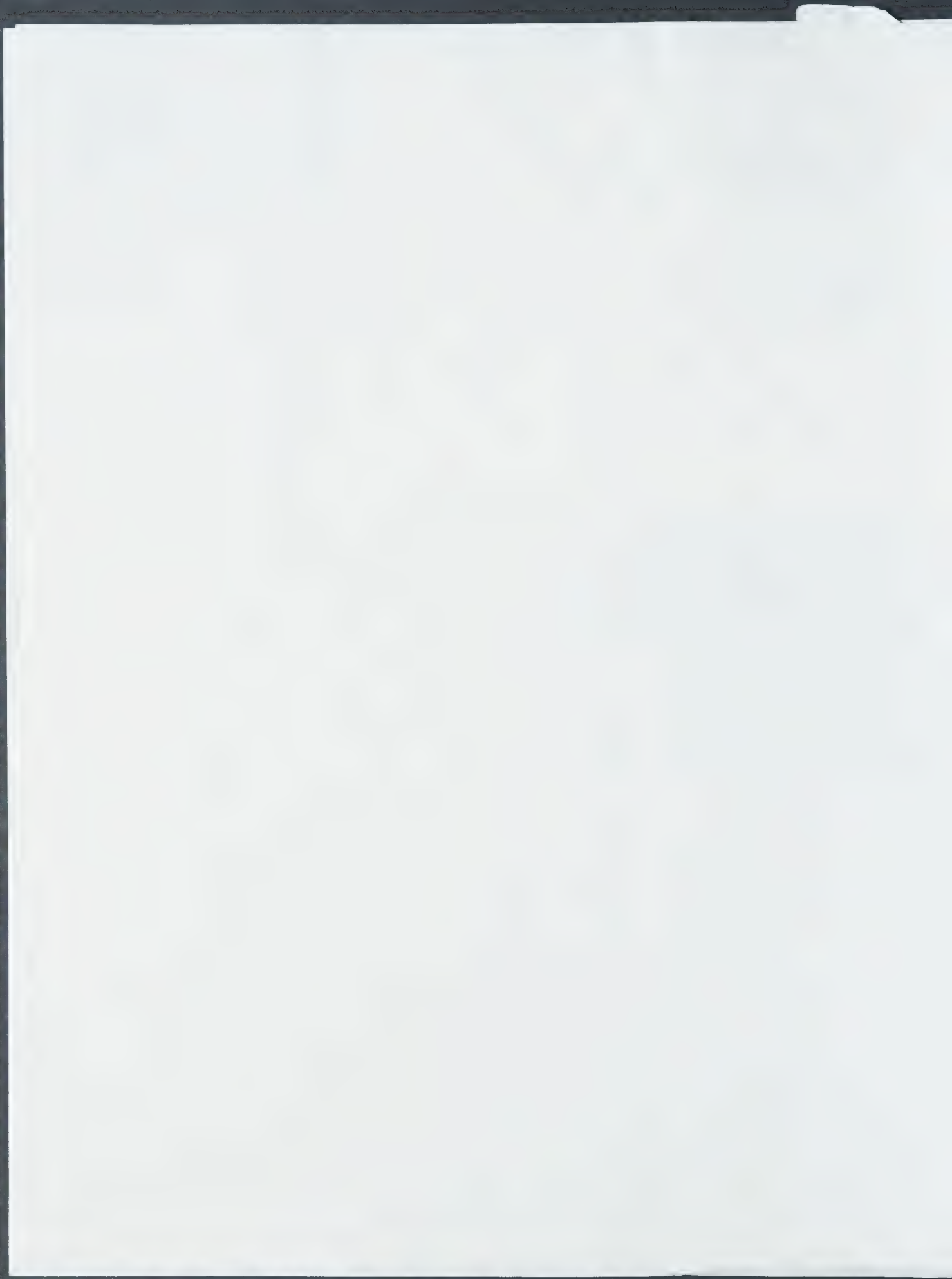
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ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

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ESTABLISHED 1961

August 13, 2002

Chancellor Nancy Zimpher
4430 N. Lake Drive
Shorewood, WI 53211

Dear Nancy,

Thank you for your thoughtful offer of a ticket to listen to President Bush on Wednesday. I am sure that you will find a loyal Republican who will enjoy listening to our President.

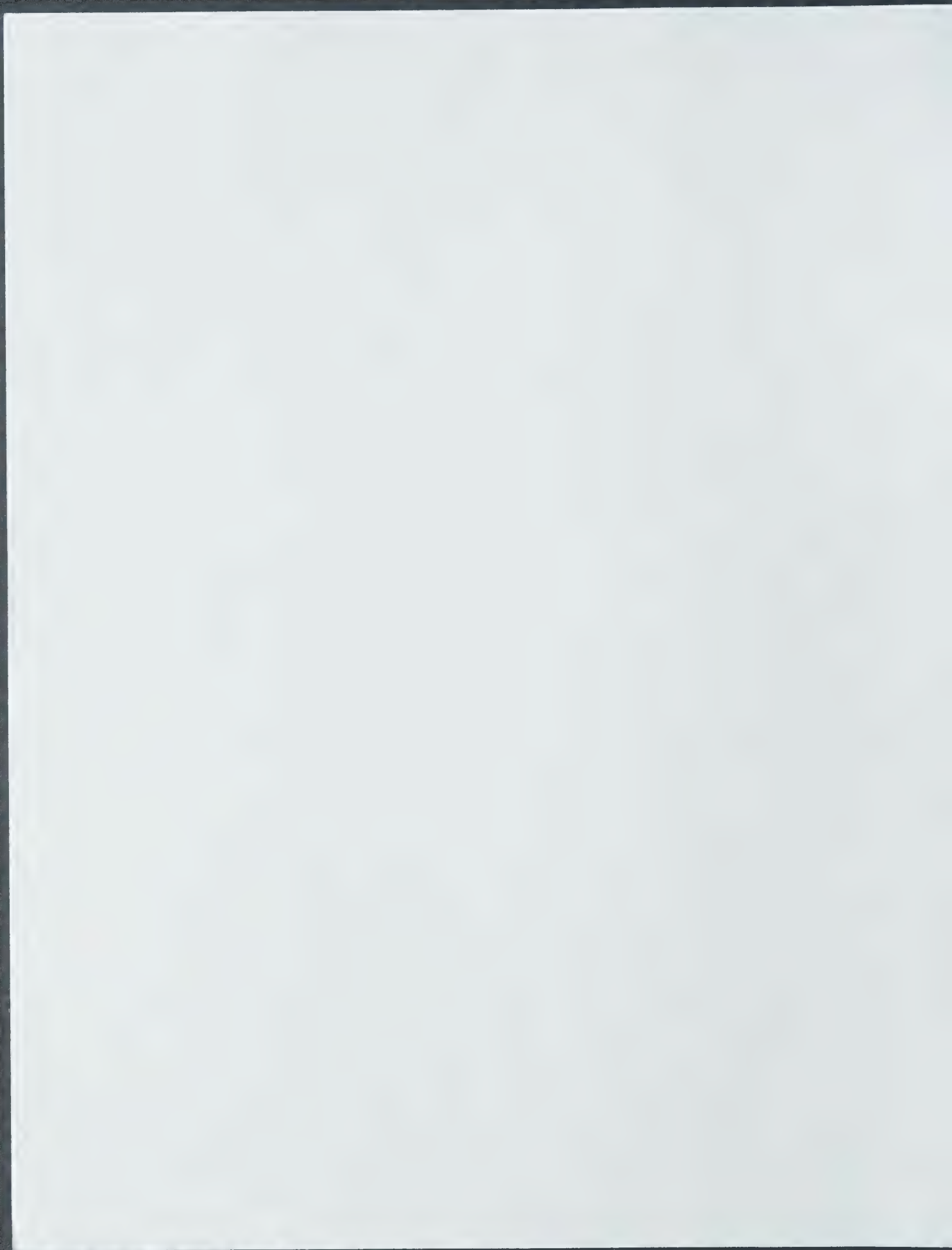
I hope that you are enjoying that beautiful *View of the Charles Bridge in Prague* by Kosak. How do the other two paintings appeal to you?

Again, many thanks and best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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August 13, 2002

TO: Sue & Bernie Pucker

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FAX #: 1-617-424-9759

Dear Sue and Bernie,

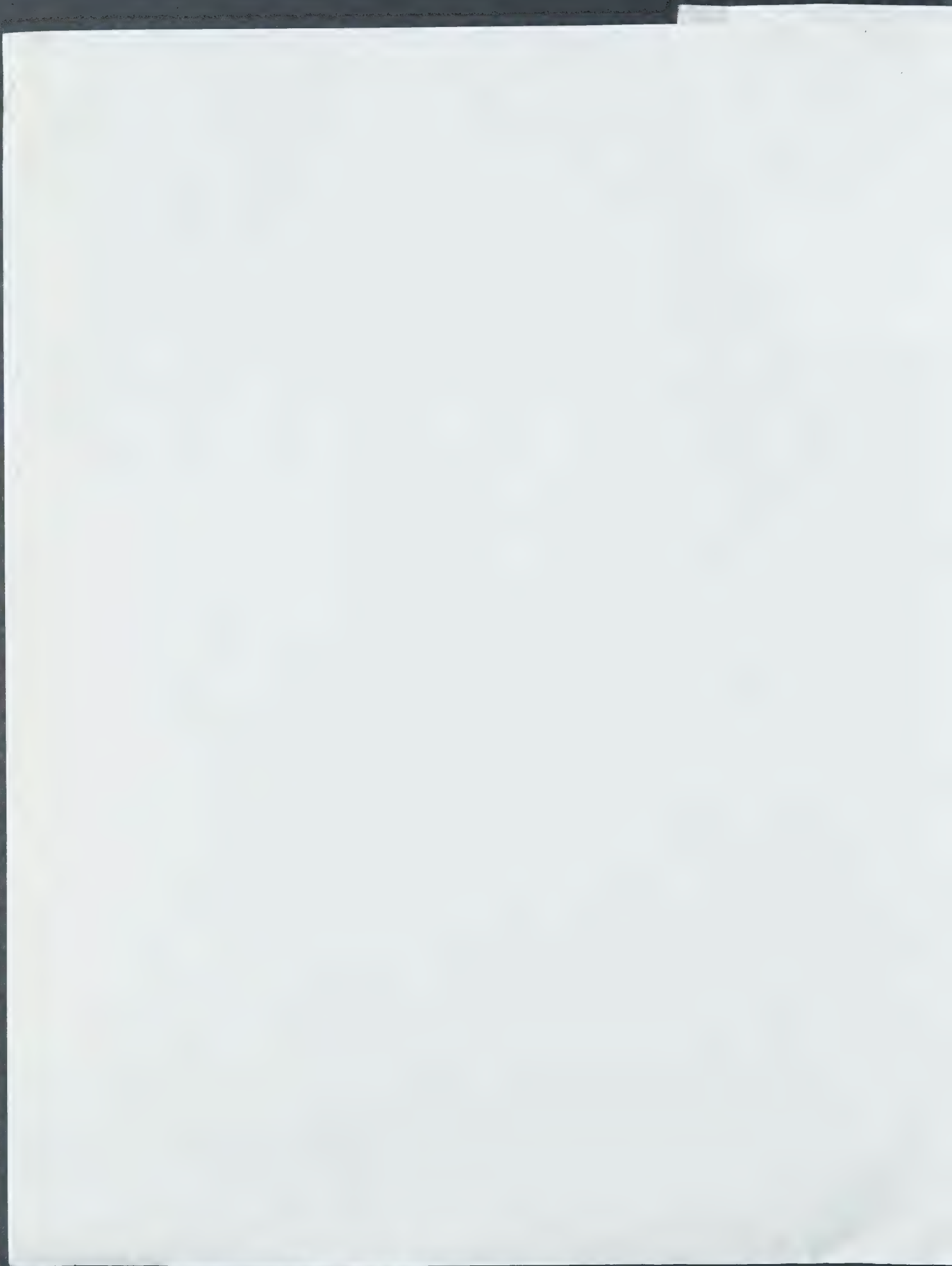
The American Chemical Society is holding its meeting in Boston next week and we will be there from Sunday, August 18th, until Thursday morning.

Even though August is not a good time to visit, we plan to visit your gallery, to meet you personally, and to thank you for all the material on Samuel Bak which you sent me.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az





ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

DR. ALFRED BADER

ESTABLISHED 1961

September 29, 2000

Mr. & Mrs. Bernie Pucker
Pucker Gallery
171 Newbury Street
Boston, MA 02116-2897

Dear Bernie and Sue,

First of all, allow me to wish you a very, very happy New Year.

I had hoped to be able to come to Boston for the Rembrandt Symposium at the Gardner Museum on Saturday, October 14th, but then realized that it is Succoth.

I would have liked to see the Rembrandt exhibition at the Gardner Museum because the catalogue which I just received is beautifully printed and I always like to see my own paintings at exhibitions. But, unfortunately, the timing makes a visit very difficult.

I have been really intrigued and surprised by the work of Samuel Bak. However, I must tell you that while I have no doubt that the artist is very able, I just find it so difficult to look at his work for very long. You see, my mother died under horrible circumstances in Terezin, and whenever I look at depictions related to the Shoah I automatically think of her.

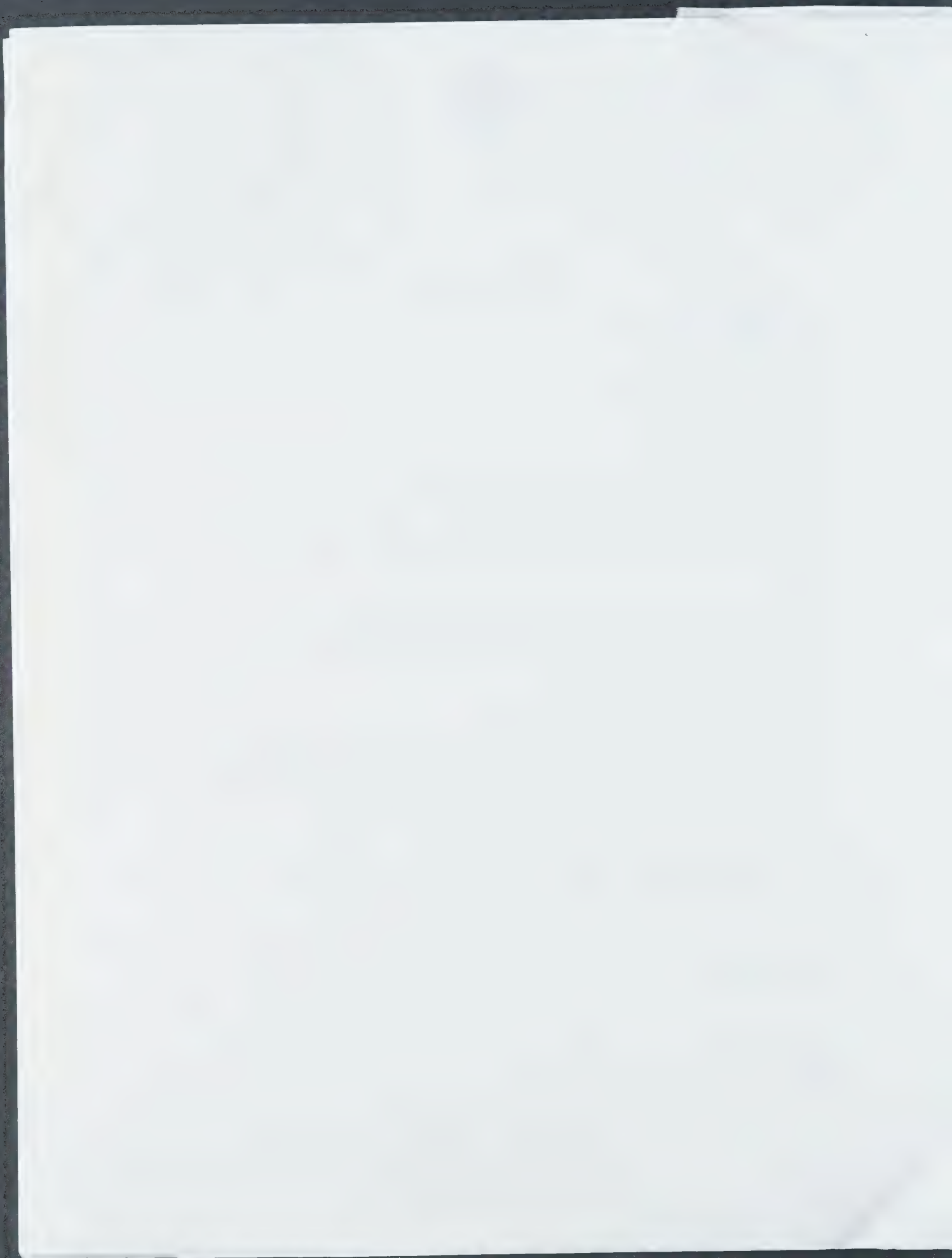
If you do not have my autobiography, I will be happy to send you a copy by return, and I think that you will understand.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az

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Dear Dr. Bader,

Hope that you are well and enjoying. Just a brief note to send you recent catalogues on the work of Samuel Bak. One is related to the upcoming exhibition at the Snite Museum at Notre Dame University. The other is on our forthcoming exhibition in November celebrating Bak's visiting of the theme of Genesis from a post Holocaust optic. A remarkable body of work. We hope that you will find your way to Boston soon and have an opportunity to visit. In the meantime, be in touch if we can be of any help. Take care and be well.

All the best,



Bernie and Sue Pucker

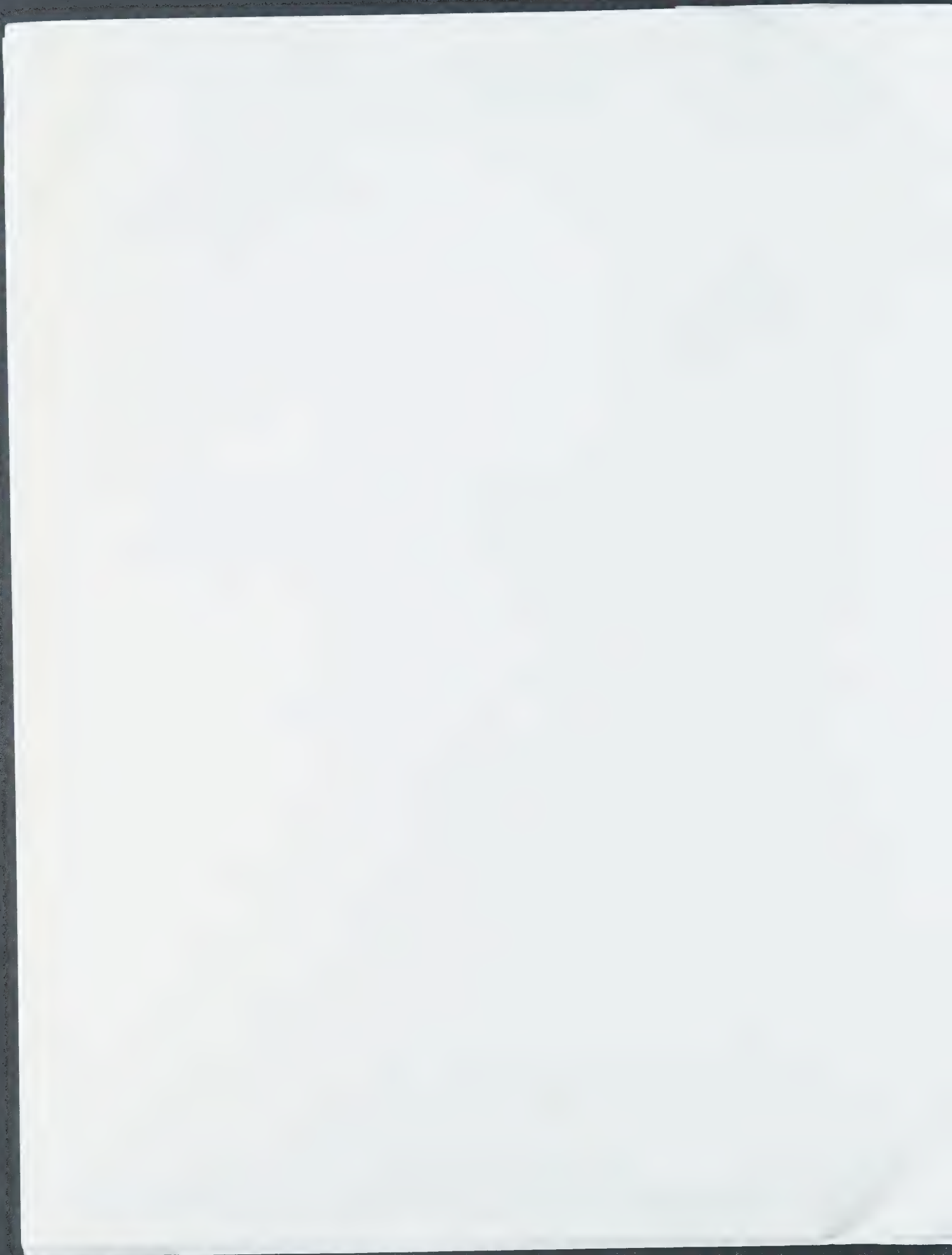
PS: Best wishes for a happy, healthy, and sweet New Year.



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Dear Phil,

10 AM on Monday will be fine.

Regards,
Alfred

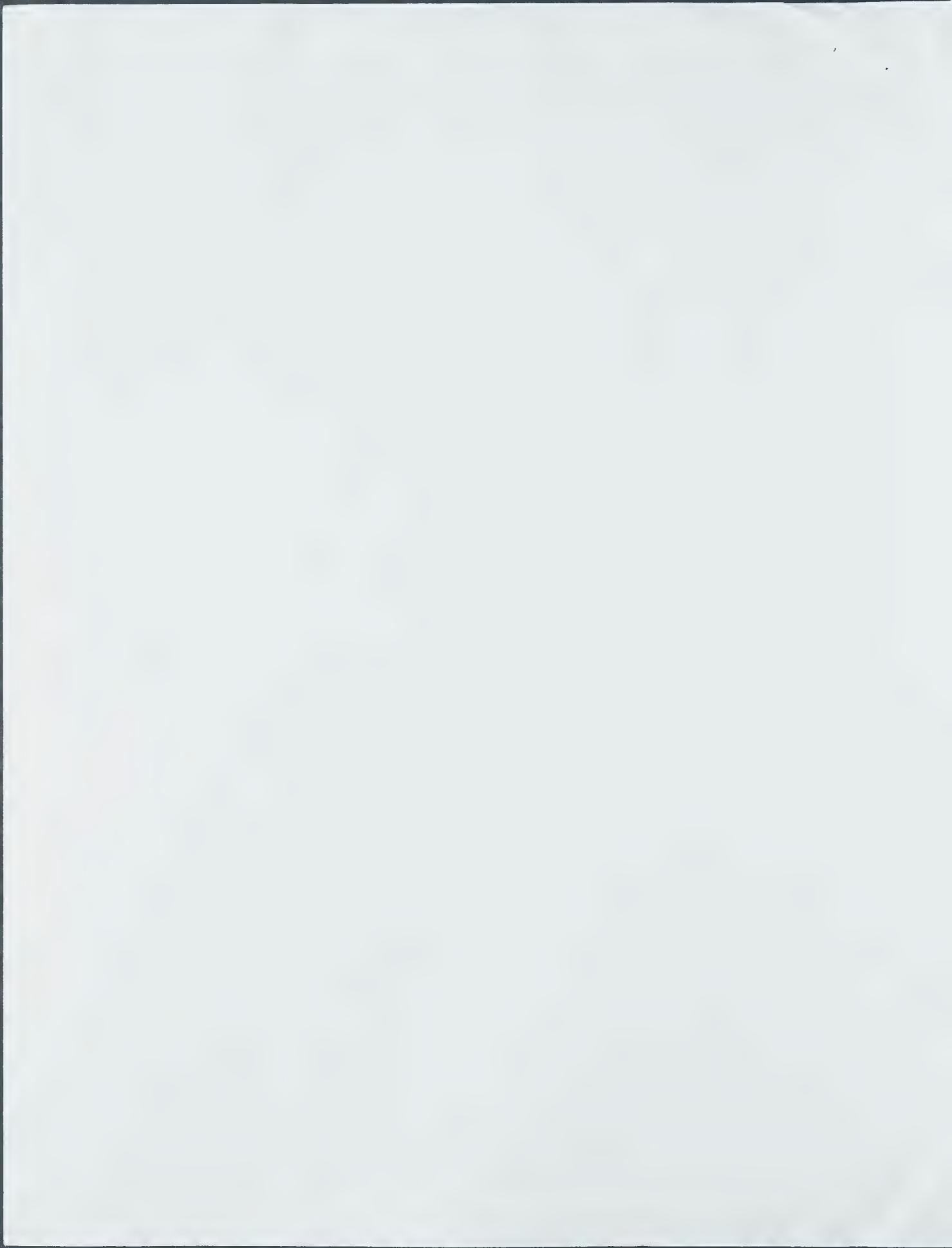
Philip E. Yeske wrote:

Dear Alfred,

After conferring with Dennis, I would like to propose that we meet you at the Sigma Aldrich booth on Monday, August 19th at 10:00 am. Please confirm that this meeting time suits your schedule. Dennis and I look forward to seeing you next week.

Kind regards,

Phil



Subject: Your Message
From: "Philip E. Yeske" <p.yeske@fluorous.com>
Date: Thu, 01 Aug 2002 22:55:57 -0400
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred:

I received your voice message today but was unable to return your call. Today we were hosting Professor Istvan Horvath from Hungary at the FTI facility. I will try your office late morning on Friday. I hope we can find a time to meet in Boston- I have much to update you on with FTI! **Monday the 19th of August** appears to be the best day for me to meet.

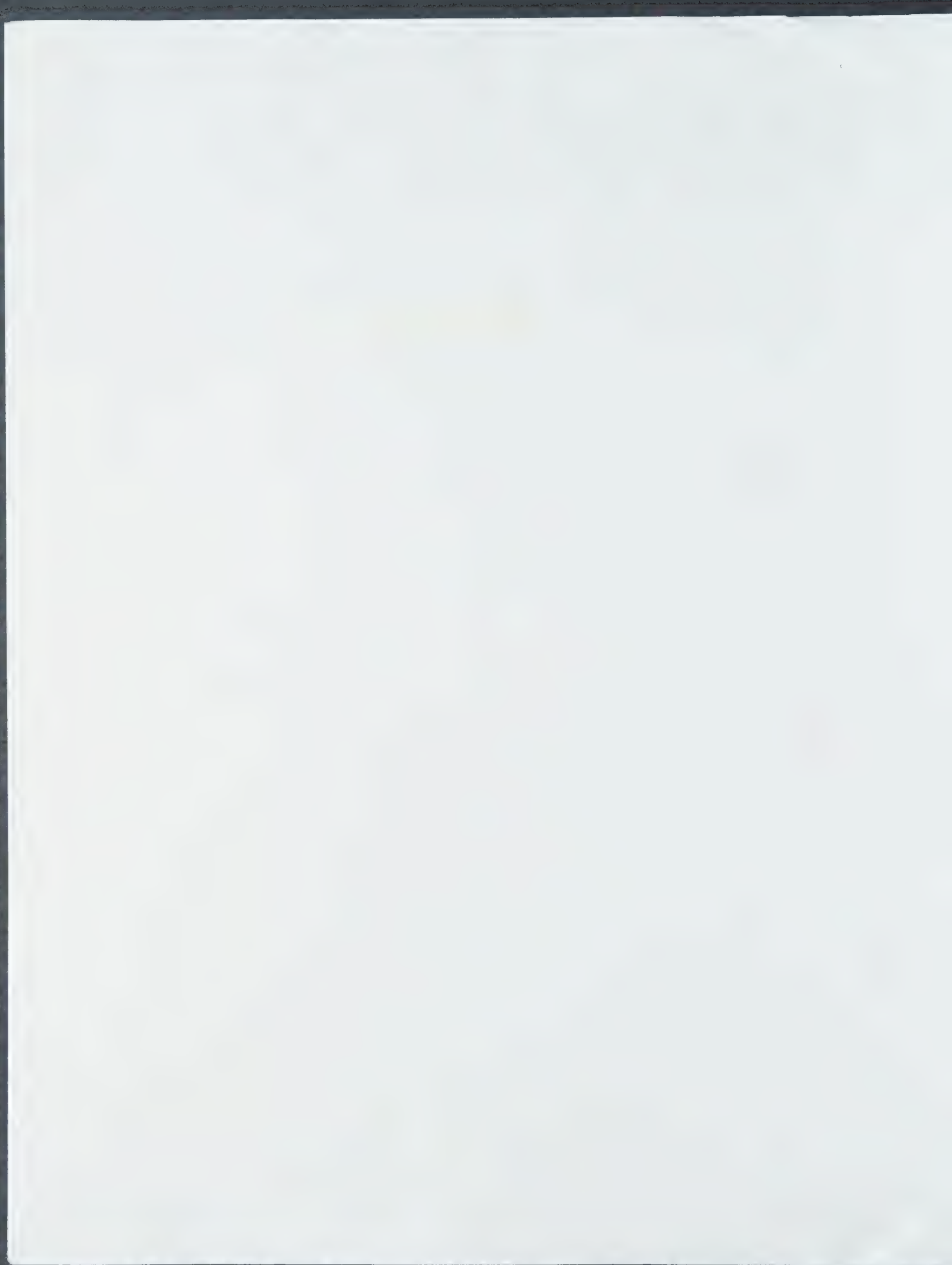
Best regards,

Phil

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W. Bader

*Meeting with
Alfred*



Subject: FTI Update
From: "Philip E. Yeske" <p.yeske@fluorous.com>
Date: Mon, 24 Jun 2002 14:35:08 -0400
To: Alfred Bader <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

I hope this message finds you doing well and that your recent travels have been enjoyable.

I wanted to take a moment to update you with regards to FTI on several fronts. First off, just last week we had a Board of Directors meeting in Pittsburgh. Tom and Don flew in from Albany and stayed for the day. It was a good meeting with plenty of interaction. The major decision that we took as a Board was to lower the pre-money valuation of the company for this current funding round to \$5 million. Although you never like to see your perceived market value go down, there are lots of positives associated with this move as well. First of all, we just have not been able to get other new investors interested at the \$10 million valuation level. Over and over I heard about the market being down for an extended period of time and that early-stage companies like FTI that were valued at \$8-12 million a few years ago are now more like \$2-6 million. As all investors (including yourself) and other parties involved desire long term growth for FTI, accepting a lower value now and thus positioning the company for even better growth results seemed sensible. Naturally, the result for you is an increased number of shares, which I hope you view as a positive outcome. Perhaps the lower valuation entices you to invest a larger amount, although that is not the case with Albany. The lower valuation will also allow us to remove approximately \$500,000 in debt from our balance sheet by convincing Innovation Works to convert their debt into equity. It also appears to have stimulated interest amongst investors that we previously spoke with, so I am hopeful that we can raise another \$500,000 or more. We have targeted August 31 for closing the round.

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I have attached the slides that I presented at the Board meeting for you to have. I hope they provide you a sufficiently detailed overview of where things stand with FTI. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Finally, we decided at our meeting to hold the next Board of Directors meeting at the AMRI facility in Albany. We have put aside Wednesday, August 15 for the meeting. Everyone agreed that it would be very nice if you could join us at the meeting. Would you be interested?

All the best to you,

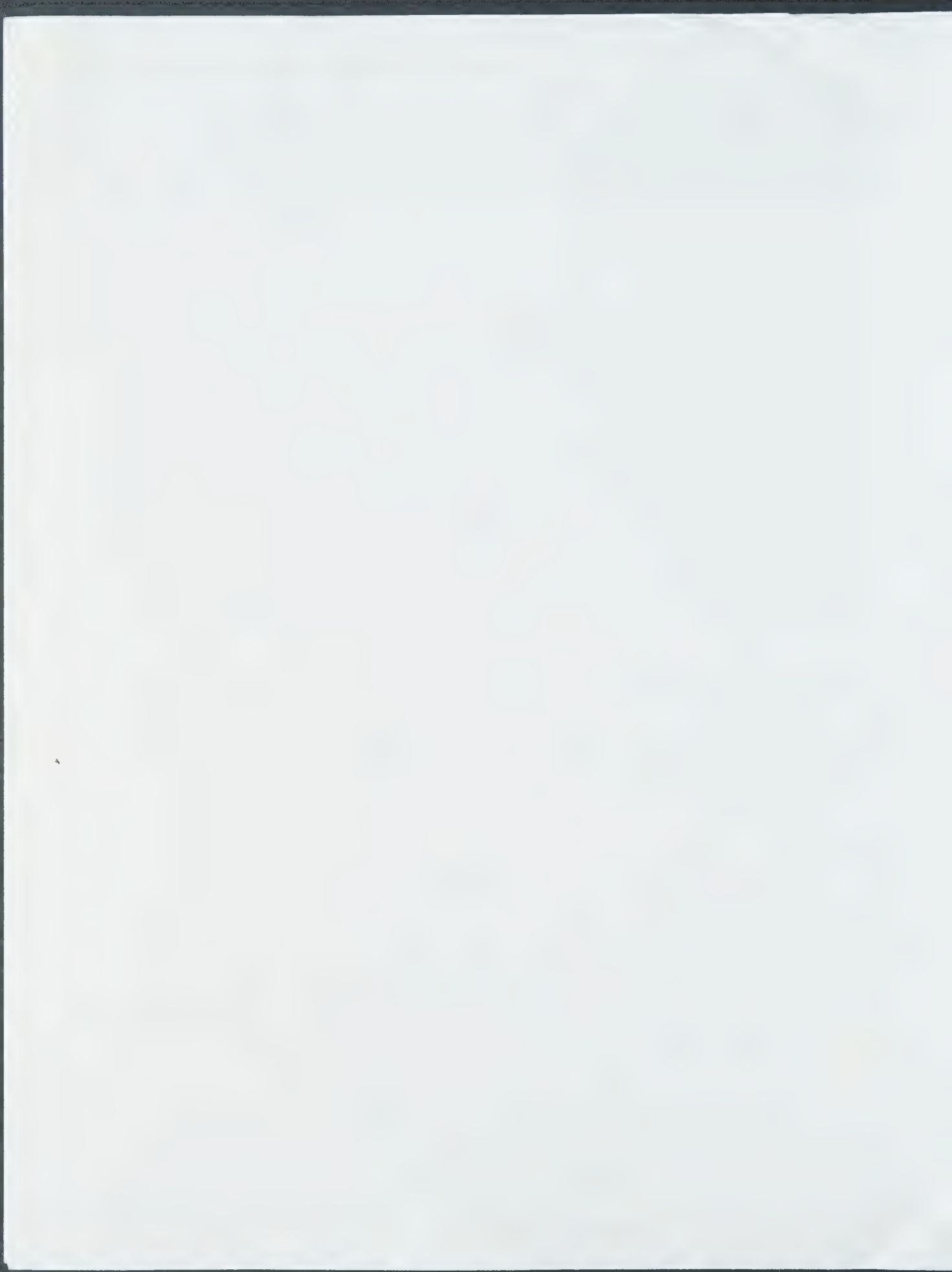
Philip Yeske

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William Pitt Way
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7/30 Asked him to print & send
(This is a Powerpoint presentation)

Call Tom next Monday 2pm his time
If Tom 500 1 -> 250
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call Phil & Dennis





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A Chemist Helping Chemists

August 13, 2002

Dr. Gerhard Sonnert
Project Second Wave
Harvard University
358 Jefferson Laboratory
Cambridge, MA 02138

Dear Dr. Sonnert.

Dear Dr. Sonnert,

Recently I returned to you your bulky questionnaire about the Project Second Wave.

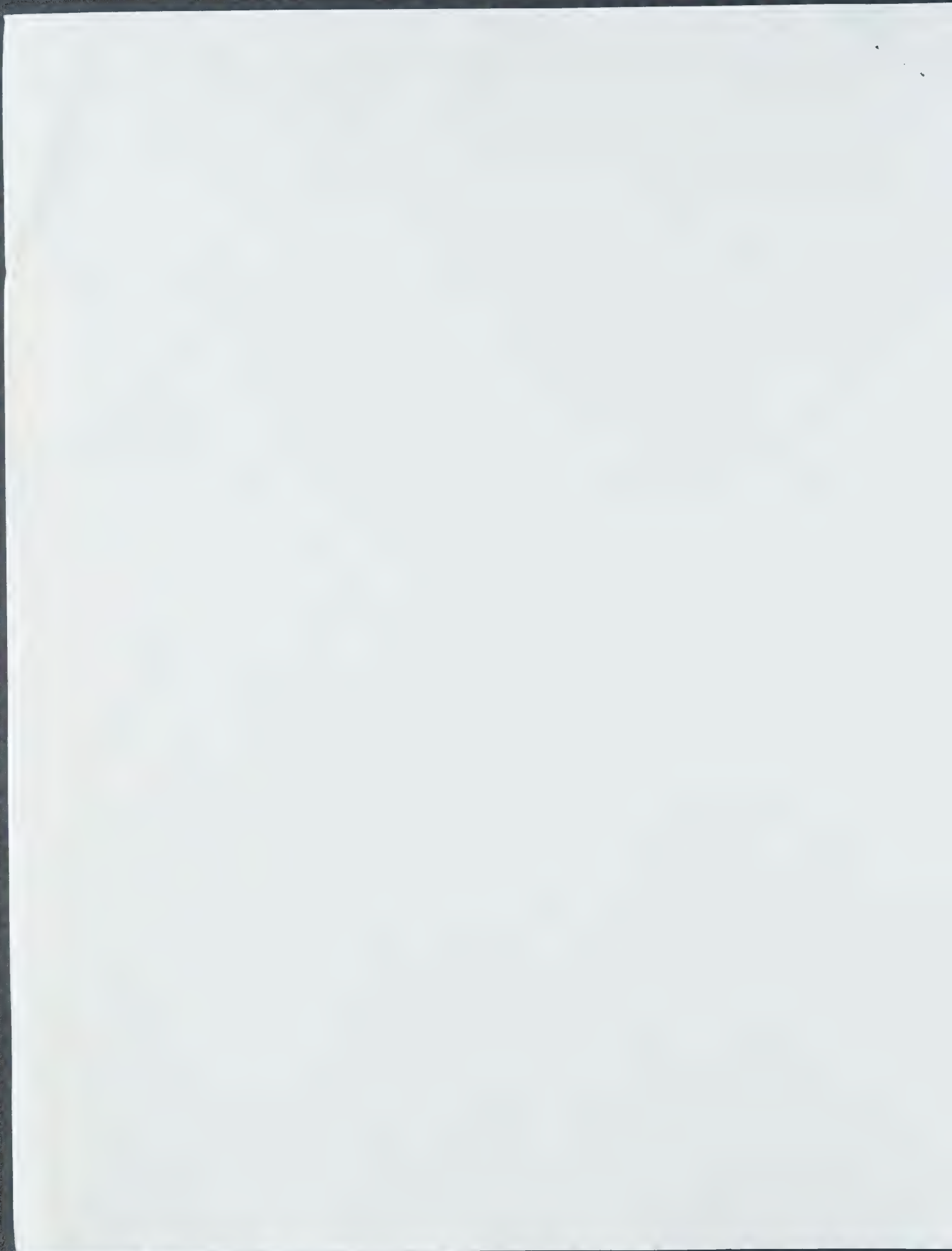
In it you mentioned that an interview might be needed.

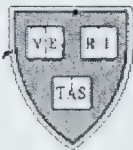
My wife and I will be in Boston from Sunday, August 18th until Thursday morning, August 22nd, staying at the Sheraton Boston on Dalton Street. We will be attending the meeting of the American Chemical Society and might well have the time for an interview with you.

With best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az





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PROJECT SECOND WAVE

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31 July 2002

Dear Colleagues:

Attached please find a copy of our annual report about the progress of our project. The highlights of our activities in the past year include the statistical analysis of large representative datasets (U.S. Census and National Jewish Population Survey), the completion of the questionnaire design, the mailing out of a large number of questionnaires, and the beginning of processing the many filled-in questionnaires streaming back to our office. We also have started with the interviews.

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We would like to thank you for your support during the past year, and hope that it will continue through the next stages of the project. As always, your comments and suggestions will be greatly valued.

With best regards,

Gerald Holton

Gerhard Sonnert

Enclosures

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Dear Jerry,

Dr. Greg Wall at Sigma has planned my three talks as follows:

September 11 4 PM Chemistry Dept. U of MO History of Chemistry
7 PM SIAL R&D Bldg. History of Aldrich and SIAL, following a 6 PM
reception

September 12 7 PM St. Louis Science Center The Rembrandt Research Project and the
Collector

That will make dinner either on the 11th or the 12th difficult.

We are staying at the Sheraton St. Louis City Center Hotel. Could we have lunch on the 11th or 12th or perhaps breakfast on the 12th or 13th?

Of course we look forward to seeing you.

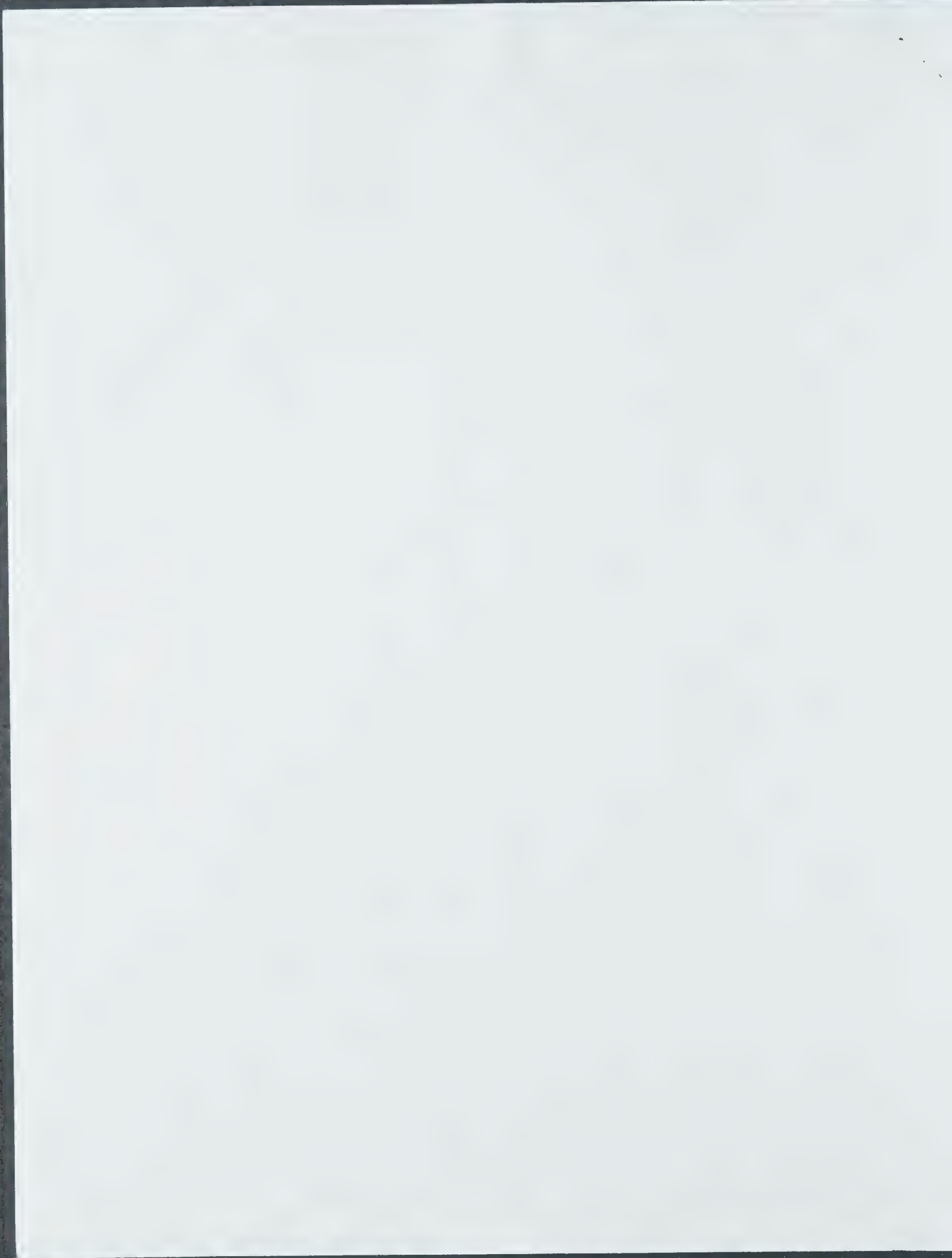
With best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader

jsandweis wrote:

Joy and I will be pleased to have dinner with you and Mrs. Bader the evening of Wed. Sept 11. Just let us know of your plans at your convenience

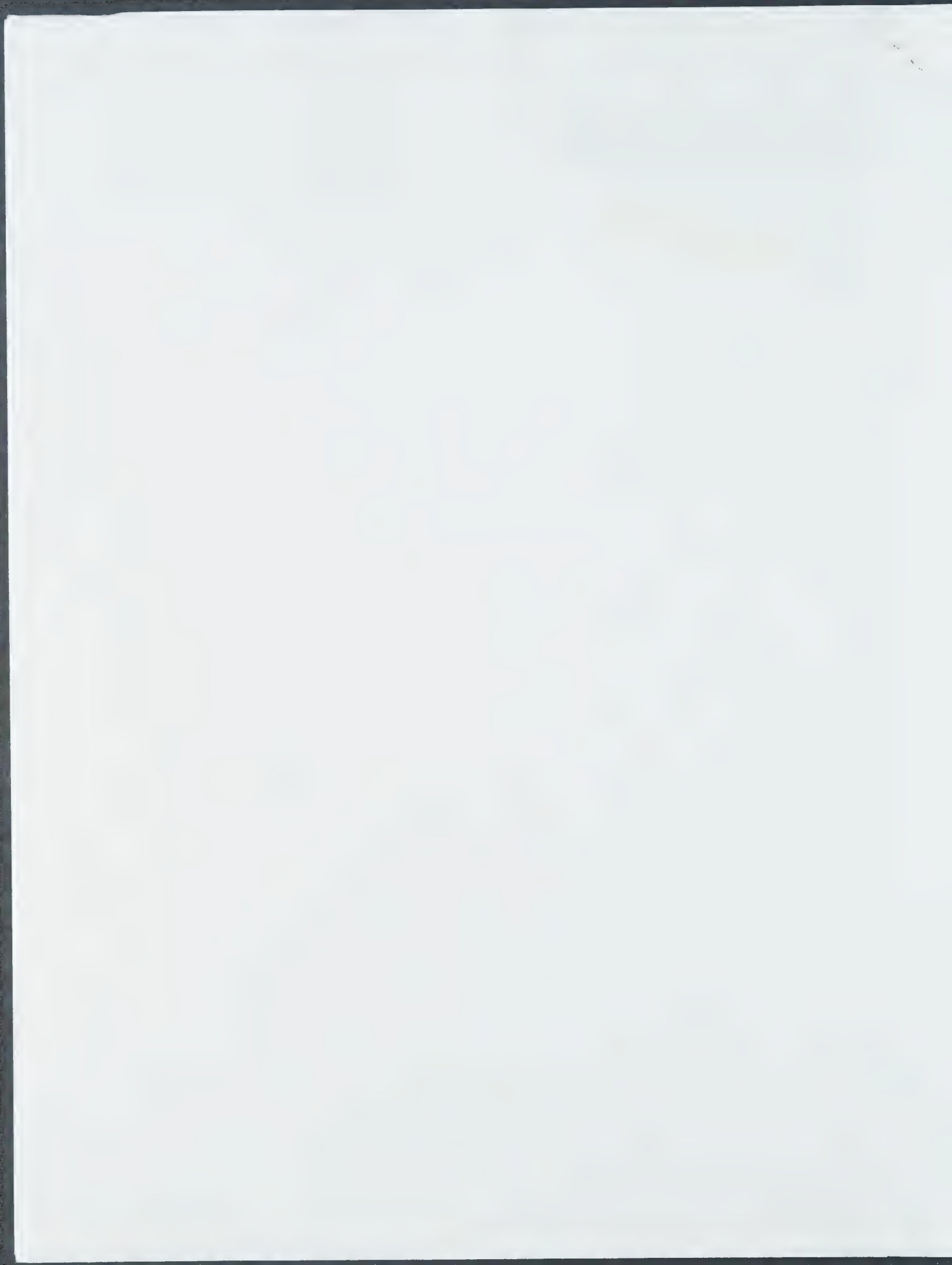
Jerry Sandweiss



Subject: dinner
From: jsandweis <sandweis@earthlink.net>
Date: Mon, 12 Aug 2002 14:44:52 -0700
To: baderfa@execpc.com

Joy and I will be pleased to have dinner with you and Mrs. Bader the evening of Wed. Sept 11. Just let us know of your plans at your convenience

Jerry Sandweiss



Dear Arnold,

Please thank Roy for his invitation; **Tuesday evening is fine**. Of course Isabel will be with me and I will bring a delightful little alchemical painting for his consideration, of an alchemist tearing his hair out. I would sometimes do the same if I still had any hair.

What I would very much like to discuss with you is plans for a major alchemical exhibition, of course in Philadelphia, but also in cities like Frankfurt, Basle and Oxford.

I just had a very long e-mail from an old acquaintance, Dr. Michael Maek-Gerard, who was telling me about his coming to Milwaukee to return a Rembrandt which I have loaned to Frankfurt. Next Tuesday evening I will ask you and Roy whether it would be appropriate to try to get Curators like Dr. Maek-Gerard interested in an alchemical exhibition.

With all good wishes,
Alfred

Thackray, Arnold wrote:

Dear Alfred,

Roy says dinner on Tuesday would work much better. Is that ok?

As ever,
Arnold

-----Original Message-----

From: Alfred Bader Fine Arts [mailto:baderfa@execpc.com]
Sent: Monday, August 12, 2002 5:30 PM
To: Thackray, Arnold
Subject: Re: ACS - Boston meeting

Dear Arnold,

Isabel and I are staying at the Sheraton Boston on Dalton Street, arriving on Sunday and leaving early on Thursday morning. Our calendar is pretty free and breakfast on Wednesday would certainly be fine.

With best wishes,
Alfred

Thackray, Arnold wrote:

Dear Alfred,

Just heard from Roy Eddleman: he will be at Boston ACS on the Tuesday evening and at the first part of Wednesday. Can we all get together for breakfast, or possibly dinner the night before? Please let me know.

As ever,
Arnold

Dear Adina,

Please don't mind that I am so slow in responding to your e-mails of August 8th and 10th but I have been very busy with visitors and all sorts of involvements in the sale of paintings.

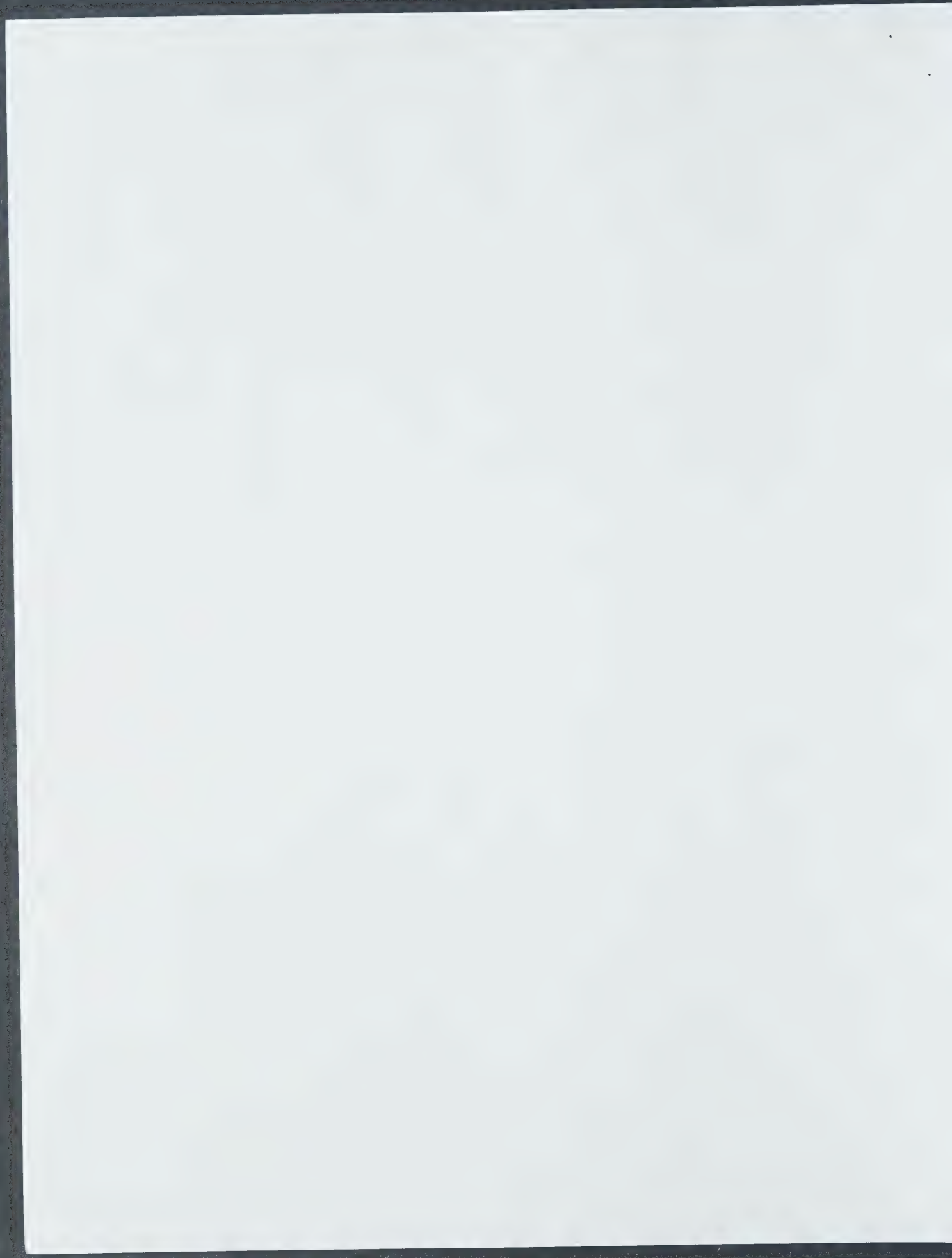
Don't worry too much about the financial problem at FJC, but consider whether my next gift should not go through another channel.

You asked me whether you could read a statement from me when the teachers meet. Adina: I just don't know what to say that would really be meaningful and not sound school masterly. It's easy to say that we have all been created by God, the Palestinians and Israelis are descendants of Abraham, and that the key in solving our horrible problems is sincere people talking to each other and trying to understand each other. That is really what you are trying to accomplish and perhaps, rather than read a statement from me, you could just paraphrase this in your own words.

Last year I met a German music teacher who came to Herstmonceux with the Israeli and Palestinian teachers. I will mail you his report which is very one-sided, very anti-Israel and yet very sincere, just partly mistaken. You may have a chance to talk to him; I don't think it's a lost cause, just so difficult a situation. (Johannes Zang, E: Jzang@annadwa.org)

With fond regards as always,
Alfred

Sister Mr.





Subject: Fwd: To Mr. Bader personally - very important!
From: "abfa" <ordersfa@alfredbader.com>
Date: Thu, 30 May 2002 08:53:54 -0400
To: <Baderfa@execpc.com>, "David Bader" <David.theLabPO.theLab@thelab.net>, "Gretchen Dossa" <Gretchen.theLabPO.theLab@thelab.net>, "Harry Horner" <Harry.theLabPO.theLab@thelab.net>

Subject: To Mr. Bader personally - very important!
From: "Johannes Zang" <Jzang@annadwa.org>
Date: Thu, 30 May 2002 15:52:00 +0200
To: <ordersfa@alfredbader.com>

Lieber Herr Bader,
Wir haben uns letztes Jahr auf "Ihrem" Schloss in England getroffen. Ich bin der deutsche Musiklehrer, der mit den israelischen und palaestinensischen Lehrern zu einem Seminar bei Ihnen war.
Ich bin wieder in Bethlehem, aber die Lage ist so trostlos. Lesen Sie selbst meinen Brief.

Mit besten Gruessen
Johannes Zang

Subject: Fwd: Your questions to FJC
From: Adina Shapiro <adinashapiro@yahoo.com>
Date: Sat, 10 Aug 2002 15:21:52 -0700 (PDT)
To: baderfa@execpc.com

Dear Alfred,

I am forwarding you a response which I received from Perry Beth Irvings at FJC in response to my inquiries. It seems that i made a mistaken judgment calls in terms of the investments. i apologize for that. I have recommended to change the style of investment for a manner that i hope will be more profitable.

i am about to leave for Switzerland with our Palestinian and Israeli facilitators tomorrow. meanwhile, i am working on preparing the meeting for the different origanizatins which you have helped to fund. i thought that it may be fitting to open that event by reading a written message from you. what do you think?

(the meeting is tentatively set to take place on the 28th of august (although i am thinking to postpone it as i am working under a lot of pressure...)

again, i feel somewhat bad about the loss of potential funds and hope that i will use this as a lesson for the future.

all the best,

adina

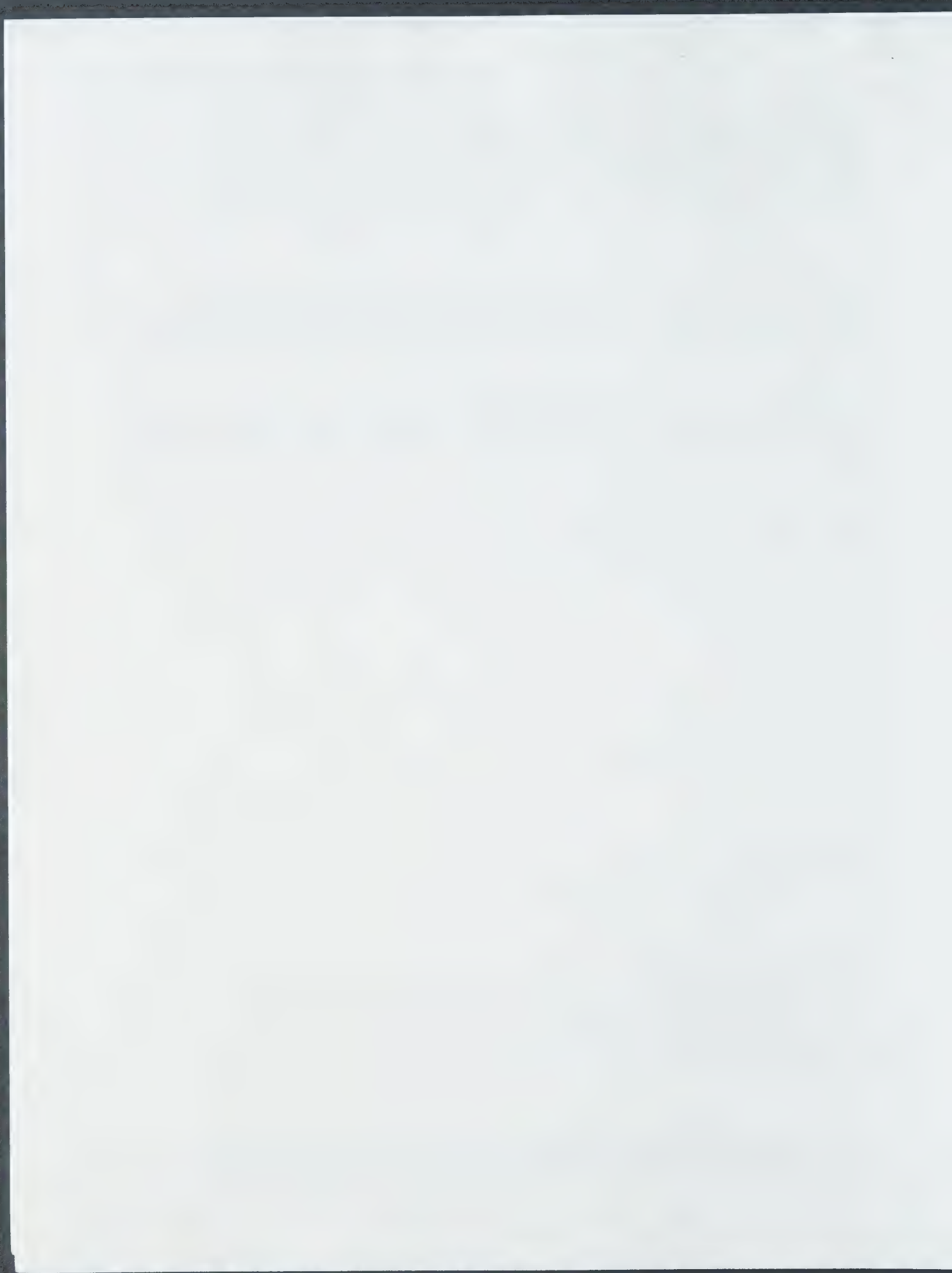
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Subject: Your questions to FJC
From: Pbirvings@aol.com
Date: Sat, 10 Aug 2002 08:24:07 EDT
To: adinashapiro@yahoo.com
CC: irvings@fjc.org

Hi Adina,

I'm answering your message from my home e-mail because we had some problems with the FJC email Friday afternoon, and I wanted to get back to you before Monday. The office email will be ok on



Monday, so you will be able to use it to reach us as usual.

Your concerns are very important to us, so we will try our best to answer your questions clearly.

The Loss in the Account

The recent dramatic decline in the markets generally has affected the value of all investment vehicles, including fixed income securities, although these have suffered less severe effects than equity securities.

I've attached a list, with brief descriptions, of the FJC investment choices. The overall performance picture reflects the difficult times the markets and economy in general are experiencing. Except for International Equities fund (which has suffered losses in the past), the only investments that have shown positive results this year have been the Money Market and the Agency Loan Fund. The return on the Money Market has been approximately 1% for the first six months of this year, and the Agency Loan fund for the six months was 2.8%.

The Agency Loan Fund is a mission-based fund that makes secured loans to not-for-profit organizations. The loans are further secured by government bonds, so it is very unlikely that this fund would suffer any loss of principal. I've also attached a fuller description of the Agency Loan Fund. (If you don't get the attachments, you can find the information on our website, www.fjc.org. Go to "How FJC Works" and then click on "Investment Options" and "FJC Agency Loan Fund.")

In the meanwhile, I have conveyed your recommendation regarding the investment of the \$100,000 contribution into the Money Market for the time being. If you would like to recommend a reallocation of the rest of the Bader Fund, or a further reallocation of the new contribution, please let us know.

The Administrative Fee

The annual administrative fee is charged on all Donor Advised Fund accounts. It is described in the FJC pamphlet and in the Summary of Procedures and Rules (which is also on the website, if you don't have your copy handy). The annual rate of the fee is 1% of the average daily balance of the funds in the account. It is calculated and withdrawn monthly at the rate of 1/12th of 1% per month. As contributions are made to, and grants are made from, an account, the average daily balance changes accordingly.

The purpose of the fee is to offset our administrative costs. This type of fee, and the rate of the fee, is standard for Donor Advised Funds. Most other Donor Advised Funds, although they charge equivalent fees, do not provide the same level of service, nor will they even consider grant recommendations to organizations that are not United States public charities.

Grants from the Fund

You are correct about the grants. Grants appear on the statement only when they have been disbursed. In the case of grants to foreign organizations, grants are not disbursed until the paperwork is completed, which cannot occur until we get it back from the organizations.

Since June 30th, grants have been disbursed from as follows:

7-22-02: Friends of Open House – \$15,000.00

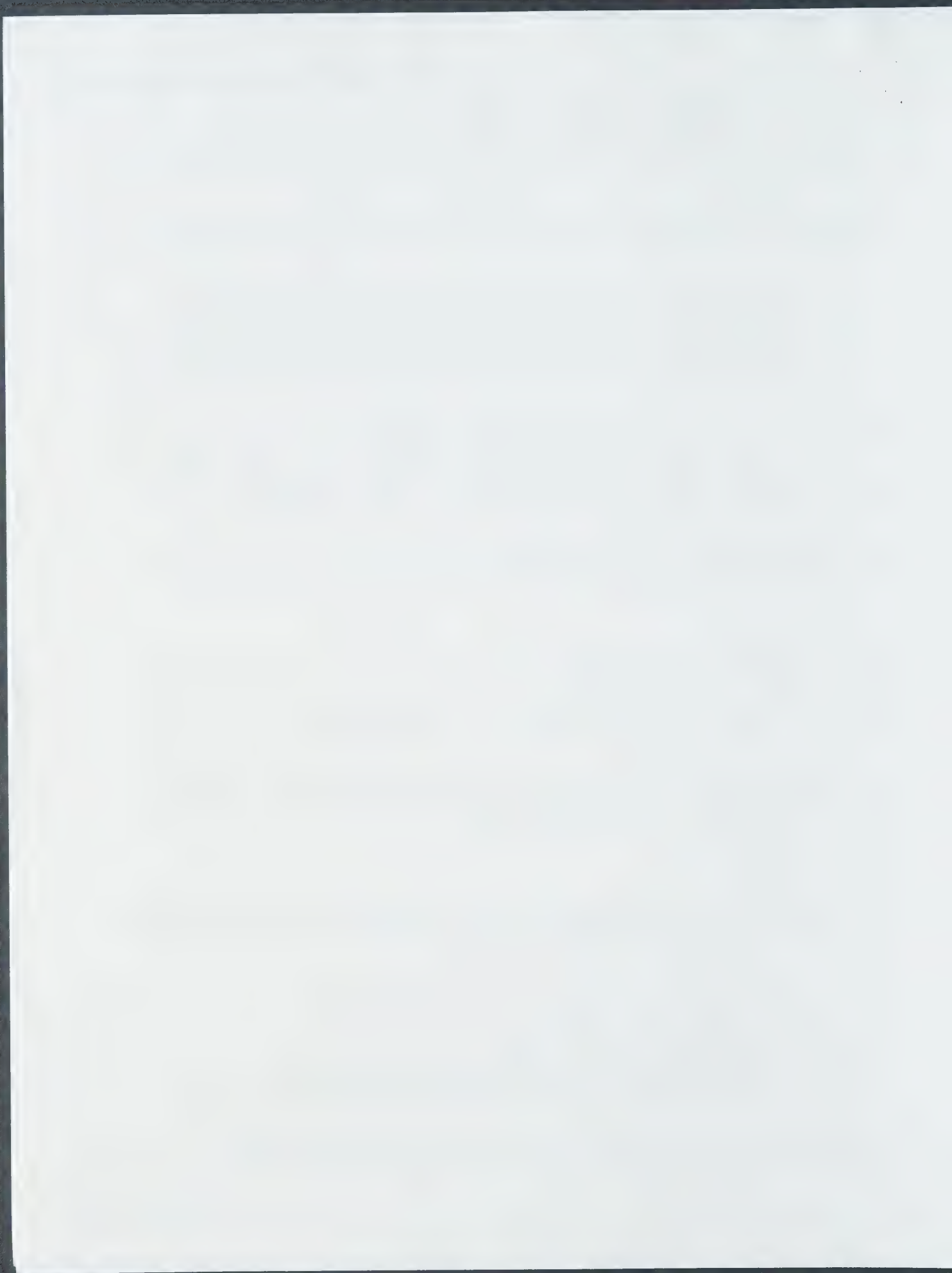
7-26-02: Kehila – \$15,000.00

8-5-02: The Tourjeman Post Association – \$3,000.00

8-5-02: The Association for Jewish-Arab Co-Existence in the Judean Hills– \$15,000

8-5-02: The Institute for Democratic Education – \$3,500.00 (happily, they apparently located the paperwork)

These grants, together with any others that are made in the quarter ending September 30th, will appear on the next statement.



We look forward to continuing to help you and the Baders to achieve your philanthropic goals. If you have any further questions about the Bader Fund, or any of our programs, or if you would like to recommend a further reallocation of the Fund's investments, we hope that you won't hesitate to call or e-mail us at any time.

We hope that your projects are going well, and that you stay well and safe.

Perri Beth

-----Original Message-----

From: Adina Shapiro [mailto:adinashapiro@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, August 09, 2002 8:48 AM
To: Irvings@FJC.org
Subject:

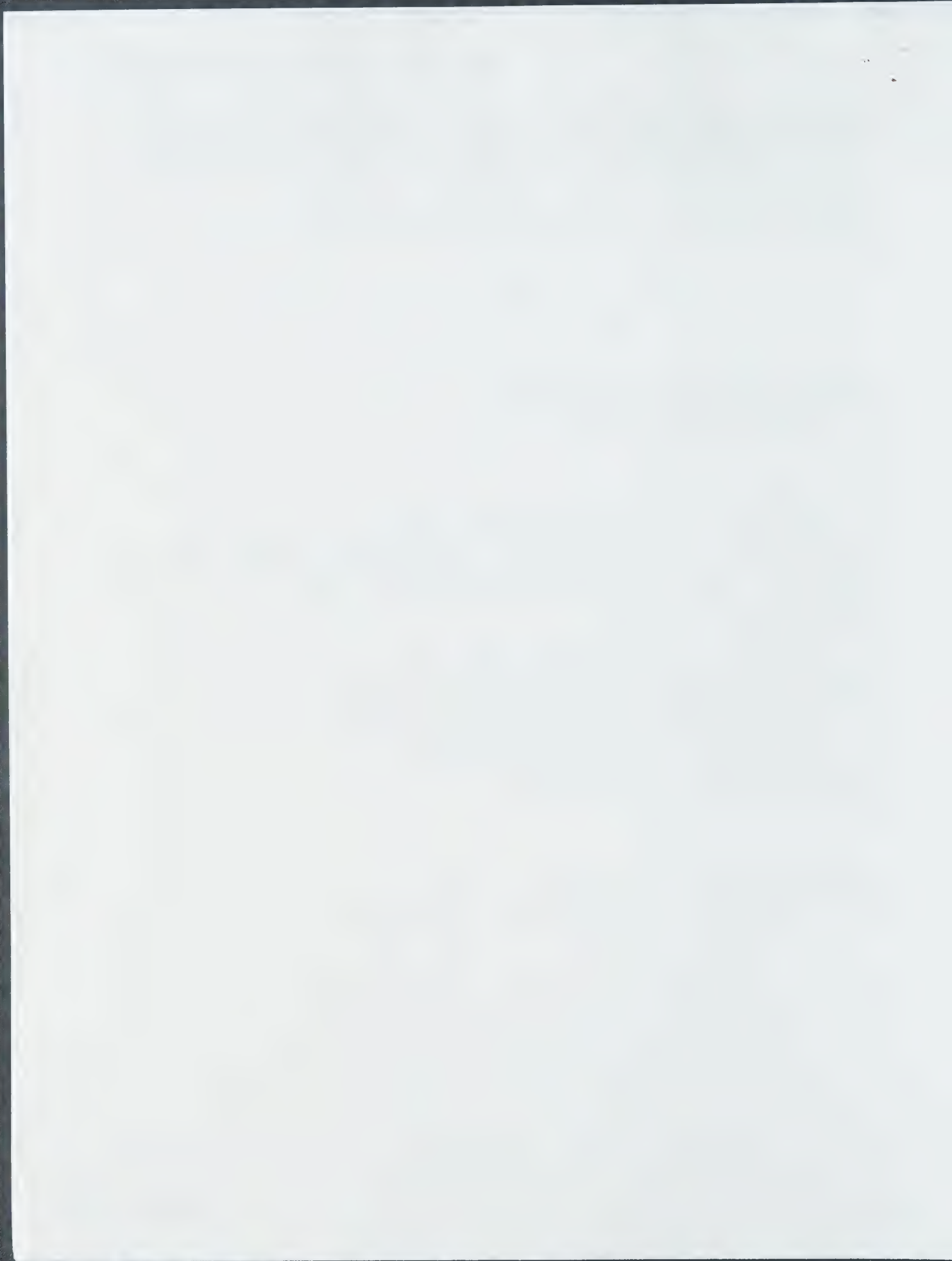
Dear Perry Beth,

Alfred Bader just sent me a summary of the fund and I wanted to clarify a few issues.

1. I noticed that there was a loss of over 3000\$ for investments. My intention was to invest in the most conservative manner. Obviously, I made a mistake. I did not expect to lose money when investing in fixed income instruments. Can you please explain how it happened and advise me as to how it would be best to proceed. I just sent another check for 100,000\$ please invest it in money market until the other matter is cleared up. I look forward to your advice as to how this should be invested as well as the rest of the money in the fund.
 2. I noticed that there was a fee for administration. Please let me know how the administration fees are calculated, as we were under the assumption that there was no such fee from the fund's principle.
 3. Alfred mentioned that there was only one approved grant from the fund. Is this because the organizations did not yet fill out the paper work? By the way, Avinoam Granot (who is to receive a grant through the Society for Enhancement of Democracy, or something like that...) seems to have lost the papers which you sent him. Can you please resend them to him.
- I would appreciate your response as soon as possible because I will be leaving the country on Sunday and wanted to get back to Alfred before that.
- all the best,
adina

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Subject: Re: FJC
From: Adina Shapiro <adinashapiro@yahoo.com>
Date: Thu, 8 Aug 2002 13:59:16 -0700 (PDT)
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

I just returned from a seminar for 85 Israeli and Palestinian teachers which we organized in Rhodes. The focus of this seminar was on how teachers may cope with children under stress. It was a difficult process and difficult materials, but a rewarding and uplifting experience. I am leaving for Geneva with my Pal & Is staff of group facilitators on Sunday,

Thank you for your message and the update from FJC. Indeed many of the grants have not yet been distributed from the fund, as the organizations (and FJC) were notified of their approval, yet they took a while for them to comply to the requirements of a joint arab - jewish partnership in the financial responsibility for the project. Before I left for Rhodes about 8 organizations finally sent me the final information.

As for the lost investment, I am somewhat surprised as I asked them to put it in the most conservative investment program. I guess the whole market went down, but I would like to look into that, as well as the administrative fee which I did not anticipate...I sent in the check a while after I returned (and recuperated) from my London trip, so I assume that is why it did not appear on the statement.

I will be in touch with you shortly after I get a little bit settled.

all the best,
Adina

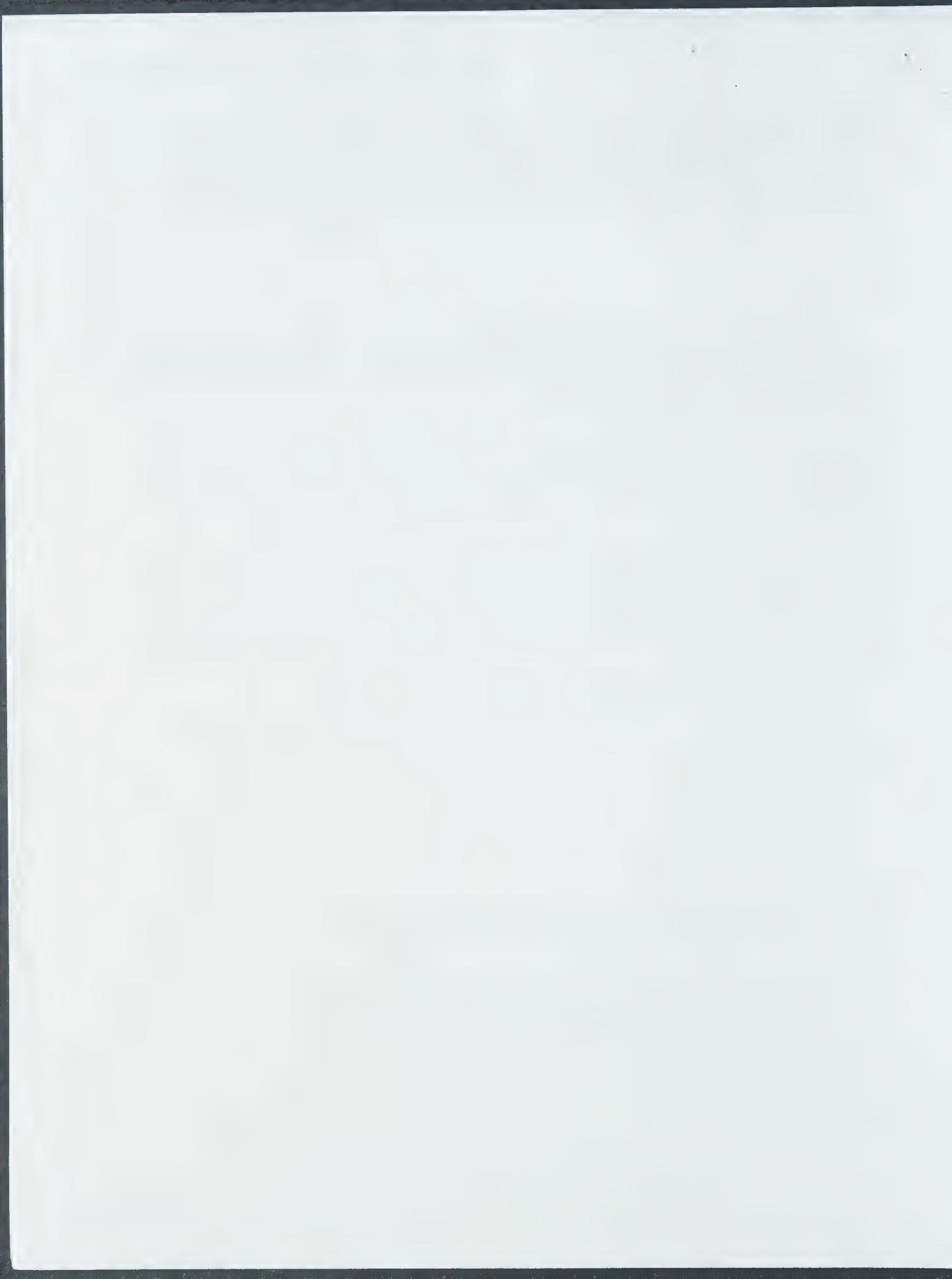
Alfred Bader Fine Arts wrote:

Dear Adina,

I have just received a July 31 statement from the FJC which does not yet show the gift of \$100,000 which I gave you in London on July 10th.

The statement shows only one grant, for \$10,000 to Merchavim and a loss of investment of \$3,172.14 and an administrative fee of \$358.82. Thus, on July 31st the fund had \$166,469.04, to which will be added the \$100,000 I gave you by check.

With best regards,
Alfred



Dear Vladimir,

The situation in the Czech Republic and in several other countries really is horrible. What can one say other than your last sentence "God help us!"

Regarding the son of your friend, you are dealing with two different people at Glasgow University.

One, Professor Kociensky, left Glasgow about two years ago to become Professor of Chemistry in Leeds. The other, Professor Pavel Kocovsky, is a very able Czech chemist. In Glasgow he has some Bader bursaries for undergraduate chemists as well as three scholarships, each of £2,000 specifically for Czech students coming to Glasgow under a EU scheme called, I believe, the Socrates scheme.

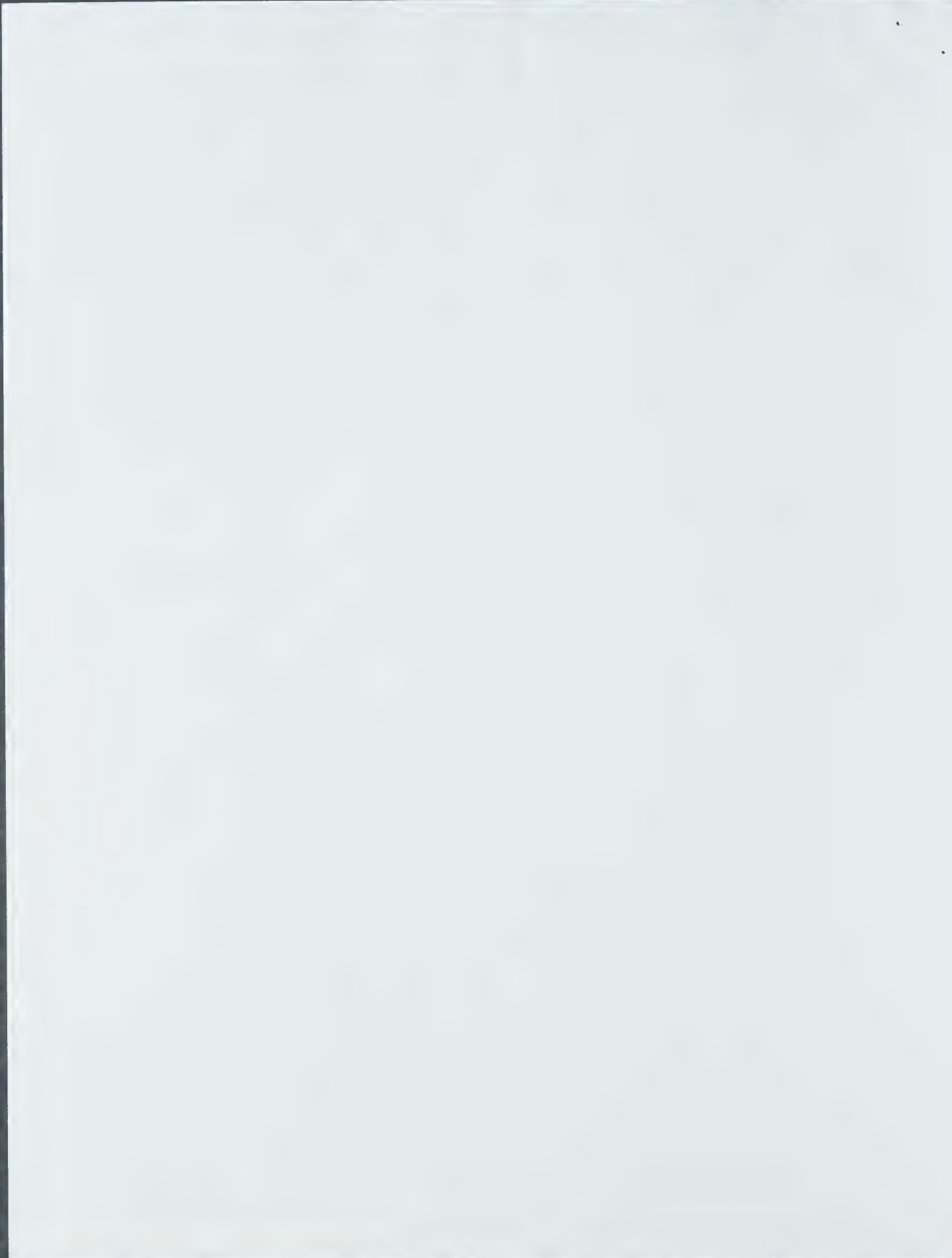
These three scholarships are specifically for Czech students and your friend's son should write to Professor Kocovsky in Czech.

Then there are four fellowships with funds coming from us for Czech students receiving their Ph.D.s: one, given annually, is at Harvard University and Harvard has had a rough time finding enough students. The other three are given every three years and are at Columbia University in New York, the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia and Imperial College in London.

If your friend would like to find out more about the fellowship at Imperial College, I suggest to him that he talk to the first Bader Fellow at Imperial College, Dr. Miroslav Nic, whose e-mail is nicmila@idoox.com.

Of course your friend's son first has to get his Ph.D. and then some experience. Only then will he be able to apply for the Loschmidt Professorship.

With fond regards,
Alfred



Subject: floods in CR, Mr Hrdina
From: Vladimír Matouš <matous.vladimir@worldonline.cz>
Date: Tue, 13 Aug 2002 20:57:00 +0200
To: <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

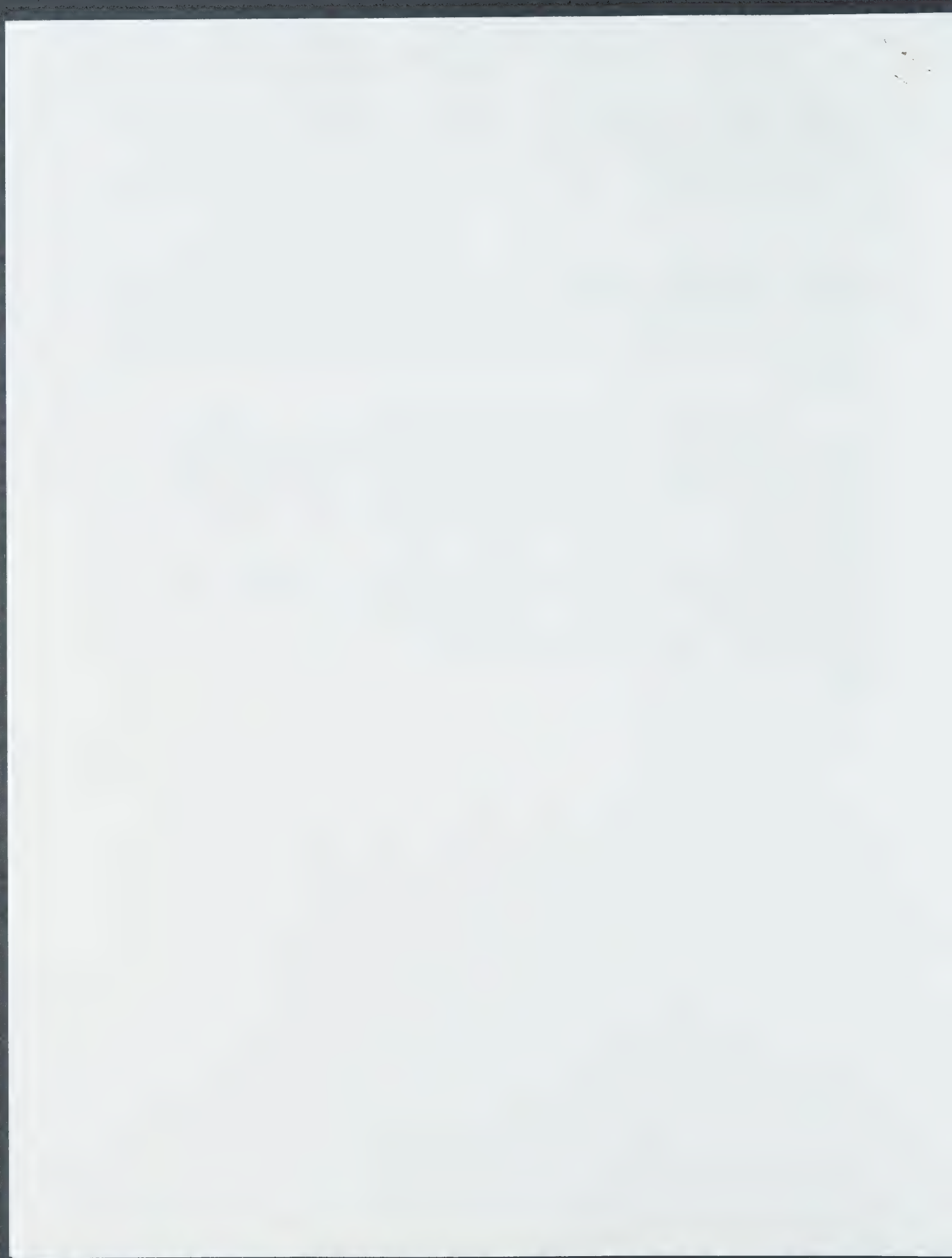
1) Floods in our republic are horrible now ! Prague under water, Vltava (Moldau) usual flow **150** cubic meters/sec., **now 4700 !! and the level is still increasing.** Tenthhs of towns incl. Plzen, Ceske Budejovice and villages are under water and heavy damaged, hundreds houses destroyed. Many historical buildings and monuments are threatened. Thousand hectars of fields, orchards and arable land are liquidated. Tenthhs of bridges demolished, many kilometres of roads and railways too. Tenthhs of thousand citizen evacuated. Also some dead.
God, help us!

2) I am sorry that my information concerning Mr Hrdina Jr was not complete and a little bit confusing (not my fault but uncomplete his fathes' information). Jr gave me following explanation today.:
He will enter GB on 20th September, having already in his hands all documents necessary for one yeas' stay here. He will start his study in Glasgow University since this October and continue on his diploma work under supervision of prof. Kocovsky (Czech, working and living in UK some years). After finishing diploma work he will defend it in Charles University in Prague, incl. passing the state examination here.

Since October 2003 he would like to study and work in the USA or UK to reach PhD degree. For this study he needs some financial support (grant, scholarship, fellowship etc.), the best one AB fellowship. That's all what I know. Please, judge it.

Concerning the name Pavel **Kocovsky** - in some older article I have taken from Internet and describing Bader Bursaries in GU, was written **Kociensky**, but it is still the same person. Hrdina Jr has not met him till this time. Probably his father was/is in contact with him.

Best regards
Vladimir



Subject: Happy news

From: "Marvin Klitsner" <klitsner@inter.net.il>

Date: Thu, 15 Aug 2002 17:01:40 +0300

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Dear Family and friends,

Just received Francie's wonderful phone call that Tamar delivered a baby girl this afternoon. Mother and child doing well, thank God. I knew she and Michael had gone to the Hospital early this A.M., so you can imagine the anxiety each time the phone rang. We pray it will be a good and safe world for this baby, all children. Do not know if they will name the baby on Shabbat or wait until Monday or even wait until next Shabbat.

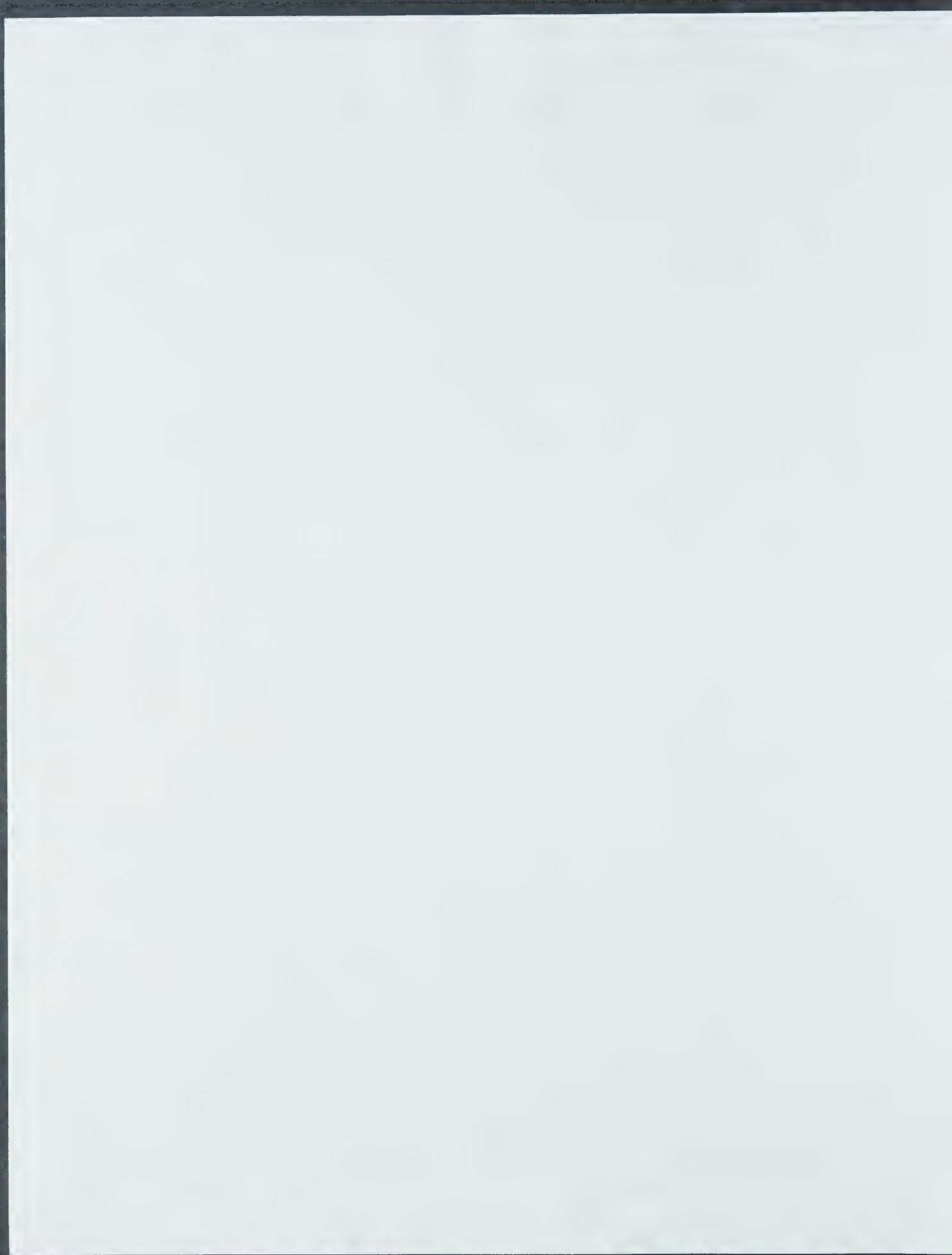
Michael called from Tamar's room and I could hear the baby crying; what a beautiful sound! She weighed over 7 and 1/2 pounds....if I did the kilo transposing right. We are now waiting for Chagit to deliver at any time.

I appreciate all the e-mails keeping me informed about Rho's progress. Hope that she will continue to show improvement. It was so good to speak with Stu and Amy last week. You are in my thoughts and prayers constantly.

I included Faye's "auntielala" address in the hope it will be transmitted.

Love from all here to all there,

Jane



Subject: Hrdina Jr
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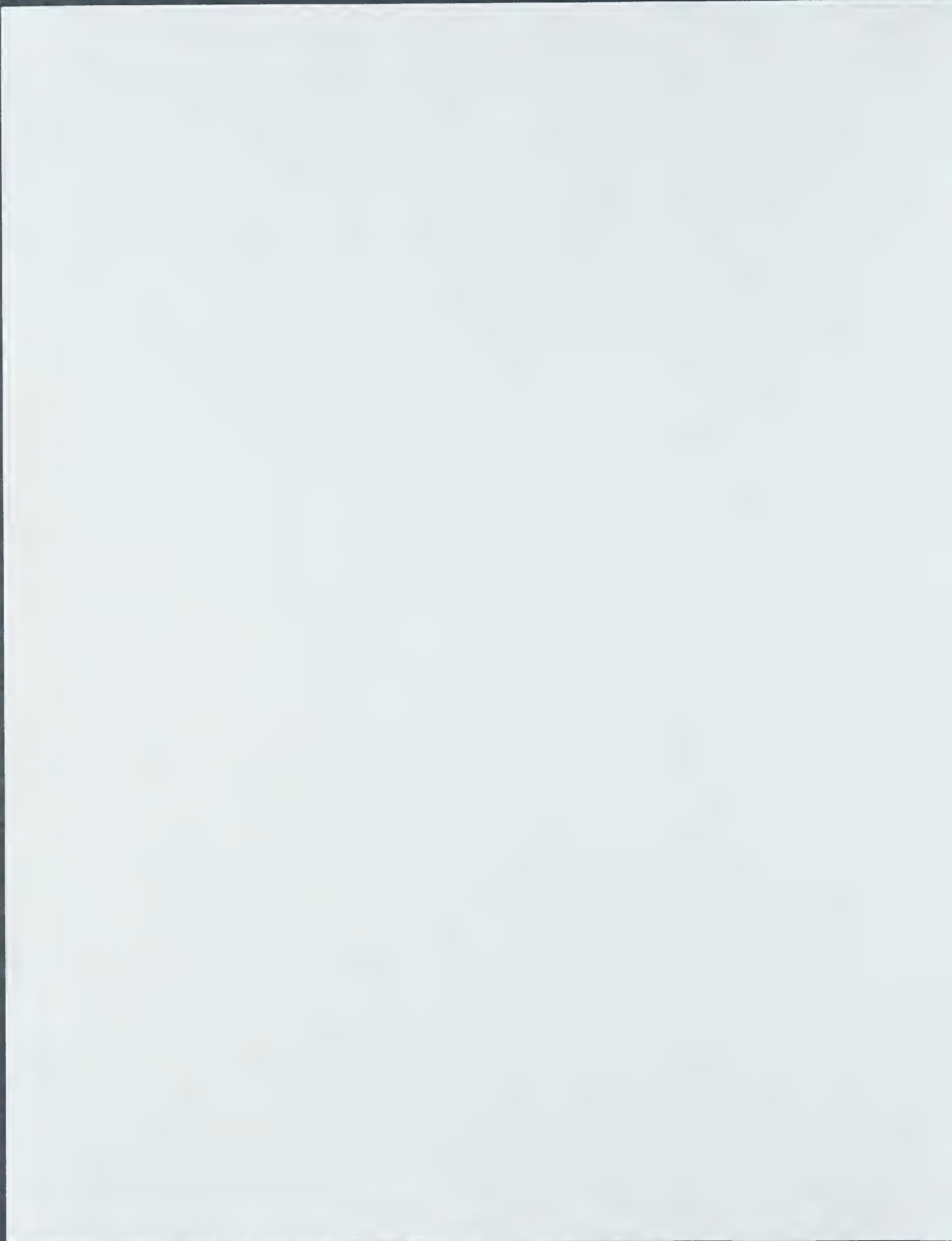
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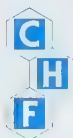
many thanks for your last message and the explanation concerning fellowship which I passed to Mr Hrdina. Finally I know who is Kociensky and Kocovsky. Sorry for my ignorance of situation.

With best regards

Vladimir

P.S.: Situation in the whole CR horrible. Water in Vltava over 5000 cub.m/sec. Prague in darkness. About 300 thousand citizens evacuated in different areas. Several chemical factories close to Labe flooded - ecological calamity awaited (Hg, dioxines etc.). Too vast flood for such a little country!





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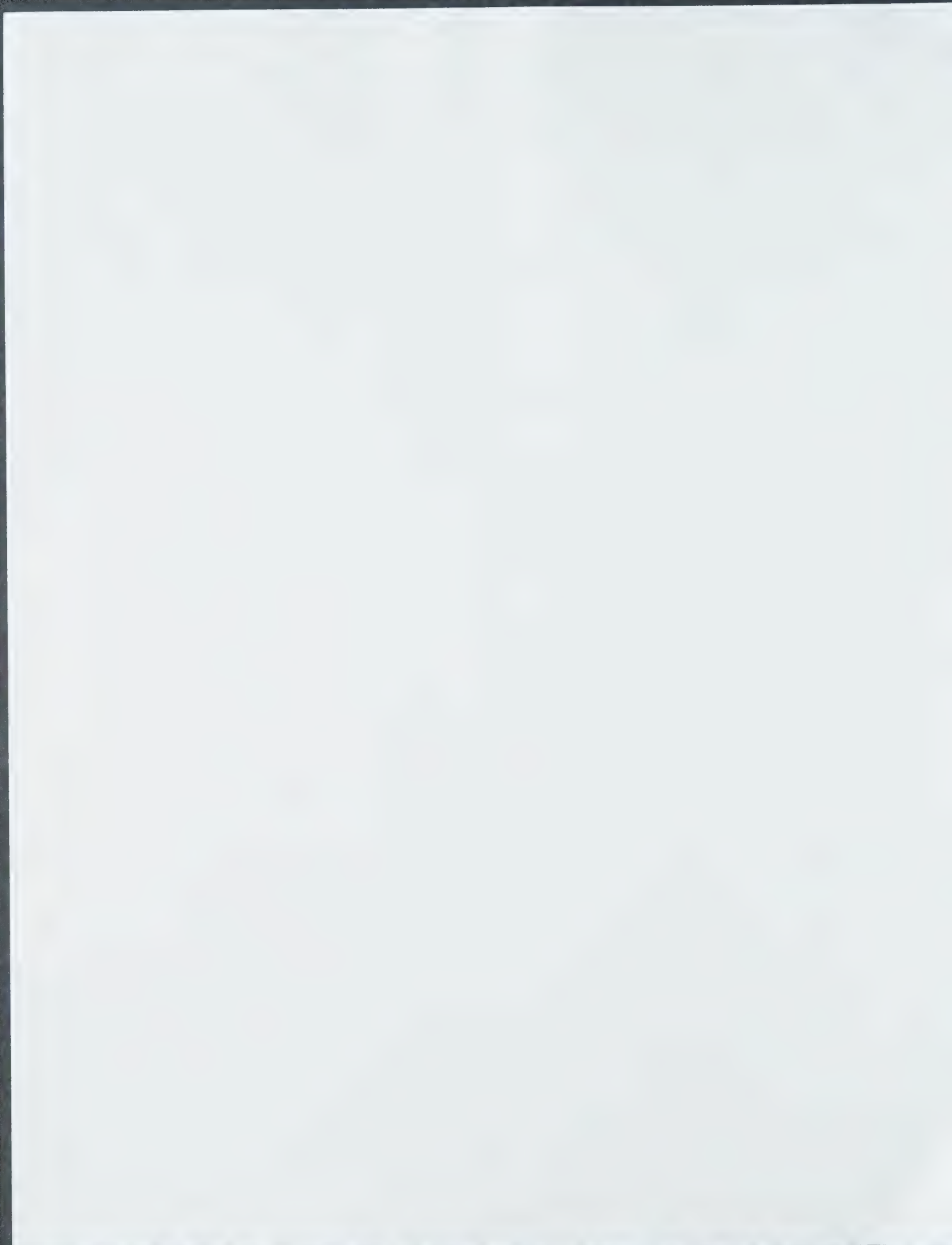
The Reichstein Lecture is wonderful. Thank you for sending it to me. I would love to have 50 copies on hand, to give out as opportunity offers.

Please keep thinking these fruitful thoughts!

With all best wishes,

As ever,

AT/avj



Dear Mr. Trewyn,

Thank you for today's *Business Journal*.

Your article is very well written. I just wish you would have listened to me and allowed me to glance at the text before it was published. I would then have corrected one minor and one major mistake.

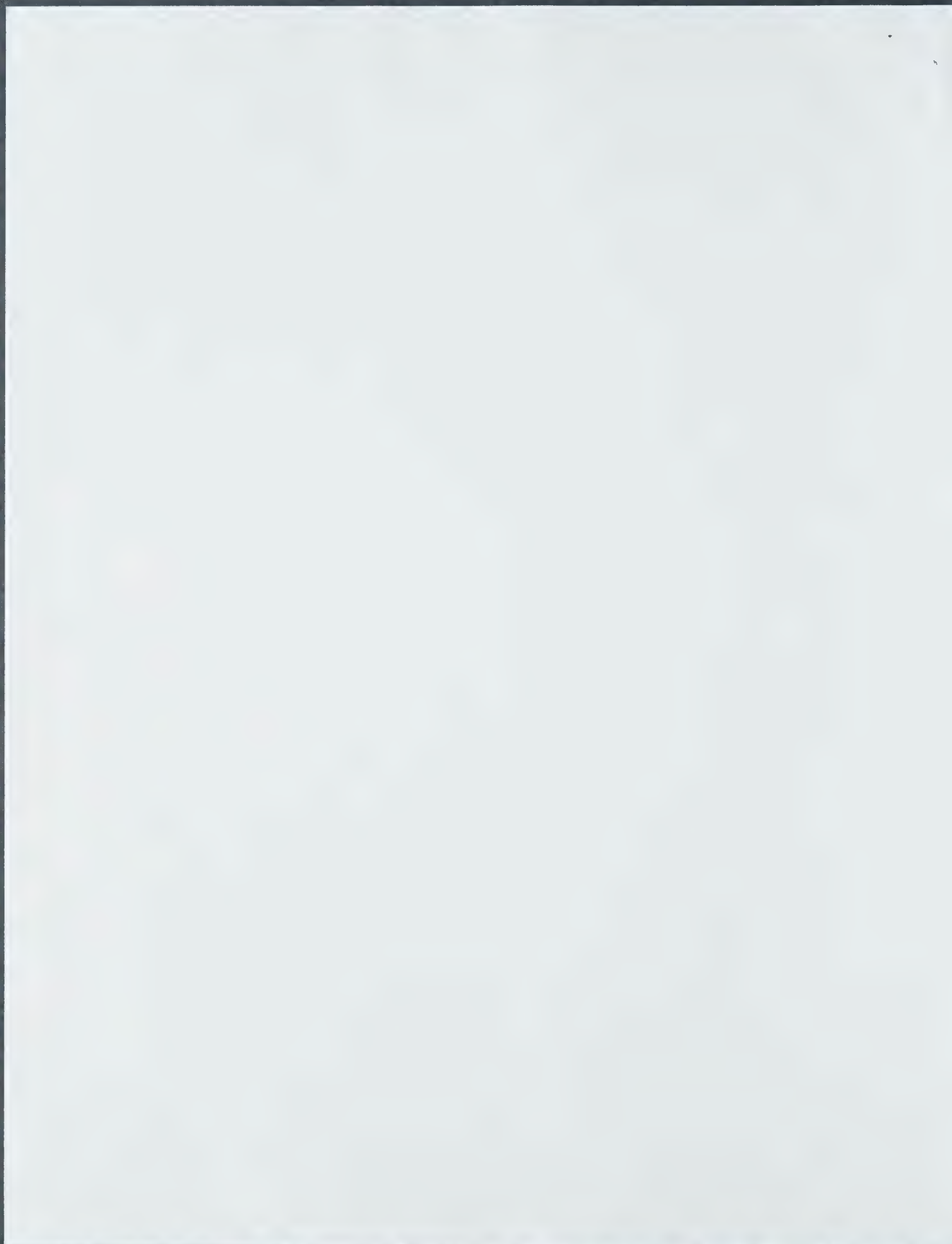
We did not move into the Astor Hotel in 1991, but in 1992. In 1975 Sigma did not acquire Aldrich, but it was a true merger, and I was the President and CEO of the resulting company, Sigma-Aldrich.

You write so well that I would be happy to help you with future articles, provided only that you allow me to correct such mistakes.

The photograph is, I believe, as good as could be and I wonder whether I could have a few copies of that photograph, perhaps in exchange for my autobiography.

With all good wishes I remain

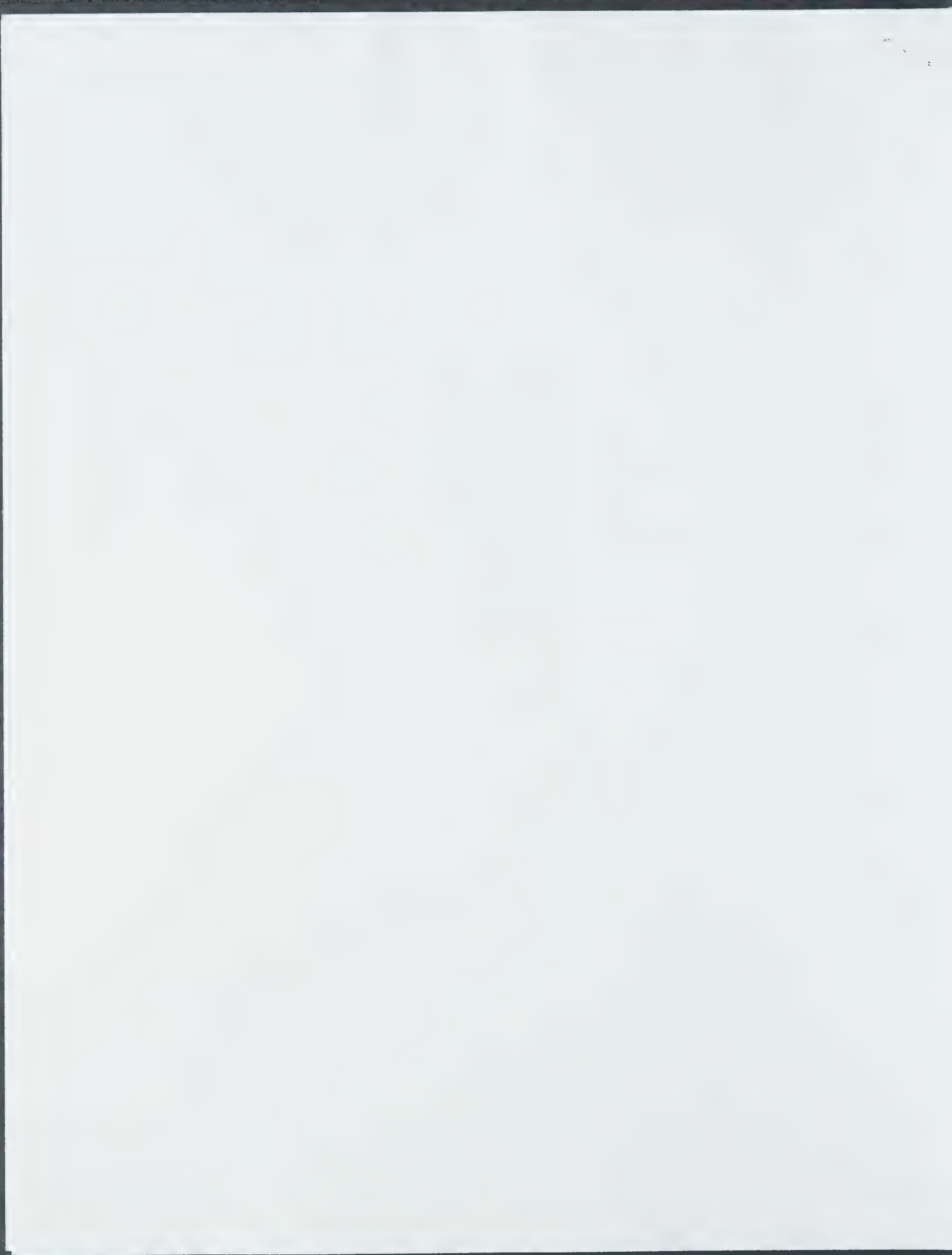
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Date: Fri, 16 Aug 2002 15:19:17 -0500
To: Jzang@annadwa.org
CC: Adina Shapiro <meca@netvision.net.il>

Dear Mr. Zang,

I left for Europe last May 19th and so your 11 page e-mail with your circular letter #18, dated May 30th, stayed in my office in Milwaukee until my return recently.

Of course I remember meeting you at Herstmonceux Castle and so I have read your letter several times and thought about it a good deal.

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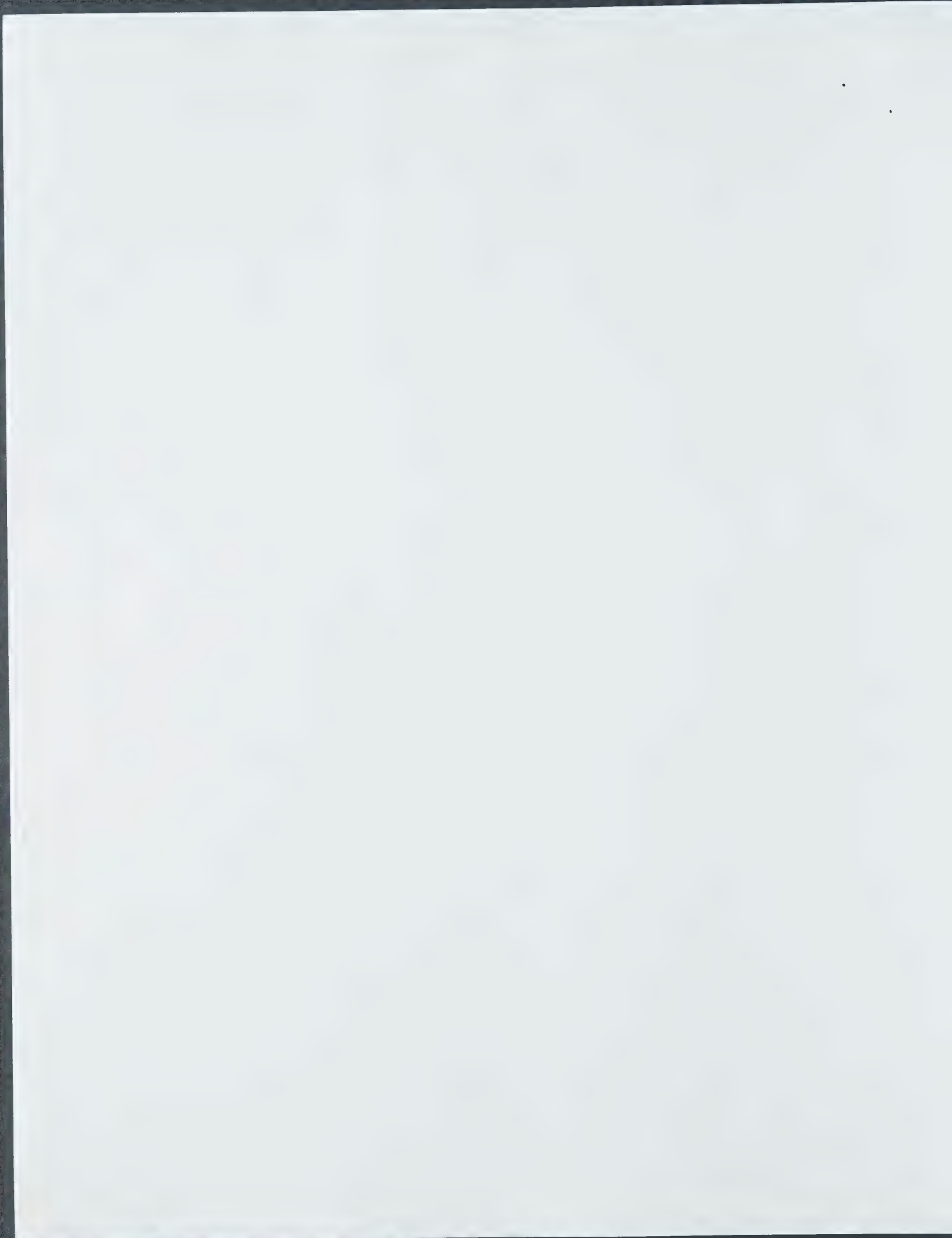
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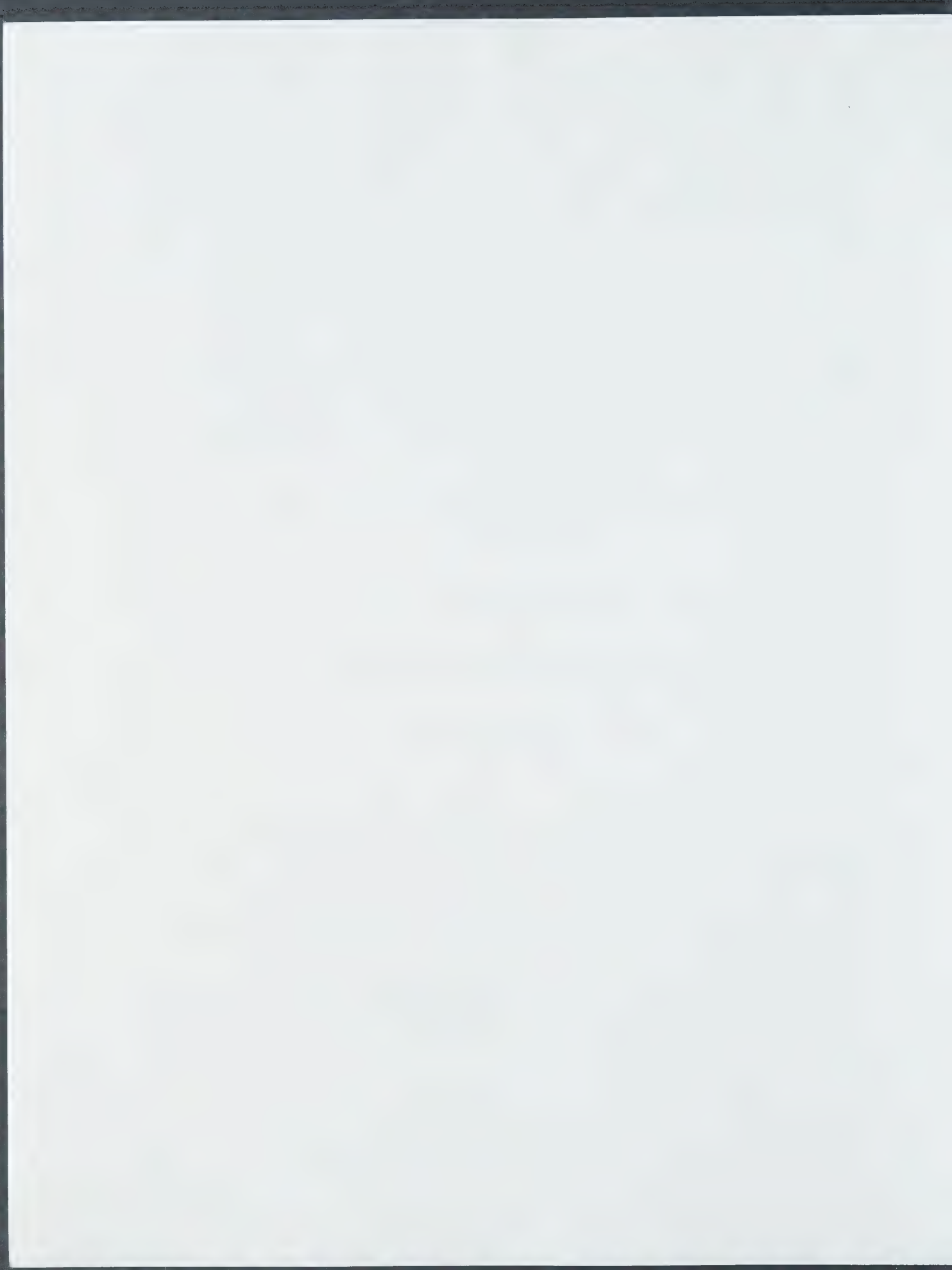
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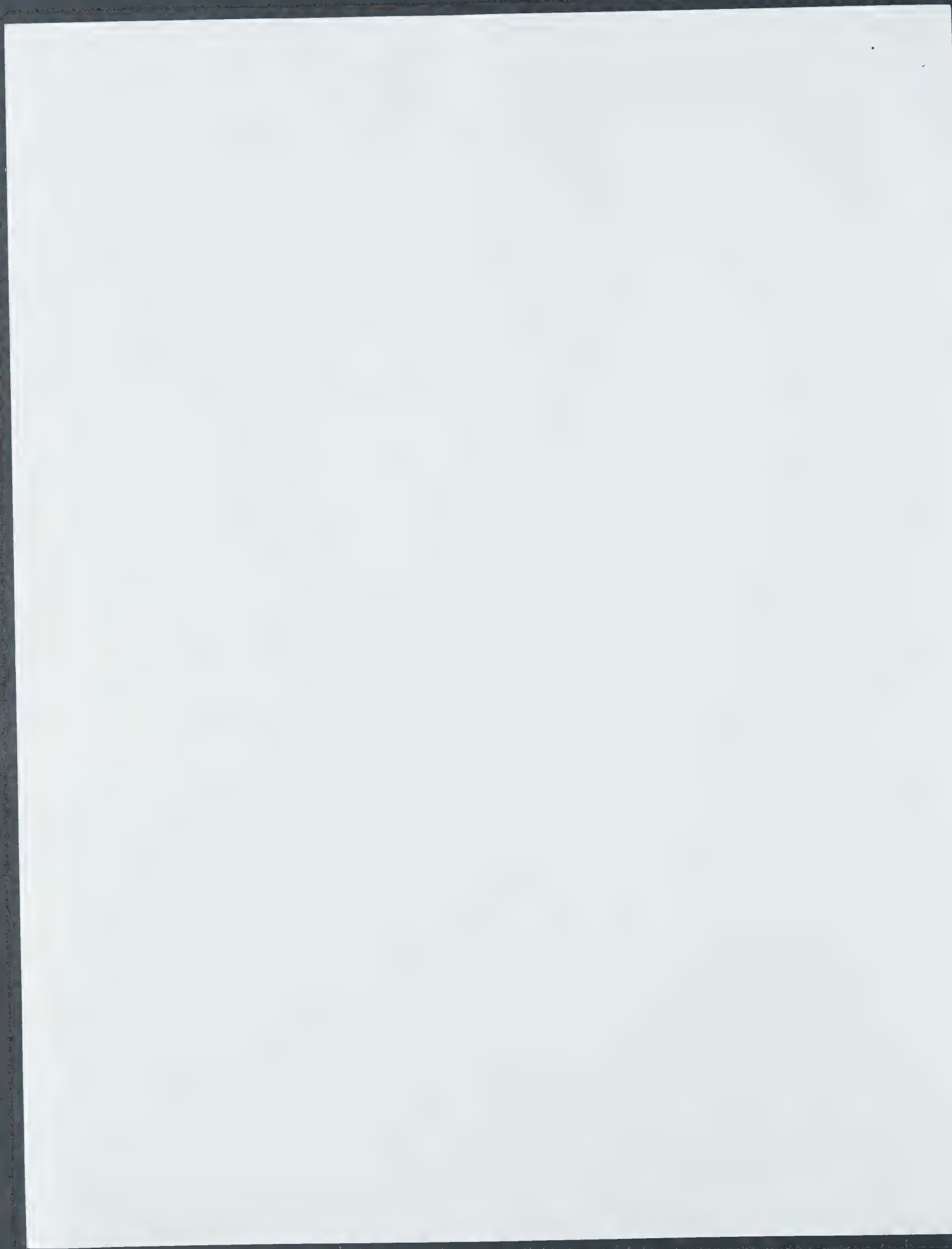
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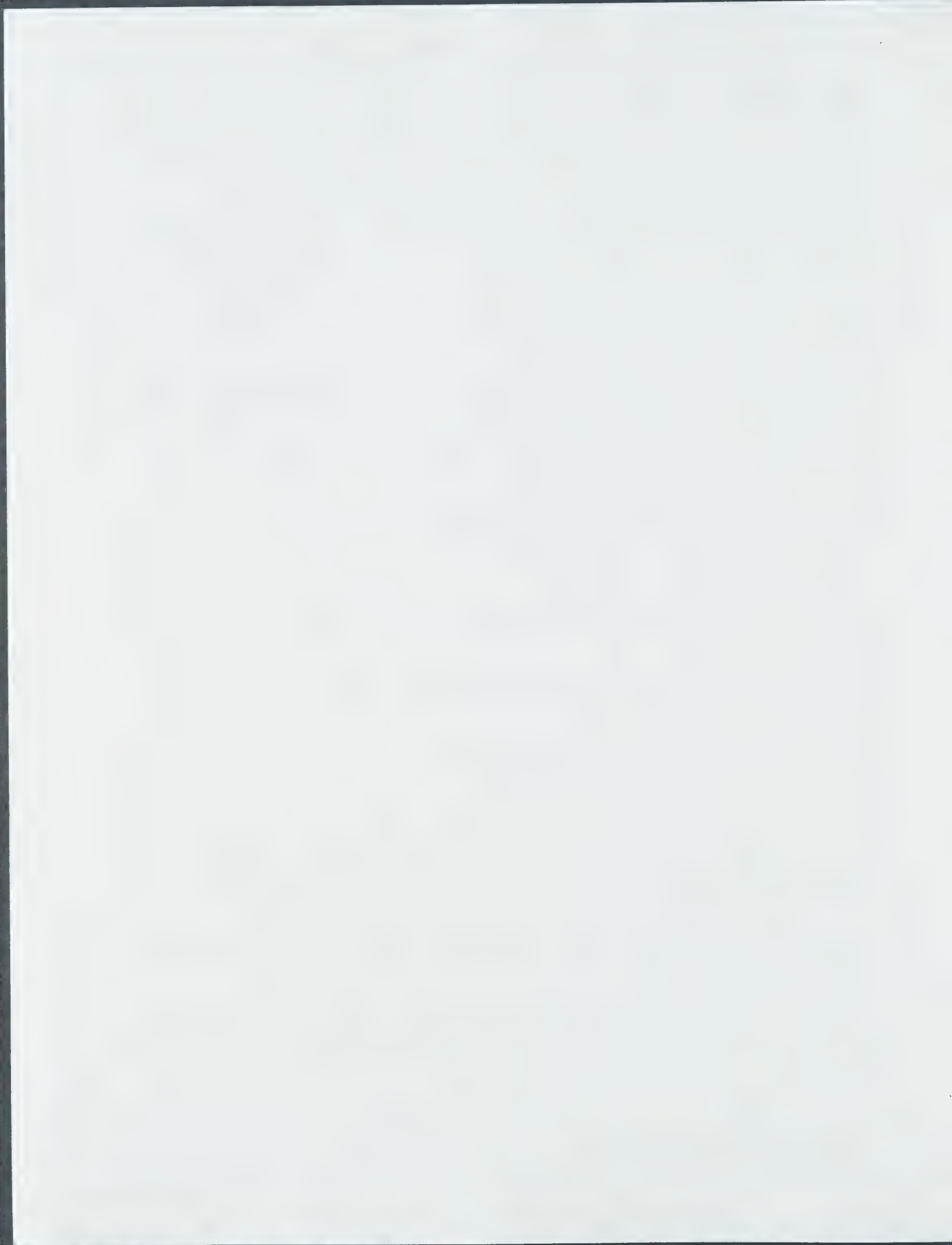
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To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

CC: Krista Voigt <baderadm@chem.queensu.ca>

Thank you, Alfred, excellent suggestion. I will meet you at place and time you indicate below. Looking forward to seeing you again.

At 03:55 PM 8/16/2002 -0500, you wrote:

Dear Victor,

It may be easier to meet in Boston than at Queen's. Unfortunately, my evenings are tied up.

Most of Monday morning I will spend looking at the exhibitors and at 10 AM I am to meet an old friend, Dr. Dennis Curran, at the Sigma-Aldrich stand. Could we perhaps meet there at 11:30 or 12:00 and then have a light lunch?

Looking through the final program in the C&E News, I didn't see where the Sigma-Aldrich stand will be, but I am sure that there will be such a stand somewhere.

Best wishes as always,
Alfred

Victor Snieckus wrote:

Hello, Alfred,
We are still electronically not in cohesive tune here in the new building and Krista, our Administrative Assistant has been cut off from network access (may be literally by a construction worker) and therefore wrote to you from home this morning.
It would be wonderful to see you and to talk about various issues in Boston. Please name the time and date.
We have transferred the A(lfred) and B(ader) lab names to our two labs and, on August 2nd, carried out the first (and successful) ortho metalation reaction in our new environment.
Hope to see you in Boston.

At 10:23 AM 8/16/2002 -0500, you wrote:

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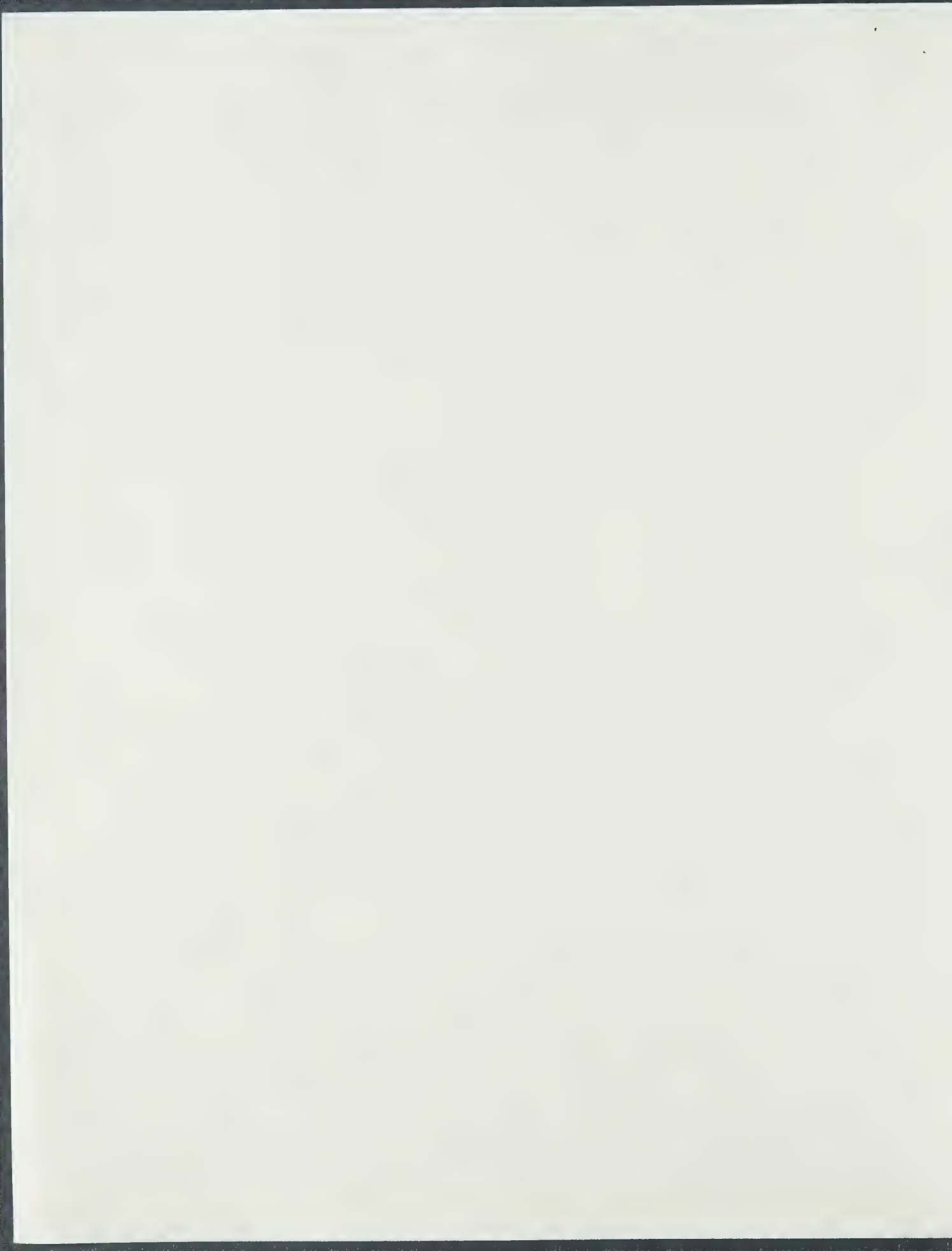
Queen's does indeed fill up our time, but we have to wait for detailed planning until we know when Daniel (in whose plane we are coming) plans to arrive.

On Thursday, October 3rd, I have to give two talks at the Rochester Institute of Technology, where Daniel is also on the Board of Trustees.

When I know more I will let you know and then plan with you when to see Alexei and David Wardlaw. Bob Silverman I will have to see about many matters and the decision when to meet with him we should leave to him.

Will you be in Boston next week? Isabel and I arrive there on Sunday noon and will leave on Thursday morning. We are staying at the Sheraton Boston on Dalton Street.

Fond regards,
Alfred



Victor Snieckus wrote:

Hello, Alfred,
Thank you for your fast response and encouraging note.
Alexei will be well prepared to talk with you on Oct 4 at your convenience.
Would you like us to establish meeting times with Bob Silverman and David Wardlaw? I ask this with the recognition that Queen's sometimes takes over your schedule here to the extent that there is limited time to see even your Chair holder who is also much less informed.
We look forward to hearing about your chat with Peter Pekos and, of course, appreciate your advice and interest in initiating a venture which we are convinced is a worthy one.

At 10:58 AM 8/13/2002 -0500, you wrote:

Dear Victor,

As I am getting older I am approaching senility. I also did not realize that Lithuania is named after Lithiation, the chemistry of Lithuania's ablest chemist.

Wolfgang Oppolcer was a good friend and we were saddened by his dying so young. Of course we understand why you cannot be at Queen's during the weekend of the Grant Hall dinner and hope to have a chance to talk with Alexei. I don't think we can accomplish much talking to George Hood but we do want to talk to Bob Silverman and also to David Wardlaw.

Before coming I plan to have a long chat with Peter Pekos, the President of Dalton Chemical, which rented space from the Chemistry Department at York University for a number of years, I believe to the satisfaction of both the Department and the Company.

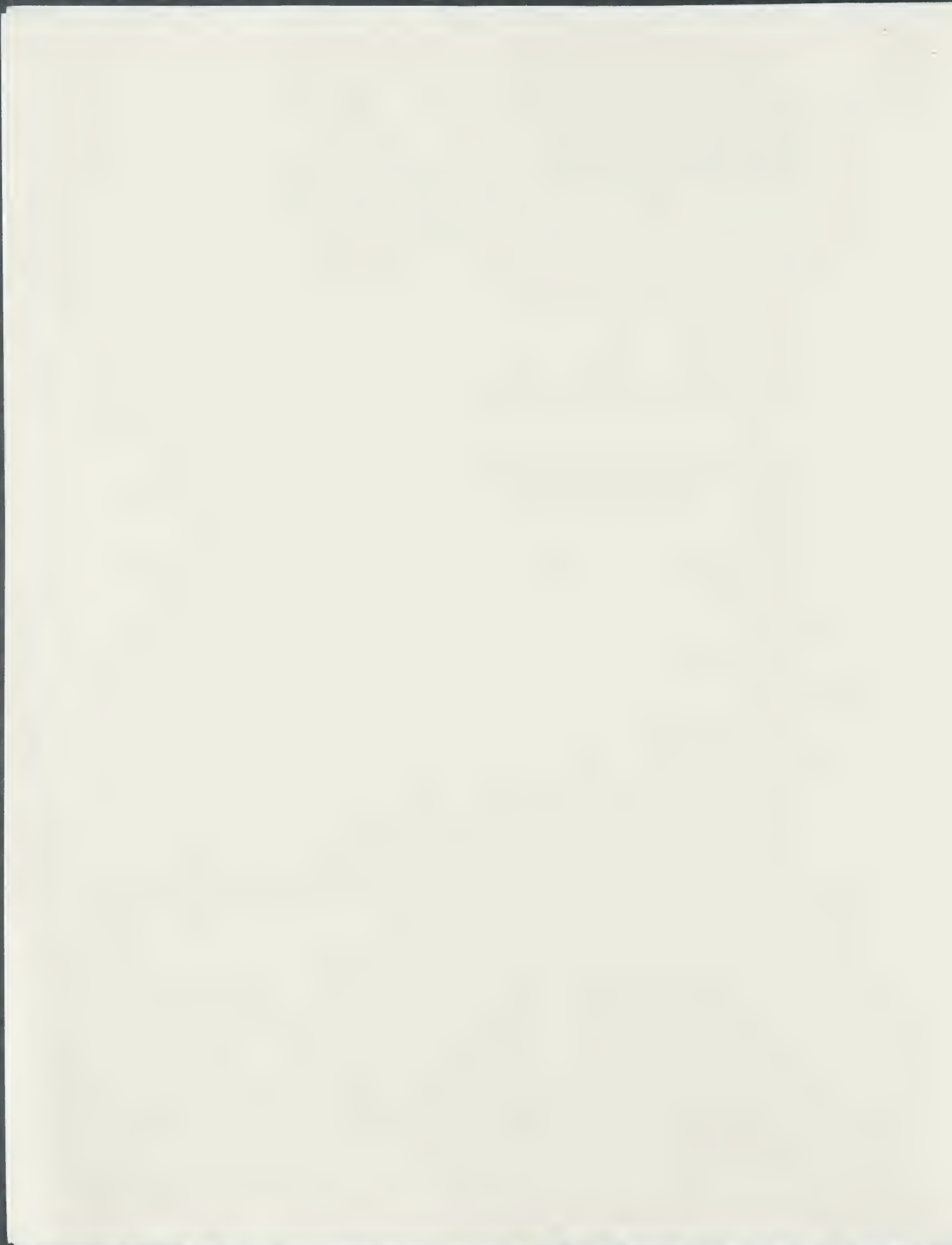
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Victor Snieckus wrote:

Dear Alfred,
It is wonderful to hear from you and you are kind to note this. I just saw the item myself in C & EN of July 29 since journals arrive always about 2-3 weeks later in Canada (by dog sled). The description is rather weak from historical and personal perspective, so I have prepared an expansion which I hope will interest you. My biggest regret is that I invited you and Isabel too late so that you would have been able to meet President Adamkus and I would have been able to show you my country. I hope that you are prepared to receive my invitation for June, 2003 or June-July, 2004 (This year's meeting was a success. We are now uncertain if we shall have it yearly and if we shall begin a rotation to Estonia and Latvia.

Gediminas was the Grand Duke who started our country almost 1000 years ago (anniversary in 2009) whose history I knew only vaguely until recently because I had no schooling before we escaped during WW II. When I accepted the Order of Lithuania from President Adamkus, my most important words (to me) were: I wish my parents would have been here - they would have felt the honor most strongly and I am so happy that about 50 chemists, including all of the Plenaries and Invited Lecturers and their wives, were able to see some parts of the Lithuanian culture and its government in action. By the way, the citation read "for services rendered to the State of Lithuania and efforts to promote Lithuania in the world."



I received some very funny notes as follows:

"I did not know that your chemistry (Lithiation) has a country named after you" (Peter Beak)

"I am also a chiral lithuanian enolate chemist" (Al Meyers).

"What exactly did you do for Lithuanian chemistry? I am sure it is not a mistake and they conferred the price for your contribution to Lithium chemistry...?" (Hans Wynberg)

"... do only Lithuanians (and not Lithioanians) receive the Gedimino Ordinas! ?" (anon)

On another topic, Kaumos, INc. the company for custom synthesis which Alexei Kalinin and I are trying to establish here, the situation is as follows:

* George Hood, Bob Silverman, Steve Kelly (KEDCO) and I met after your initial discussion with Bob and the view was positive to a) rent space at AlCan, b) perhaps become part of the new Research Park that Queen's is viewing near Collins Bay;

* David Wardlaw, our Heat of Department, has the same view as Stan Brown in terms of rental of space within Chernoff Hall for Kaumos, i.e. NO;

* Alexei and I have gone back to contract work based on high overhead from Queen's to accomodate the synthetic projects that we are continuously being offered from American pharmaceutical industry;

* discussion on the CIL space outside of Kingston broke down when we received the demand that, after a five-year rental period, we would not receive compensation for any of the (obligatory) renovation we had invested in, especially with respect to major air-flow systems.

I would appreciate your thoughts on our attempts to establish a company which could a) give Queen's a strong reputation in synthetic technology spin-off; b) provide jobs for students, both graduates and summer undergraduates; c) give Canada a new fine chemical industry base.

In the meantime, we shall continue to see which avenue will give us a breakthrough.

On October 4, I have accepted to give a lecture at the Wolfgang Oppolzer Memorial Symposium in Geneva. I simply cannot change this commitment and I will be sad to miss seeing you and Isabel then.

However, if you are able to help our company, perhaps this would be a good opportunity to meet with Bob Silverman, George Hood, and others and, for this purpose, Alexei whom I trust explicitly, can accompany you.

With best wishes to you both.

At 02:16 PM 8/9/2002 -0500, you wrote:

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Congratulations for being awarded the highest honor in Lithuania.

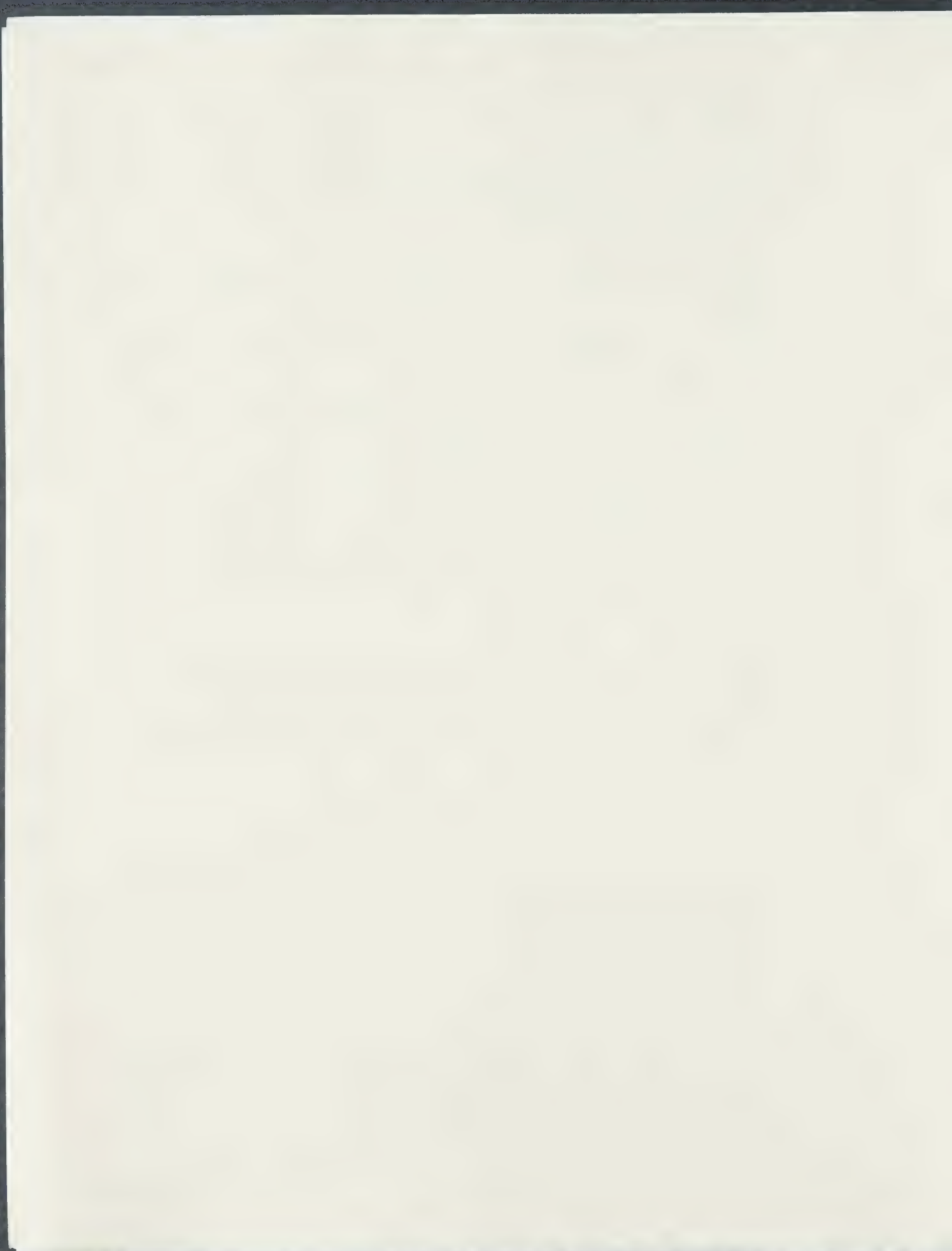
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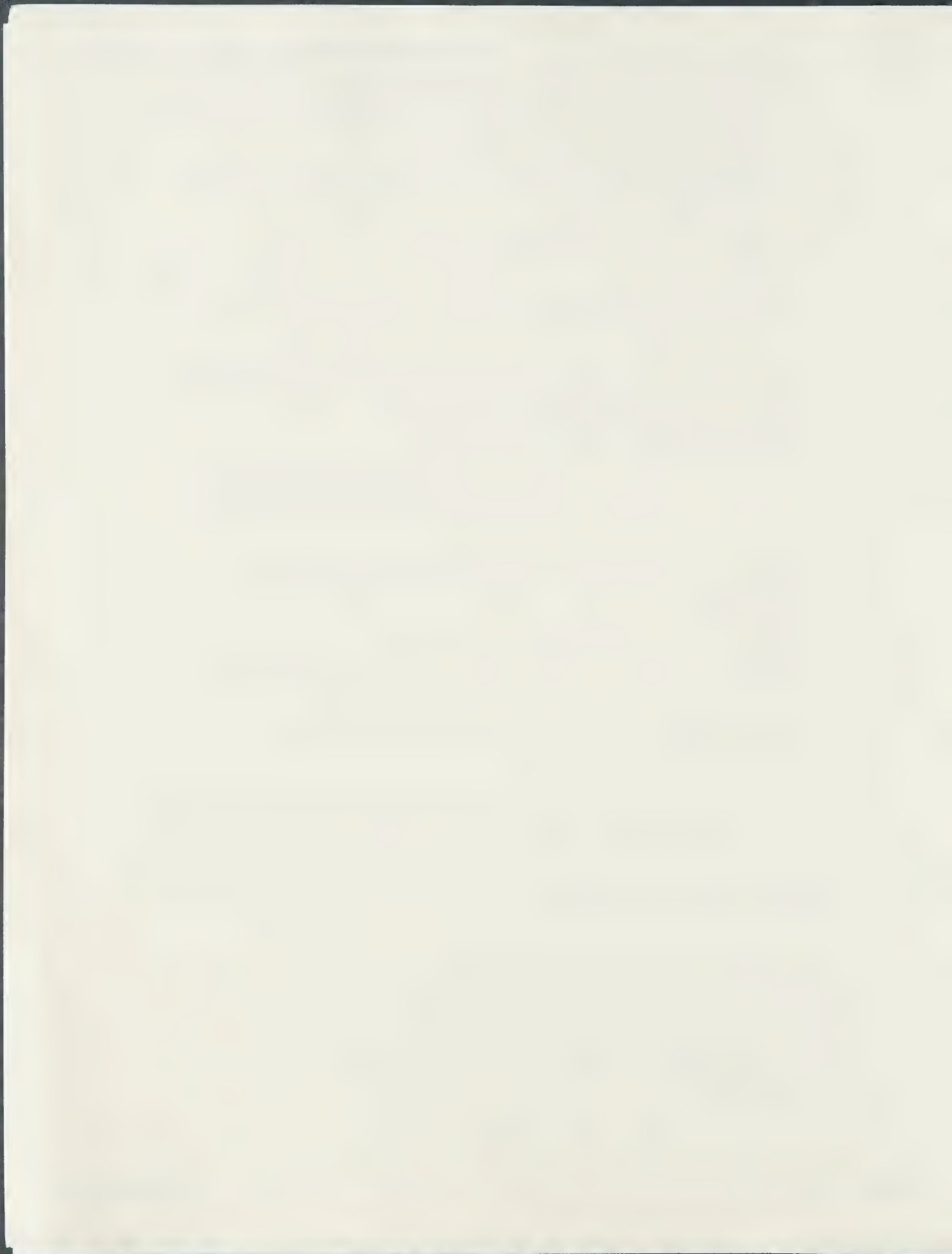
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Subject: RE: meeting next week
From: netzer <netzer@mail.bc.edu>
Date: Sat, 17 Aug 2002 14:04:45 -0400
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

I just had a message from Phil Cunningham who was wondering if me might be able to change the lunch to Tuesday. Might that be just as convenient for you and Isabel? If not we'll stick to Wednesday and I'll leave a message at your hotel.

Look forward to seeing you both soon. Safe journey.

All best,

Nancy>===== Original Message From Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

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Dear Nancy,

Thank you so much for your latest e-mail.

We will happily come out to meet with you, provided that the lunch is very simple. Please just send me a note to the hotel where we are staying, the Sheraton Boston on Dalton Street, and give us directions how to come. Isabel and I will gladly spend 1-2 hours with you, but then we will have to get back to meet with chemists at the convention.

With best wishes,
Alfred Bader

nancy netzer wrote:

Dear Alfred,

Thanks so much for your reply. I've talked to Paul and Ruth, and we'd very much like to have lunch with you and Isabelle on Wednesday. We'd be very pleased to host you here, or, if it more convenient for you, we could arrange to meet you in town. Let me know your preference.

A bientot and all best,
Nancy

On Thu, 15 Aug 2002 16:32:46 -0500 Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com> wrote:

Dear Nancy,

Thank you for your e-mail of today.

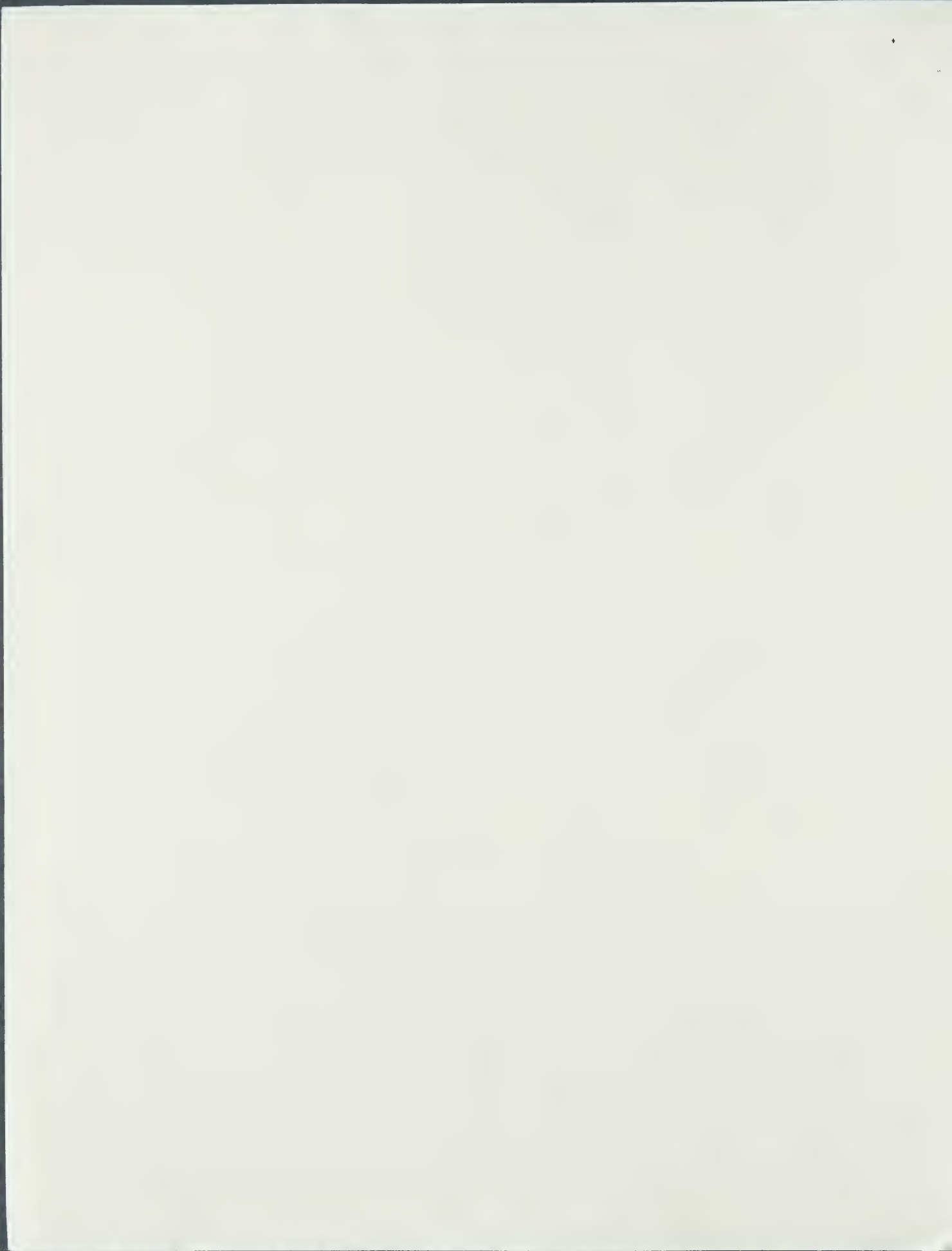
Unfortunately, we have a dinner invitation from Roy Eddleman, the country's most active collector of alchemical paintings, and Dr. Arnold Thackray, the President of the Chemical Heritage Foundation, for Tuesday evening.

Breakfast on Thursday morning would not be very good either because we have to catch a 9:45 train from South Station to New York City.

We have dinners booked for Sunday and Monday and Tuesday evenings, but would be free for Wednesday evening.

Alternately, would lunch on Tuesday or Wednesday be possible?

All the best,
Alfred



nancy netzer wrote:

Dear Alfred,

I was interrupted while writing this email earlier today and can't remember whether I sent an earlier version. Thank you again for your fax. I've contacted John

Michalczyk and Paul Davidovits and now have their schedules for next week. John will be away M-W, but all three of us could meet you and Isabelle for breakfast on Thursday morning, if that would work. Alternatively, we could meet for supper on Tuesday without John. In either case, we'd love to discuss with you some important new initiatives at Boston College. Last Spring Father Leahy announced that BC will take a leadership role in studying the current problems in the Catholic Church and proposing new models for restructuring the current hierarchy. At the same time BC's Center for Christian-Jewish Learning has become a widely recognized voice in Inter-religious dialogue throughout the world. In addition to the \$5,000,000

initial gift from John Corcoran, the Center recently received \$2,000,000 from Jewish donors Myra and Robert Kraft. (The Kraft Family owns the New England Patriots.) As I mentioned on the phone, on November 6 of this year, Cardinal Kasper will be coming to the McMullen Museum's exhibition "Reclaiming a Lost Generation: German Self Portraits from the Feldberg Collection" at the invitation of the Center and will lecture on the past, present and his vision for future relations between Christians and Jews. Knowing of your deep and abiding interest in these issues, the three of us, as well as Ruth Langer and Phil Cunningham

>from the Center, would like to bring you up to date on

these developments at BC and speak to you about the possibility of your and Isabelle's participating in them. So let me know, which time would be best for you.

Look forward to seeing you next week,

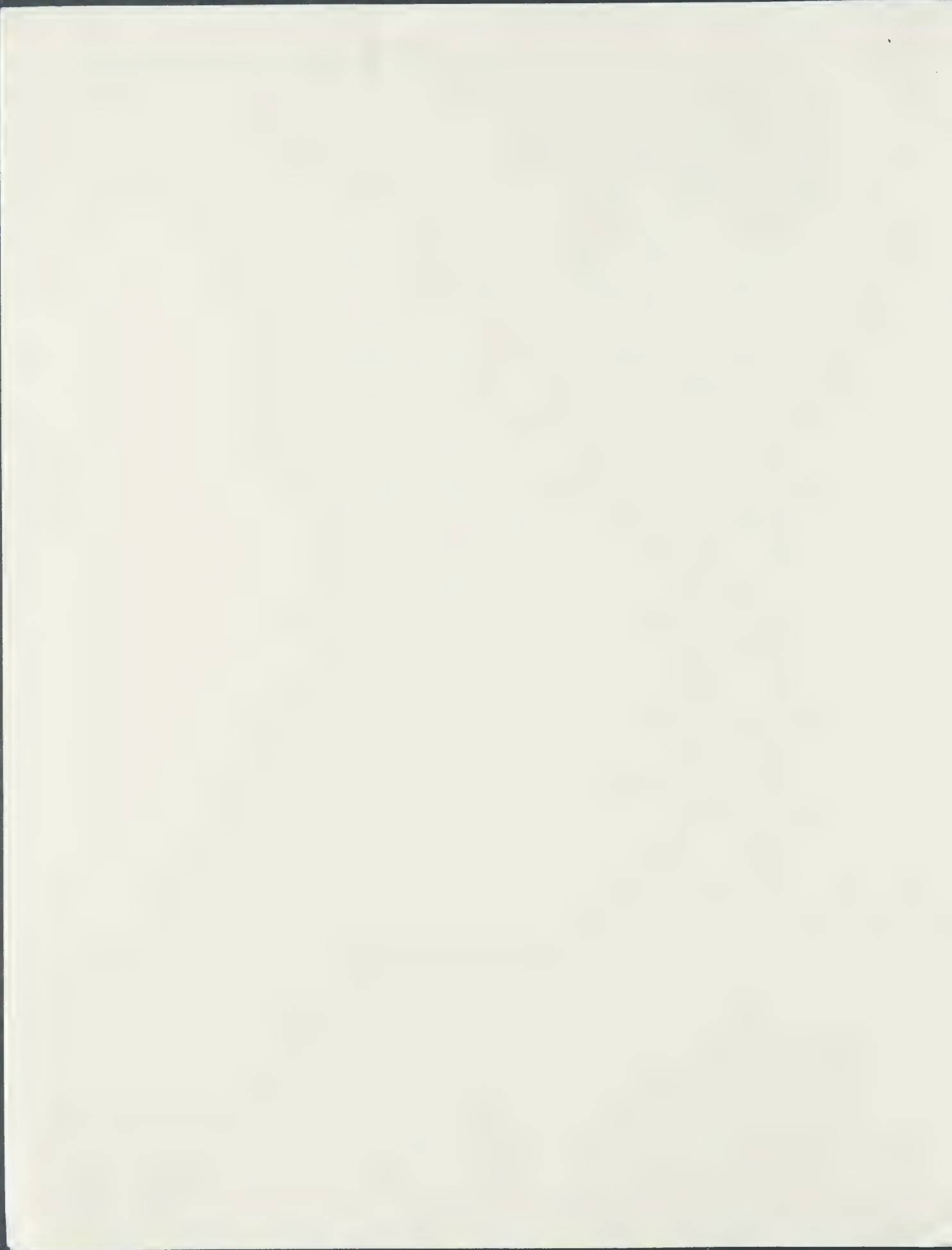
Until then, I wish you a good trip.

All best,
Nancy

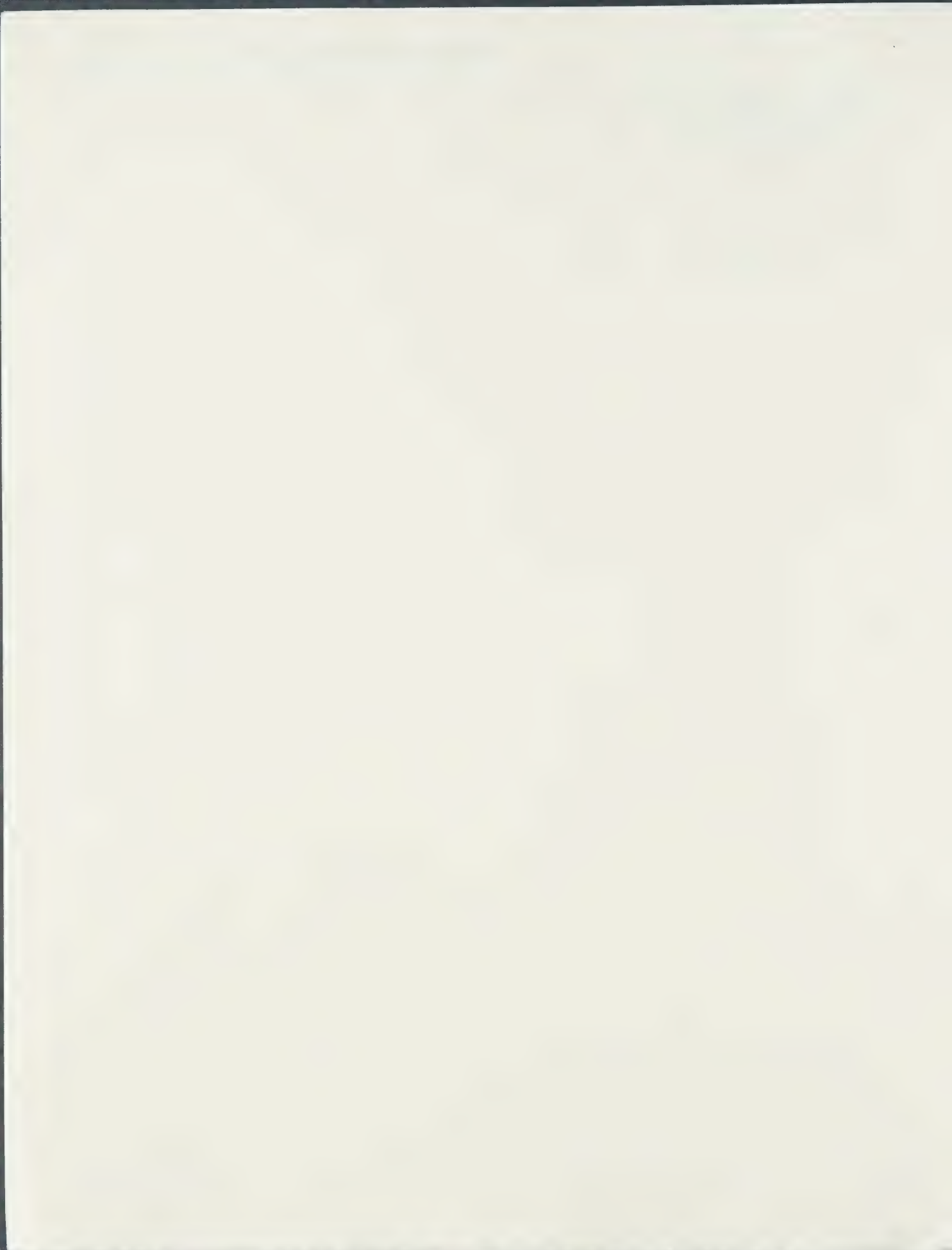
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Subject: Re: Change in plans
From: "Ira & Cathey" <iracathey@rcn.com>
Date: Mon, 19 Aug 2002 16:09:22 -0400
To: "Alfred Bader Fine Arts" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Thank you for the update. I will call the Baders during their visit.

Ira Faro

----- Original Message -----

From: "Alfred Bader Fine Arts" <baderfa@execpc.com>

To: "Ira Faro" <iracathey@rcn.com>

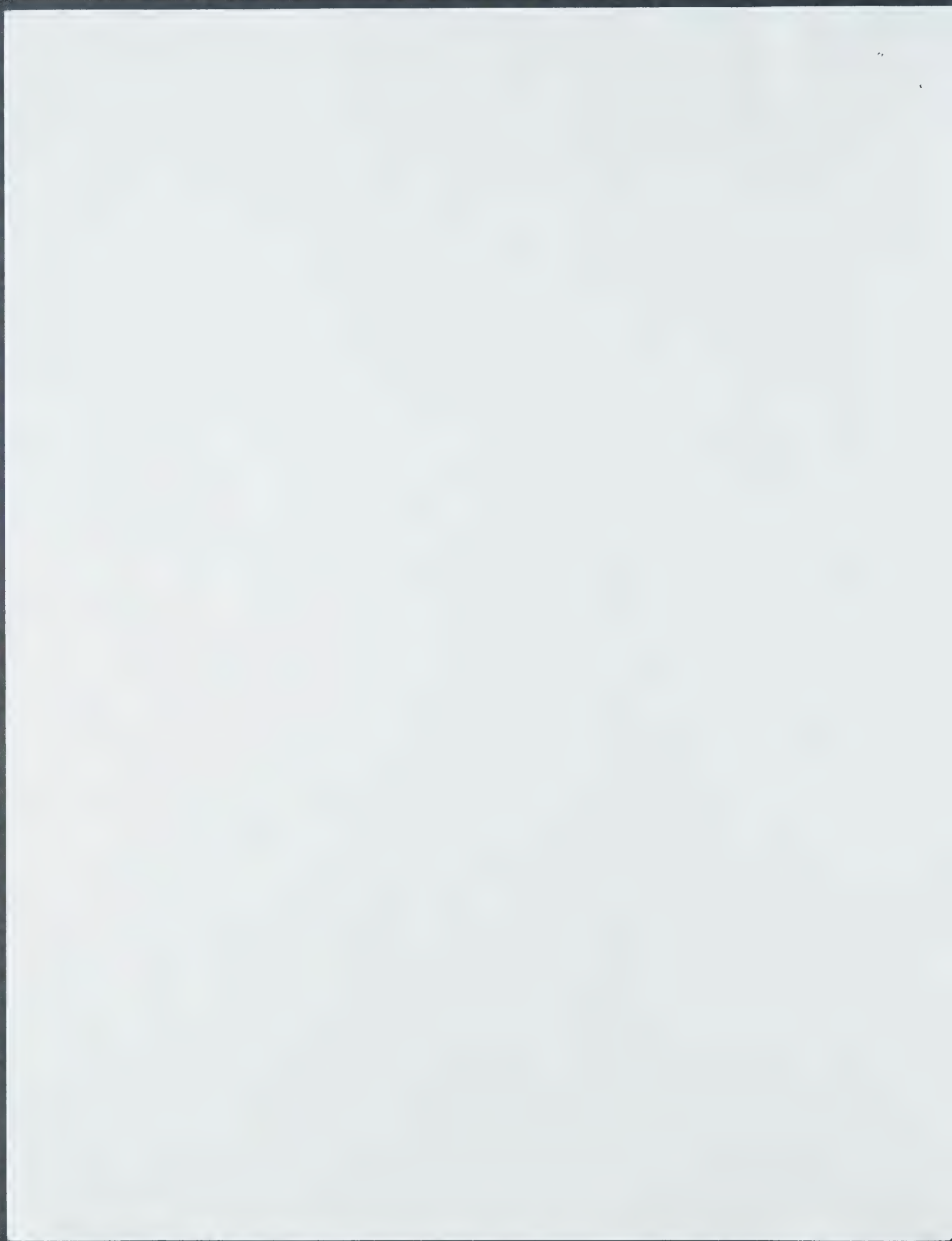
Sent: Monday, August 19, 2002 3:53 PM

Subject: Change in plans

Dear Mr. Faro,

Isabel and Alfred will only be at David's home from Thursday until Sunday. Michelle is not feeling well so their visit has been shortened.

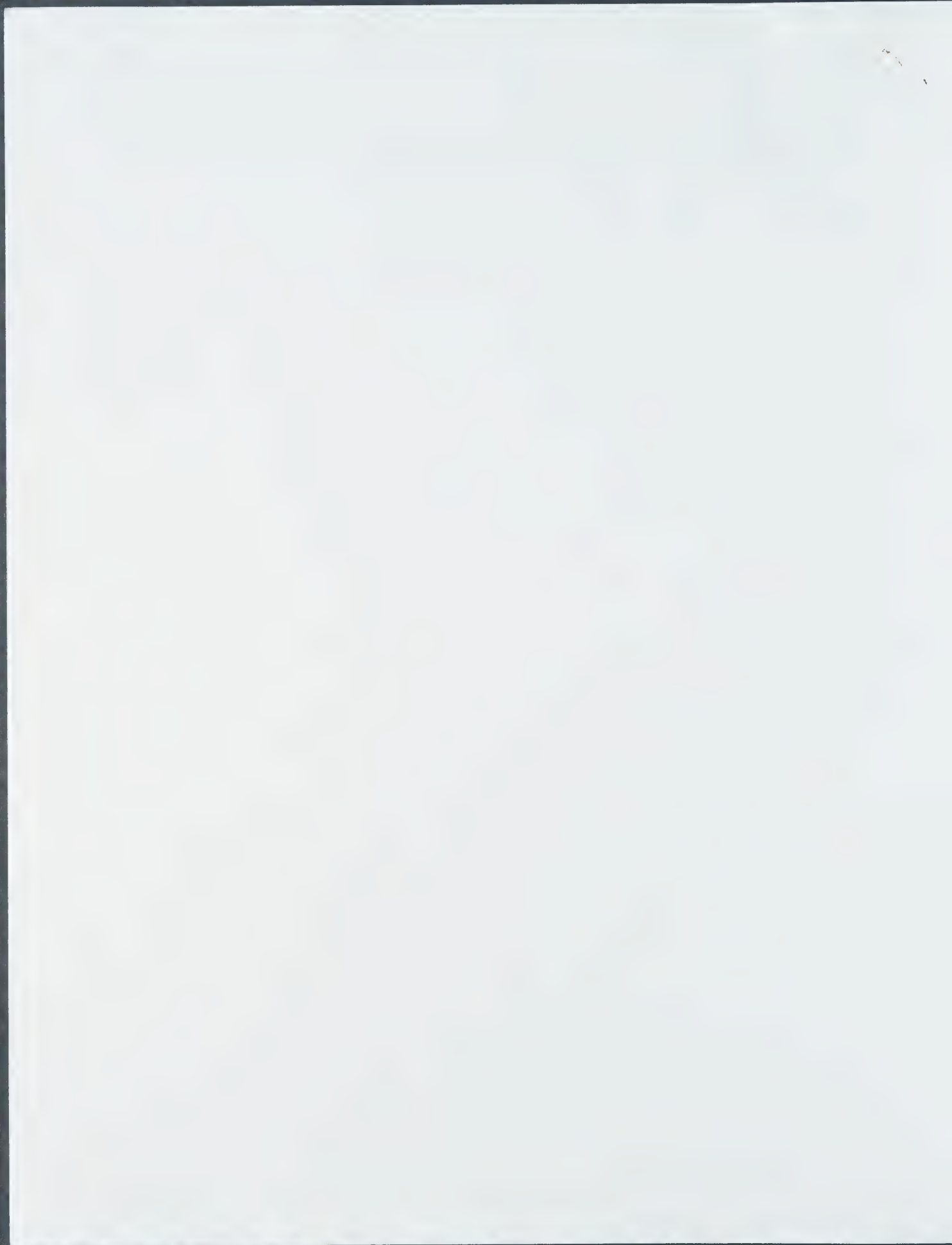
Regards,
Ann Zuehlke, Gallery Manager



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Ann Zuehlke, Gallery Manager



August 19, 2002

Rabbi Brian Walt
Executive Director
Rabbis for Human Rights – North America
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Dear Rabbi Walt,

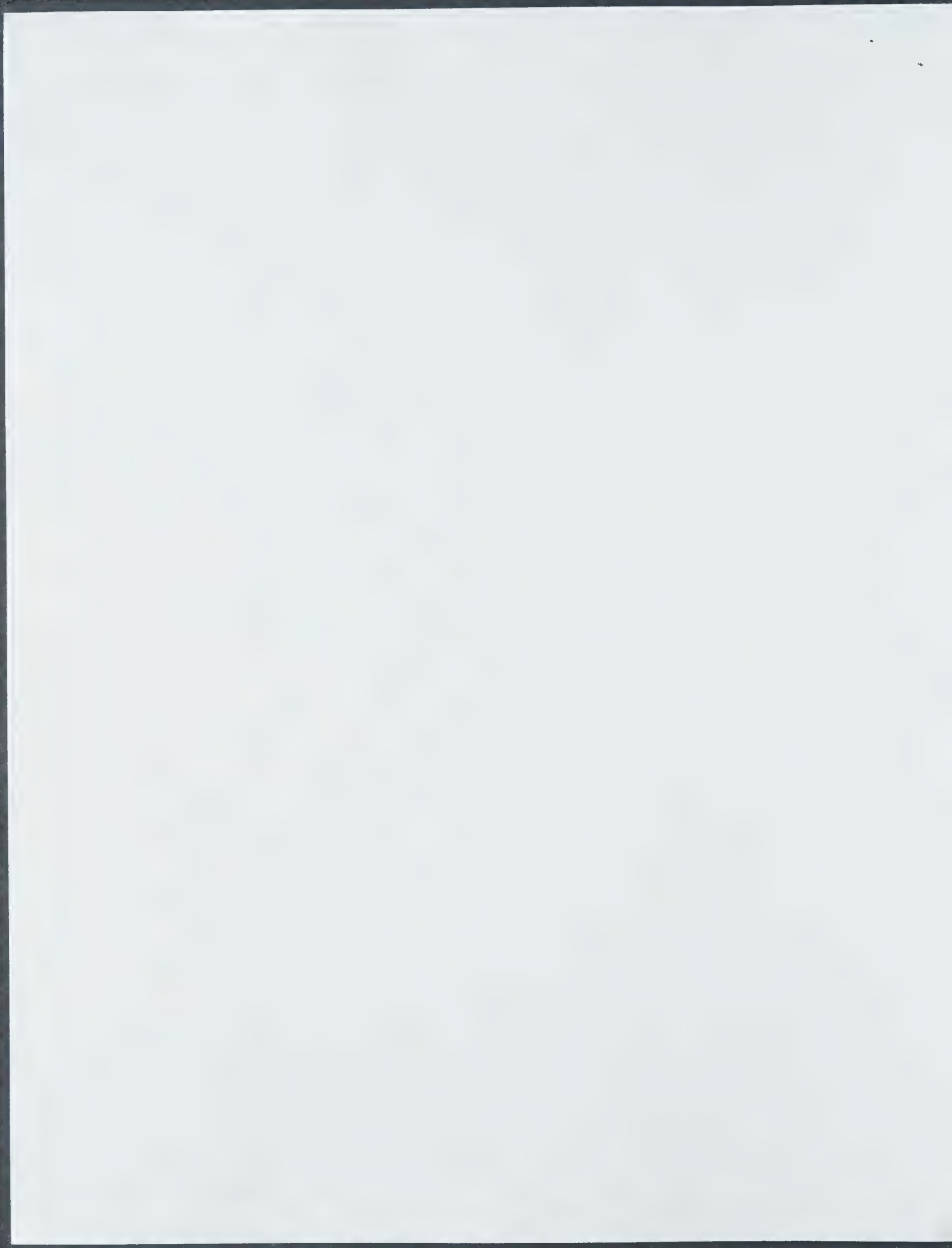
Thank you for your letter of August 13th and for your High Holidays package.

I very much enjoyed listening to Rabbi Arik Ascherman when he came to Milwaukee a few months ago. However, we will be in England in November and so could not meet him in Milwaukee. I do hope that he and some of your associates will have a chance to talk to Adina Shapiro about her work with MECA. Her e-mail is meca@netvision.net.il.

With best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az





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Subject: Your letter of August 13th
From: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>
Date: Mon, 19 Aug 2002 14:34:42 -0500
To: office@rhr-na.org
CC: Adina Shapiro <meca@netvision.net.il>

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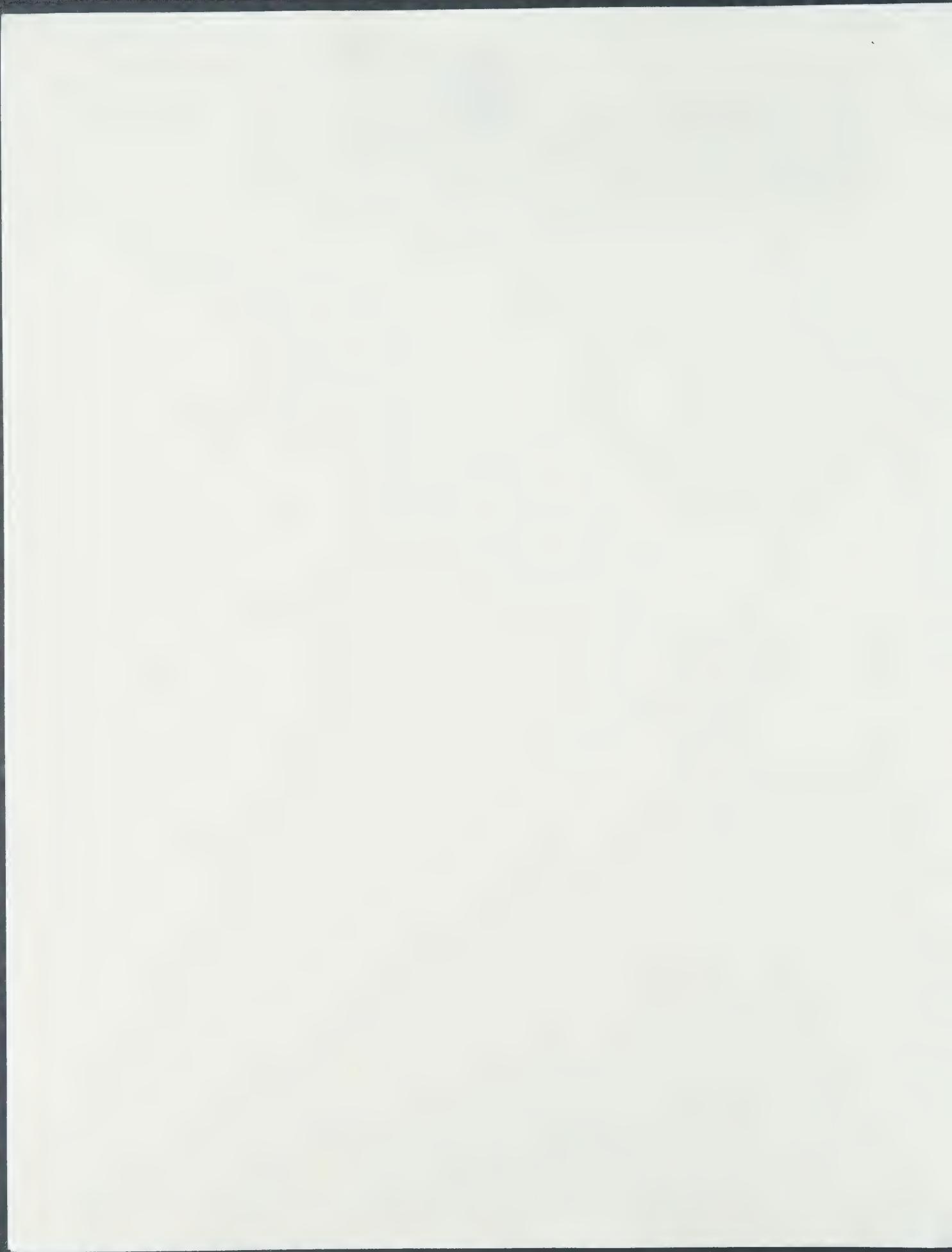
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5 Elul 5762
August 13, 2002

Dr. Alfred Bader
924 East Juneau, Suite 622
Milwaukee WI 53202

Dear Dr. Bader,

Thanks so much for your very generous contribution of \$10,000.00 that we received today. We deeply appreciate your support for our work promoting human rights for all in Israel and in the Territories.

As you point out, malnutrition is only one of a series of devastating problems faced by Palestinians. We work in many different contexts to defend the rights of innocent people on both sides of the conflict. We believe that our tradition demands that we treat each person as an individual created in the image of God, regardless of faith or ethnicity. It is indeed so tragic that as a result of the violent conflict and the losses that we have suffered, we have lost our spiritual and moral vision in our relationship to the Palestinians.

We have just printed a rabbinic resource packet for the High Holidays that we mailed to 3,000 rabbis in the United States. I have mailed you a copy of this resource under separate cover. I hope you find it inspiring at this difficult time.

My colleague, Rabbi Arik Ascherman, the executive director of Rabbis for Human Rights in Israel may be in Milwaukee in November. I am sure he would love to meet you and to hear of your work in support of MECA. Please let me know if you are interested in such a meeting.

As per your letter, your donation will be used in support of our human rights work and not for the current special humanitarian project to alleviate malnutrition. If this is not your intention, please contact us by phone or email and we will direct the use of your donation in whatever way you wish.

Please feel free to call me at 215 508-5560 or send me an email at brianwalt@rhr-na.org.

May the year ahead move us from vengeance and violence towards reconciliation and peace.

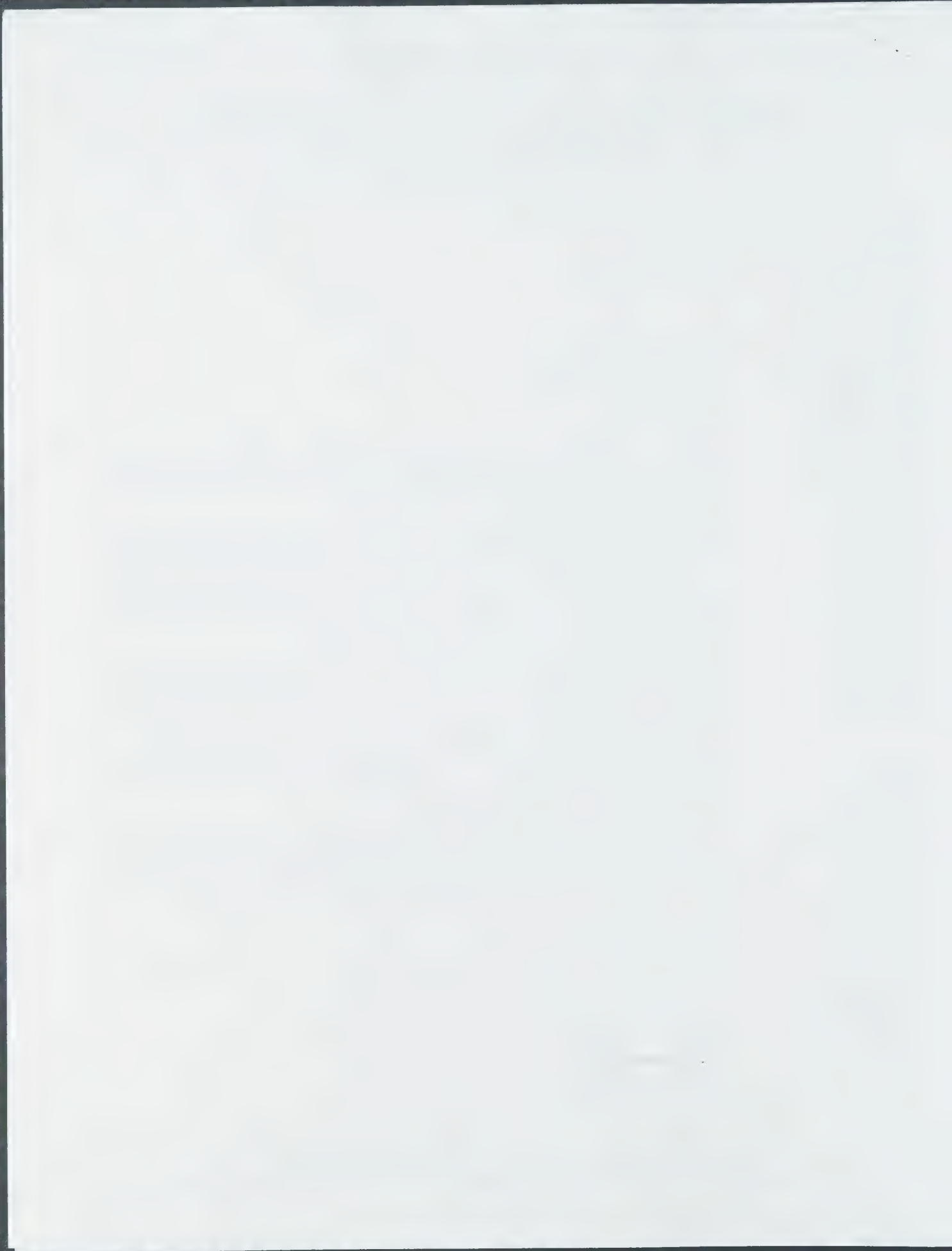
Wishing you a year of good health and many blessings,



Rabbi Brian Walt
Executive Director

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LEHMAN BROTHERS

August 20, 2002

Mr. Alfred Bader
President
B & K Enterprises, Inc.
924 East Juneau Avenue, Suite 622
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202-2748

Dear Mr. Bader:

We recently read in the *Milwaukee Business Journal* about many of the exciting developments taking place at your firm and would like to congratulate you on your success. In our forty-five years of combined experience working as investment advisors, many entrepreneurs and foundations in your position have found it beneficial to initiate a dialogue with Lehman Brothers Private Client Group. Establishing this relationship will allow you and your business to leverage the broad range of resources and expertise only available at a top investment bank.

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With best regards,



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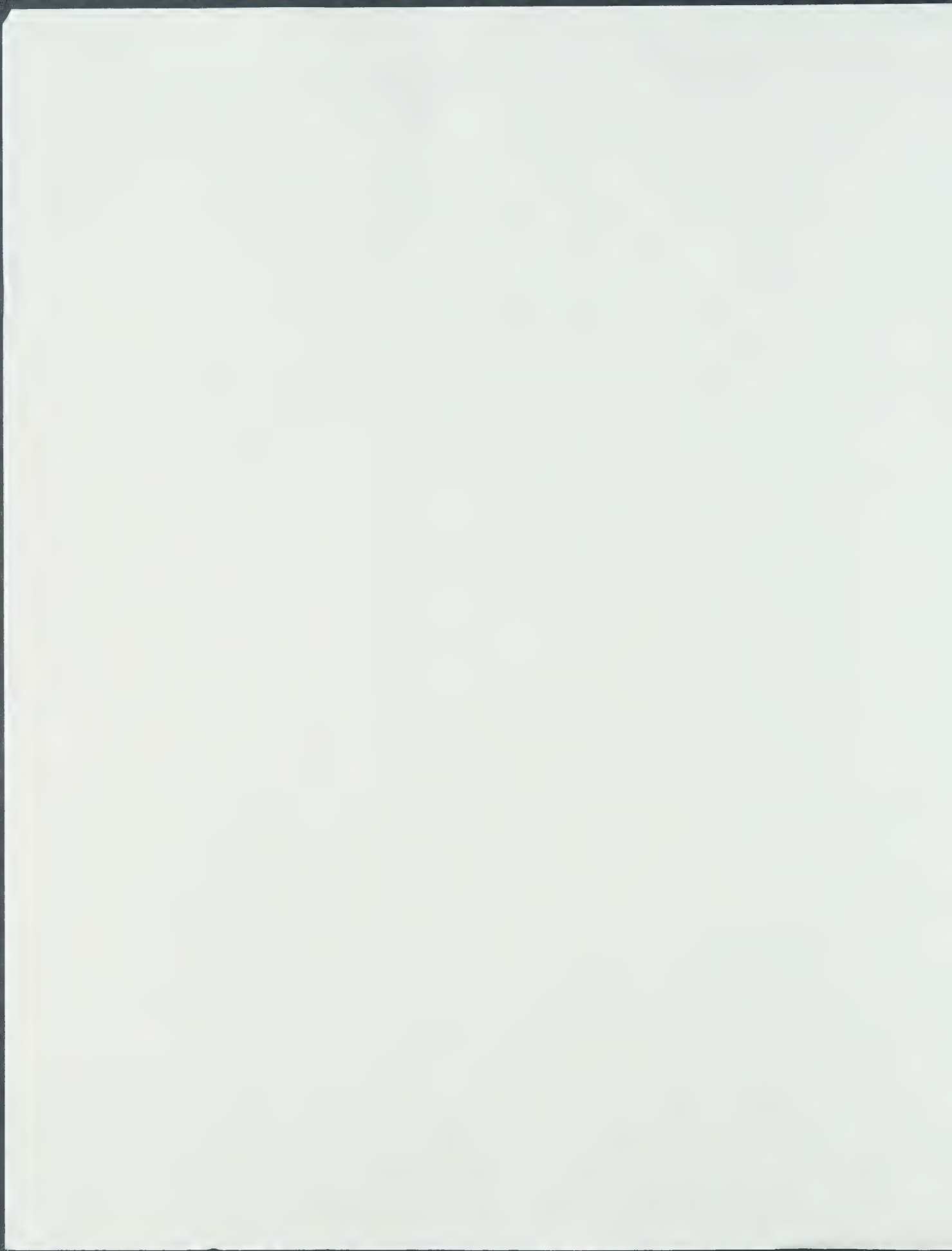


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Subject: Vatican archives and our luncheon today
From: "Philip.Cunningham@bc.edu" <cunninph@mail.bc.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 Aug 2002 17:44:36 -0400
To: baderfa@execpc.com

Dear Dr. and Mrs. Bader,

I am very pleased to have made your acquaintances at lunch today and am grateful for your interest in the work of our Center. Some of the projects we began to imagine were exciting indeed. Your idea for an exhibit focused on the Temple, for instance, would be very worthwhile. As the implementation of our Center proceeds and its various chairs are filled, we'll be able to undertake even more challenging projects.

I would also like to thank Dr. Bader for the gift of his autobiography, which I look forward to reading soon. I would like to reciprocate and send you a short book of mine that was recently published and in which you might be interested, entitled <A Story of Shalom: The Calling of Christians and Jews by a Covenanting God.> I'll send it to your Milwaukee address shortly.

I have pasted below part of the February 2002 Vatican press release about the opening of the Vatican archives. Let me invite you to visit the Center's website at your convenience (see below) since it has a great amount of information about Christian-Jewish relations and details about the activities of our Center. If you'd like I could add your e-mail address to our listserve so that you will be notified when new items are posted on the website.

Thanks again for your interest and insightful questions, and best wishes to you both for safe travels!

Sincerely,
-Phil Cunningham

VATICAN ANNOUNCES SCHEDULE FOR ACCESS TO ITS ARCHIVES

>From the Vatican Information Service - February 2002

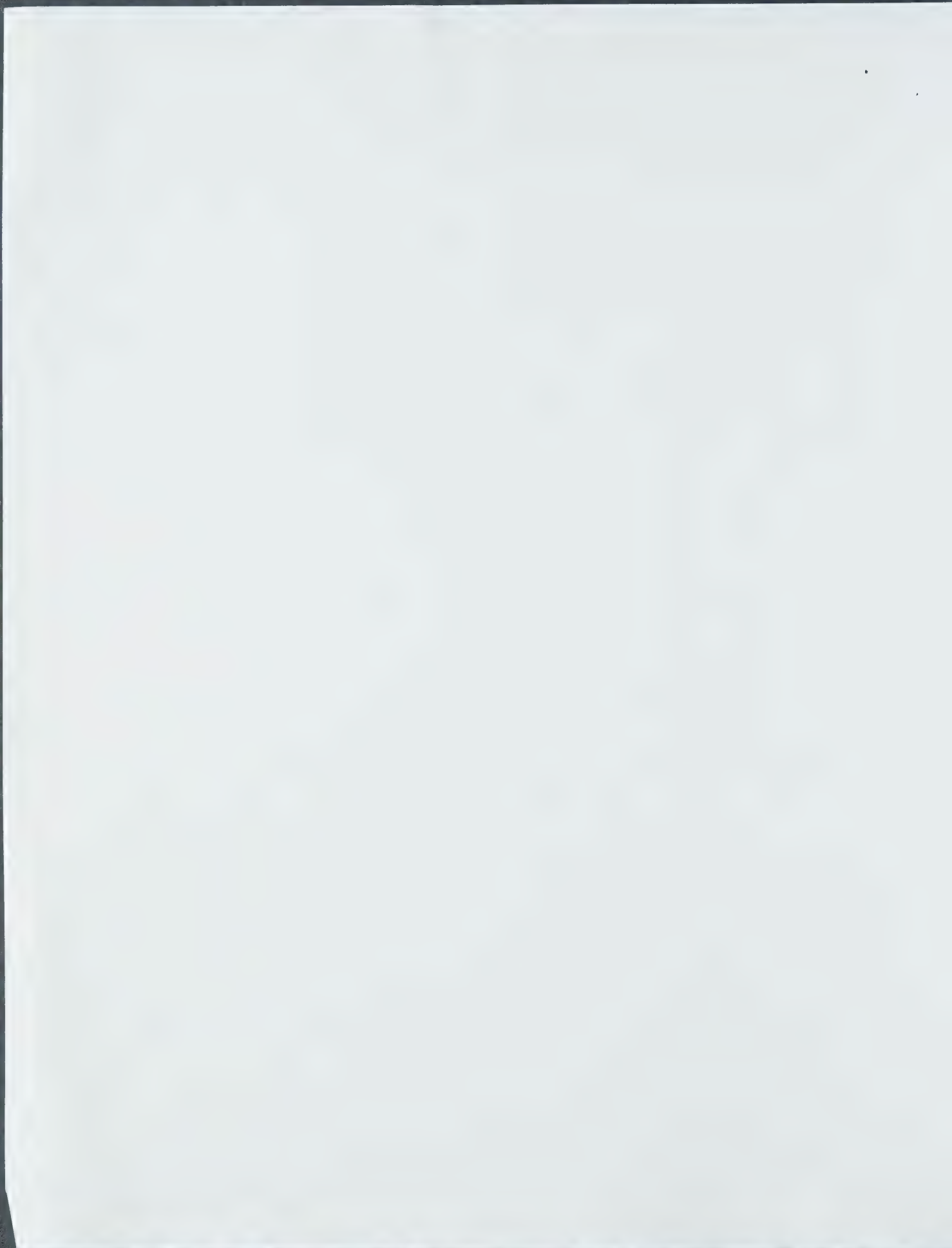
The Pope has decreed that, as from the beginning of 2003, it will be possible to consult documents concerning Germany and relative to the period 1922-1939 contained in the archives of the Section for Relations with States of the Secretariat of State and in the Secret Vatican Archives.

At present, by order of John Paul II in 1984, consultation of documents in the Vatican archives extends up to 1922, the end of the pontificate of Benedict XV.

A note on the subject made public by Fr. Sergio Pagano B., prefect of the Secret Vatican Archives, and Fr. Marcel Chappin S.J., keeper of the Historical Archives of the Secretariat of State, states that this is an "exceptional" move on the part of John Paul II through which he aims "to put an end to unjust and thoughtless speculation."

"The Holy Father's decision," reads the note, "thus aims to meet the many requests for access to Vatican documentation on a pontificate as important as was that of Pius XI (1922-1939) during which, among other things, ... totalitarian States and despotic governments came into being, in prelude to the Second World War."

Once the Vatican Archives for the period of the pontificate of Pius XI are fully opened (in 2005), the Holy Father also wishes to open access "to Vatican- German documentary sources for the pontificate of Pius XII (1939-1958), ... bearing in mind that during Pius XII's pontificate the Second World War took place and with it the deportation of the Jews and the tragedy



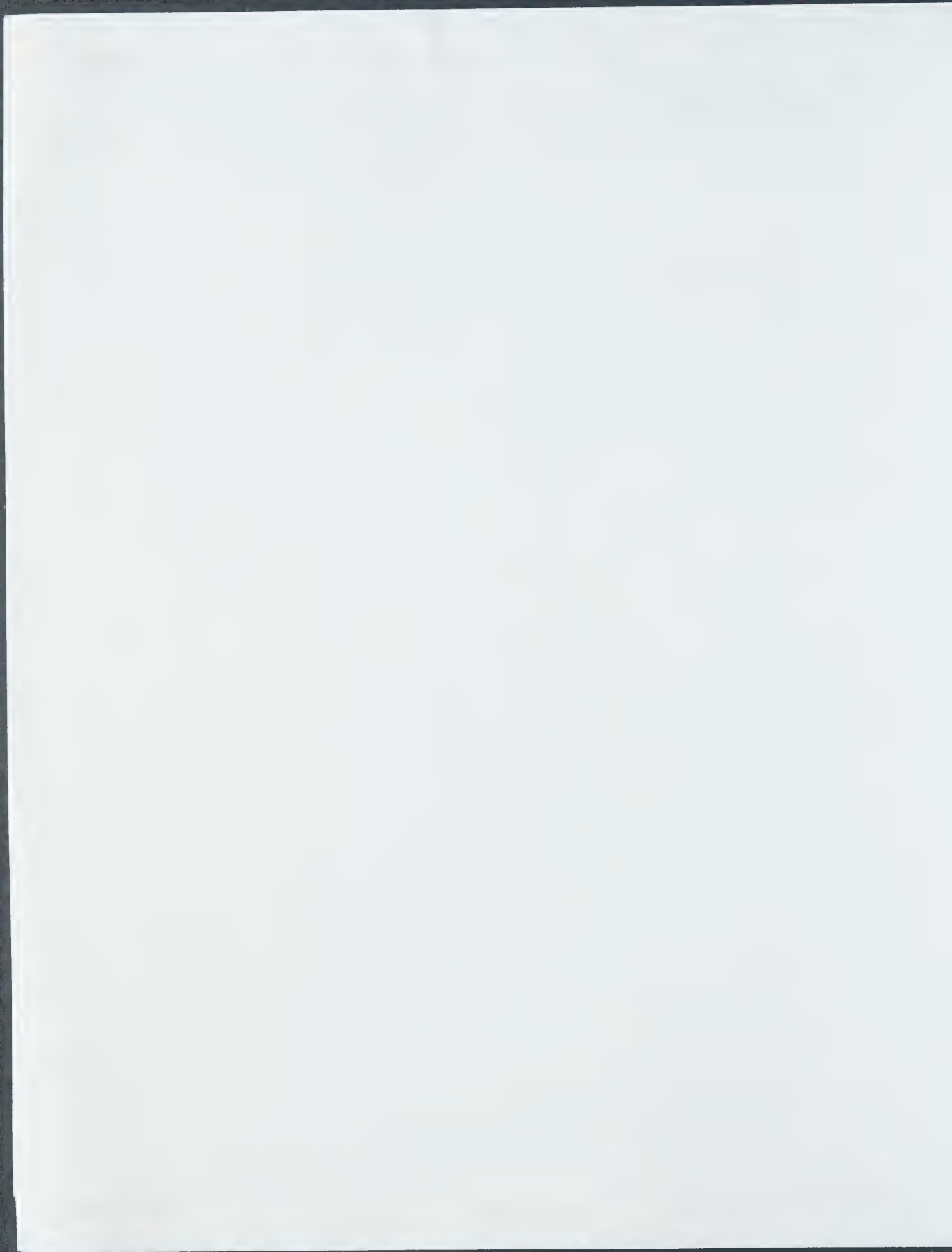
of the Shoah." The note furthermore announces the publication of information concerning prisoners of the last world war (1939-1945). Thus, the note concludes, historians may become aware as soon as possible of "the great works of charity and assistance undertaken by Pius XII for the many prisoners and other victims of war, irrespective of their nationality, religion or race."

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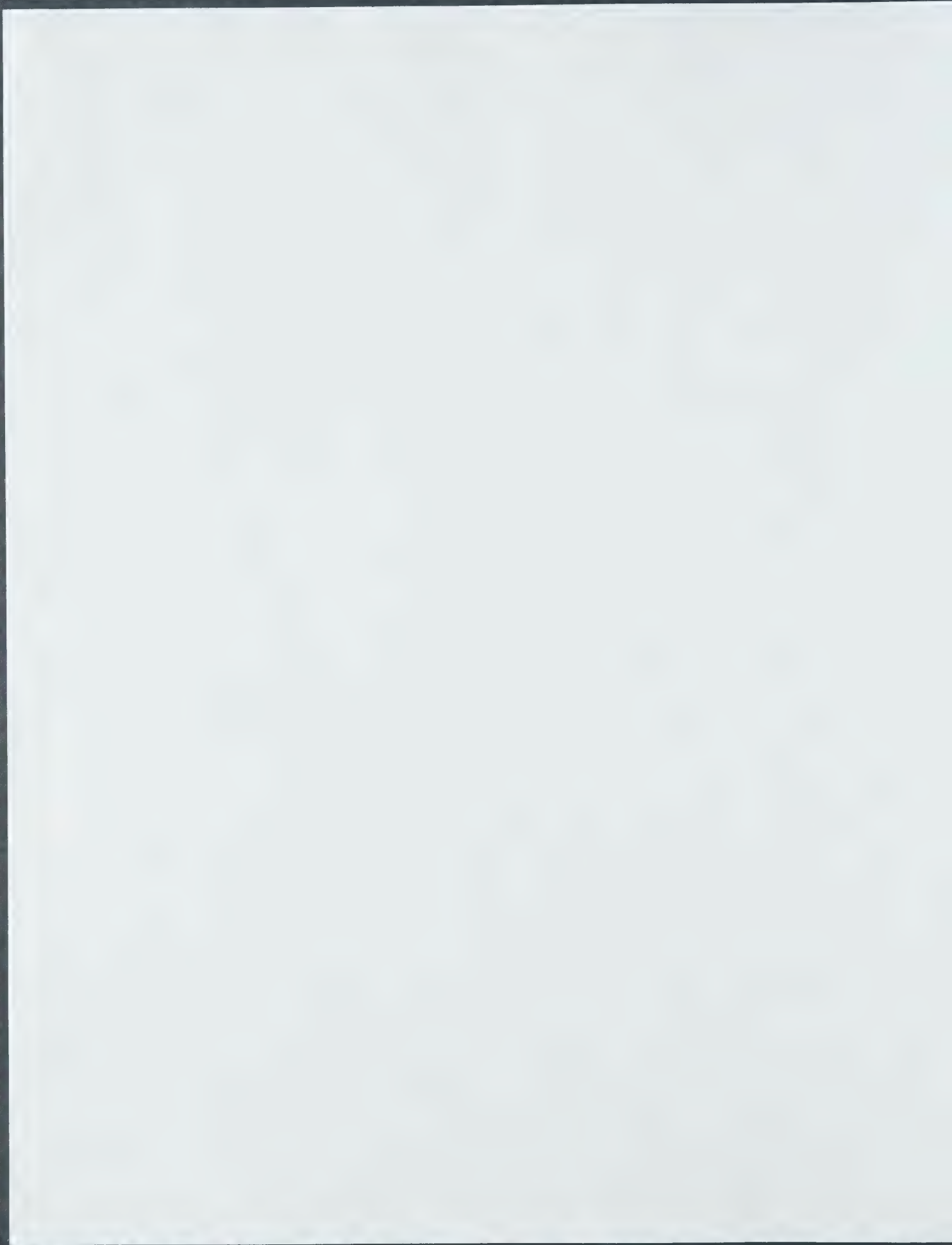
Dear Isabel and Alfred,

I am sorry that you were not able to join us for at least part of the meeting. I am delighted to tell you that the IUPAC International Symposium on Bioorganic Chemistry was a great success. We had nearly 200 participants from universities, industries, and government organizations from around the world (see the list in the enclosed conference booklet). They interacted easily thanks to their common interest in the conference's area of science – we encouraged informal communication in the conference's campus setting, and it worked well. We had an excellent program covering a diverse range of topics at the forefront of the field. The poster presentations were of extremely high quality and led to lively discussions among the participants. The conference will leave a very positive and lasting impression on those who attended.

You will also be pleased to know that all the participants were incredibly impressed by the campus, especially the Isabel Bader Theatre, which we used for the lectures. The poster sessions were held in Alumni Hall and the Foyer in Victoria College and many commented on the wonderful contrast between old and new. As we held the opening mixer in the Great Hall and Quadrangle of Hart House, they were able to see the main campus.

Yours sincerely,

Ron Kluger
Conference Chair



Subject: Re: Sorry we will miss you
From: john michalczyk <michalcj@bc.edu>
Date: Thu, 22 Aug 2002 09:53:59 -0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Alfred and Isabel:

Sorry we were unable to connect. At this moment you should be on the train heading out.

It was good that we did not count on my coming to meet you earlier this morning. I was in the Emergency Room at the local hospital, not being able to breathe with a complication of asthma and a viral infection. With a great dose of codine and finally some rest, I feel in fine shape to attack my work today.

Enjoy the trip!

John

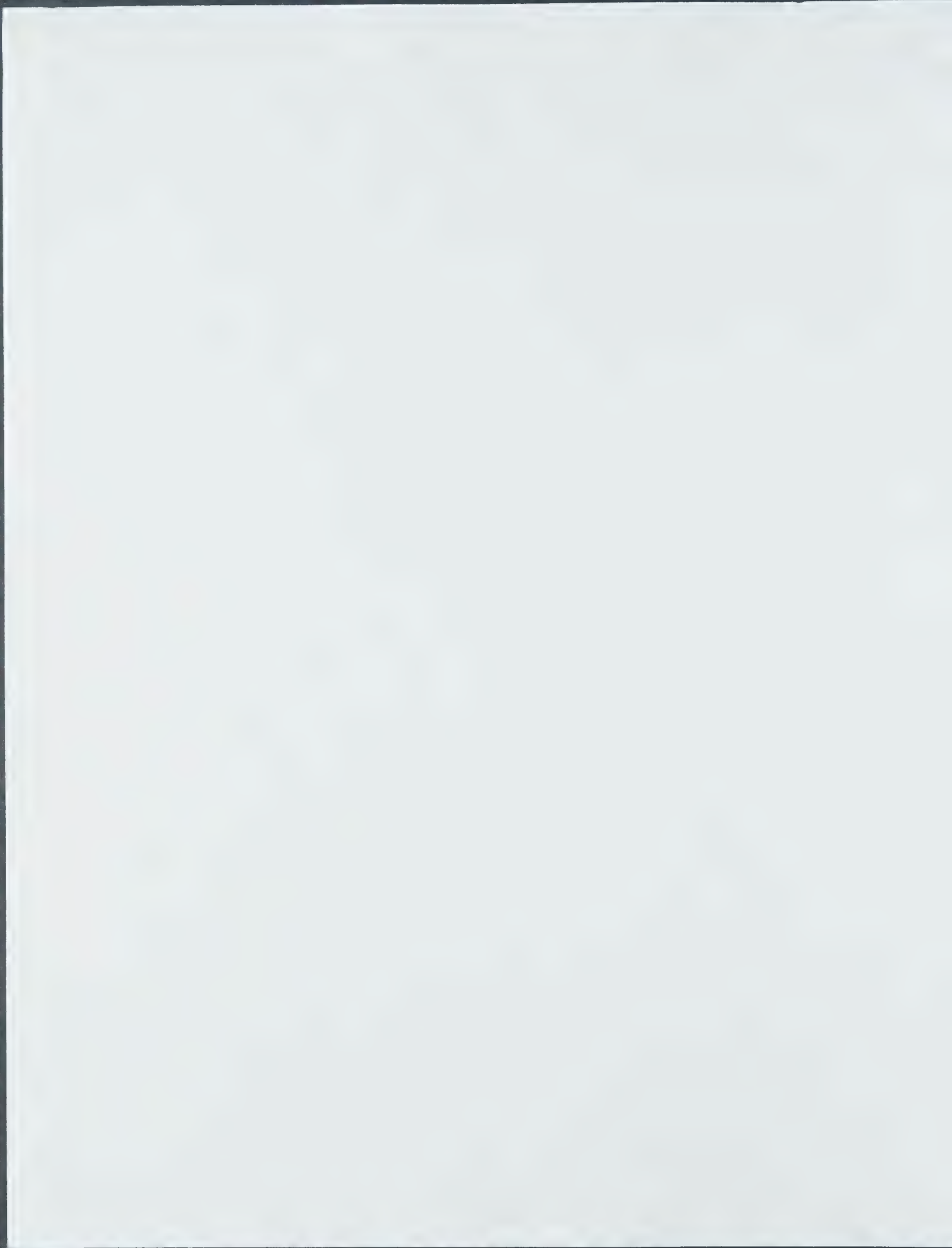
On Wed, 21 Aug 2002 13:17:34 -0500 Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com> wrote:

Dear John,

It's just too much of an imposition to have you come for breakfast Thursday morning but we certainly do appreciate the invitation. We are sorry we will miss you. Perhaps if you have a moment in the morning you could call us at the Boston Sheraton, 236-2000 Room 2452 to say hello.

All the best,
Alfred Bader

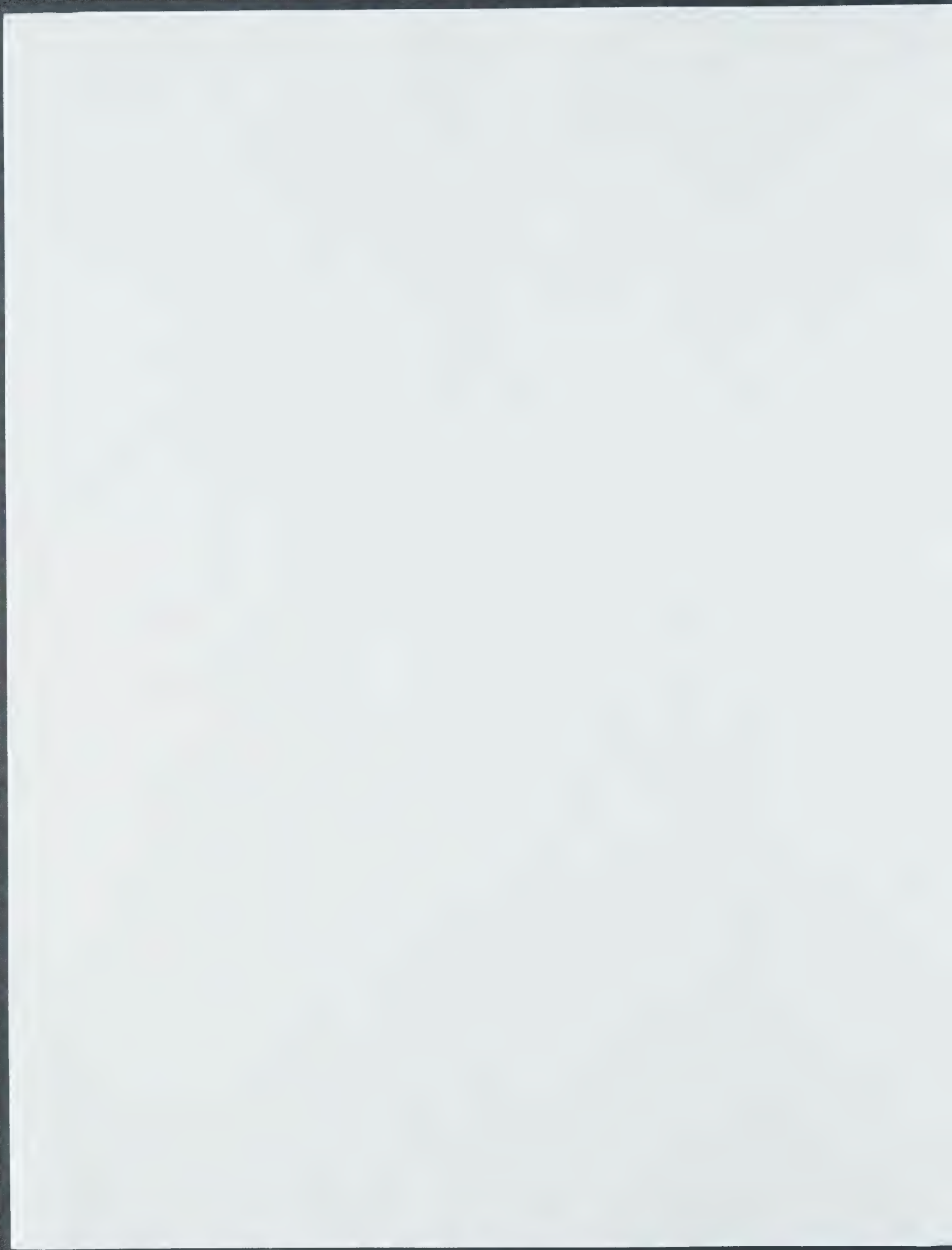
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Boston College



Subject: Meeting in Boston
From: Gerhard Sonnert <sonnert@physics.harvard.edu>
Date: Fri, 23 Aug 2002 18:44:54 -0400
To: baderfa@execpc.com

Dear Dr. Bader,
Just a short note to thank you again for making possible our interview during your stay in Boston. It will be very useful for our project.

With best wishes to you and your wife,
Gerhard Sonnert



Dr. Alfred Bader
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August 27, 2002

Mr. Kim Schuler, VP
Bank One
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Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Mr. Schuler,

I tried to reach you by phone today but couldn't.

Your last statement, copy enclosed, doesn't make sense to me for the following reason: On my small account of \$109,000 you paid interest of 1.7%. On my much larger account of \$1,593,000 you paid only 1.41%. Should these figures not be reversed?

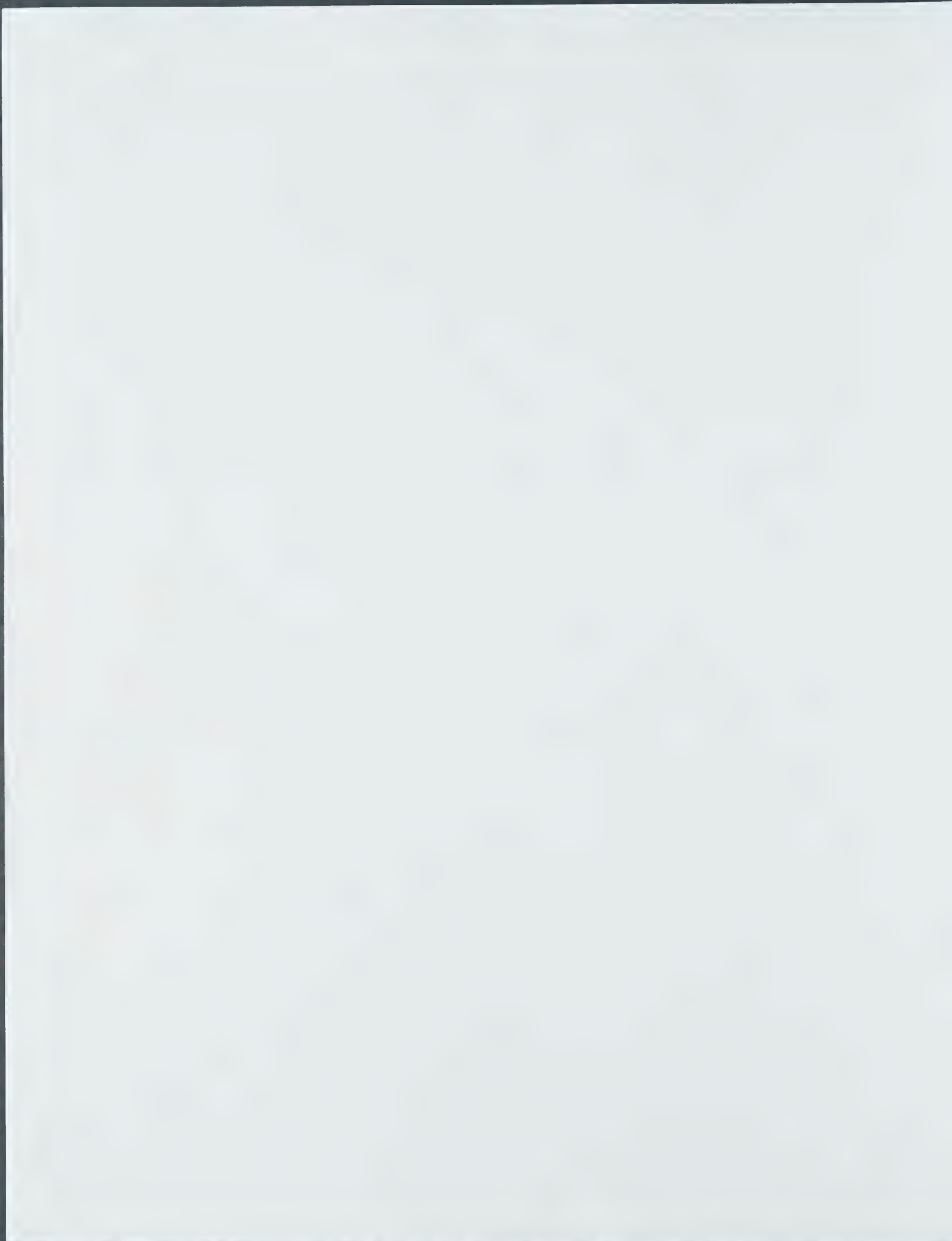
I hope that you can correct this and that correction will allow me to keep that substantial amount at Bank One.

With best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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AUSTRIA

Dear Wolfgang,

Isabel and I still remember with great pleasure your visit with us at Herstmonceux Castle.

I wonder whether you received the Matulay catalogue which I sent you shortly after your visit. In any case, I enclose another copy as well as a color transparency of the Kokoschka.

I have thought about this a good deal and think that I would rather not participate in its purchase. Of course it is a very important painting, but its price which is likely to be well over \$3 million is high and the sale chancy. I hope that you will understand.

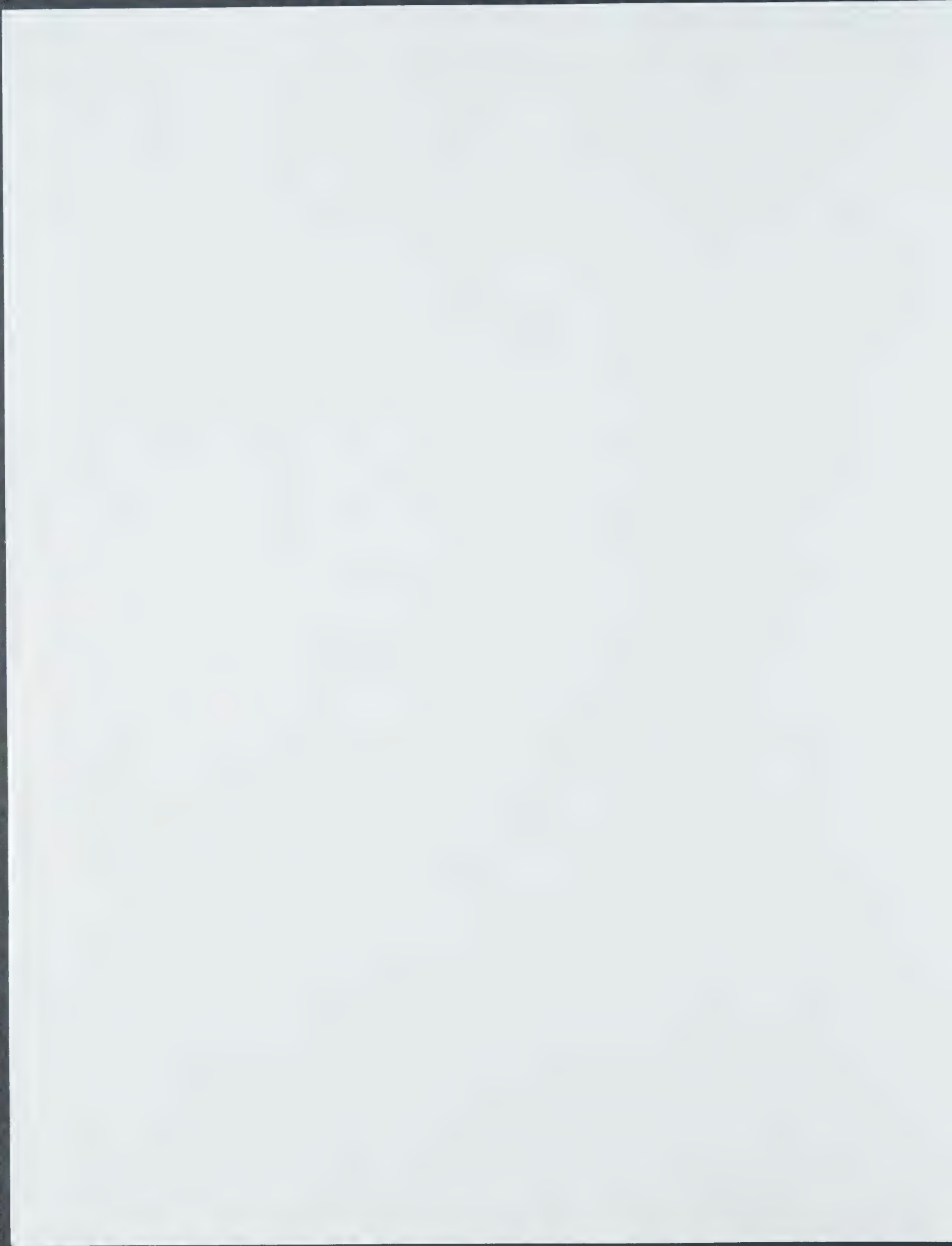
We will be back in **Bexhill in November and December** and if you come to London then we would love to meet you. But if not then, then hopefully in June next year.

With fond regards from house to house I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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Subject: Re: Temple images
From: john michalczyk <michalcj@bc.edu>
Date: Wed, 28 Aug 2002 07:50:35 -0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Alfred: You heard Phil Cunningham talk about our 6-part film series on Jewish-Christian relations. We are beginning the second part which opens with the Second Temple. Ruth Langer mentioned that you have exhibition material on the topic of the Temple. I wasn't sure what she had referred to?

Would these images be available to be seen on the web? It might give us some more inspiration for the beginning of this section of the film.

Best to Isabel!

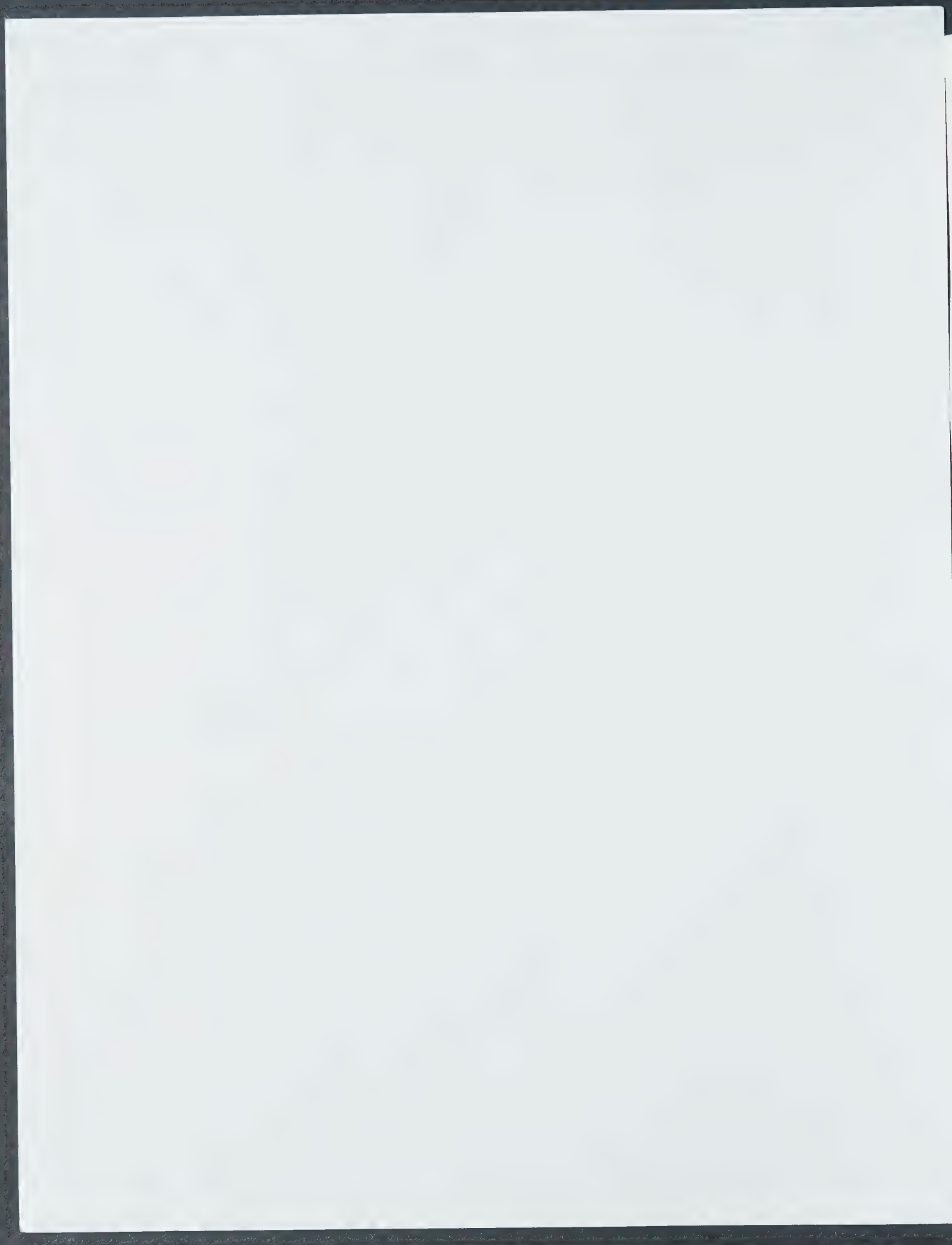
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It's just too much of an imposition to have you come for breakfast Thursday morning but we certainly do appreciate the invitation. We are sorry we will miss you. Perhaps if you have a moment in the morning you could call us at the Boston Sheraton, 236-2000 Room 2452 to say hello.

All the best,
Alfred Bader

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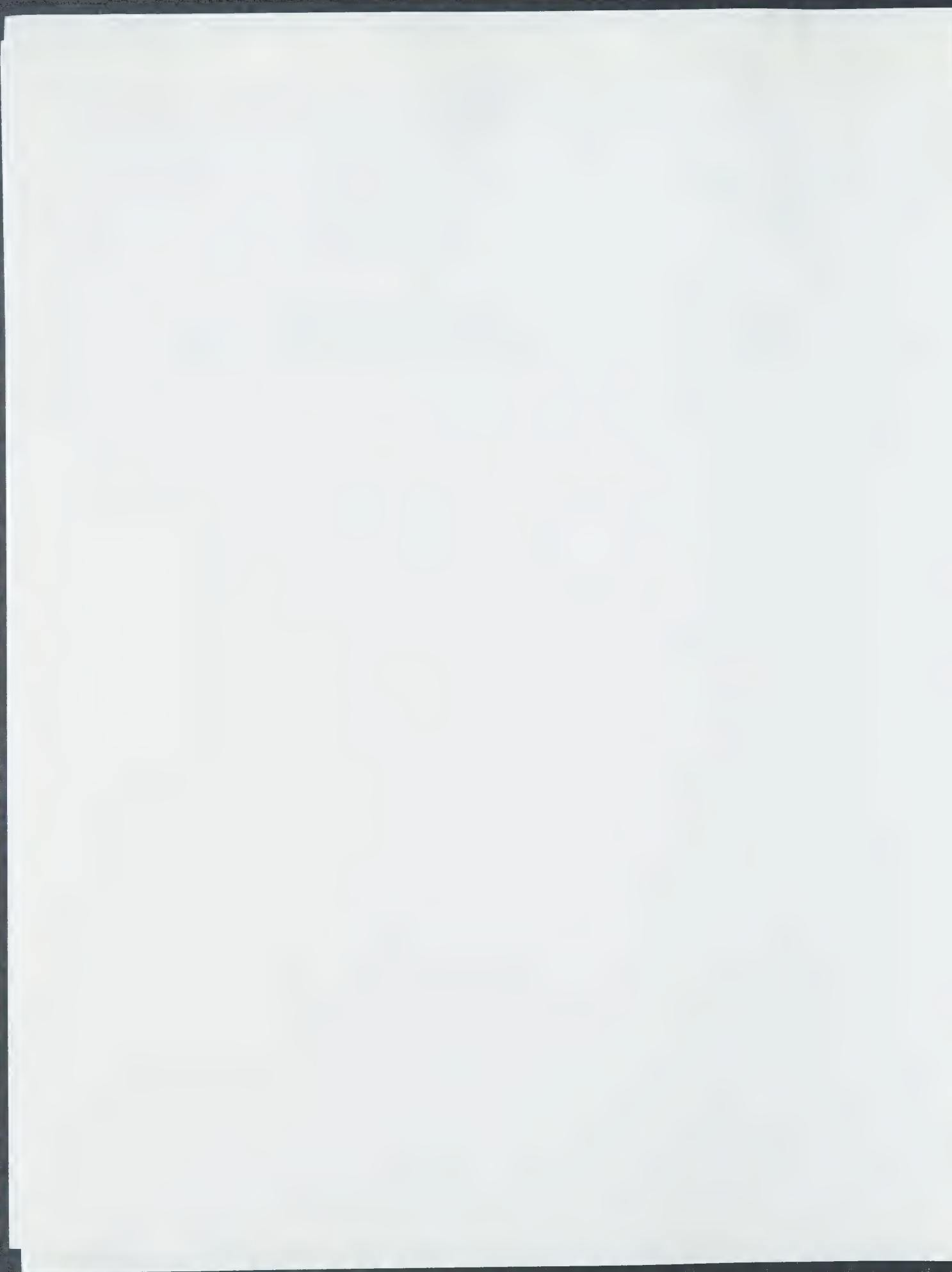
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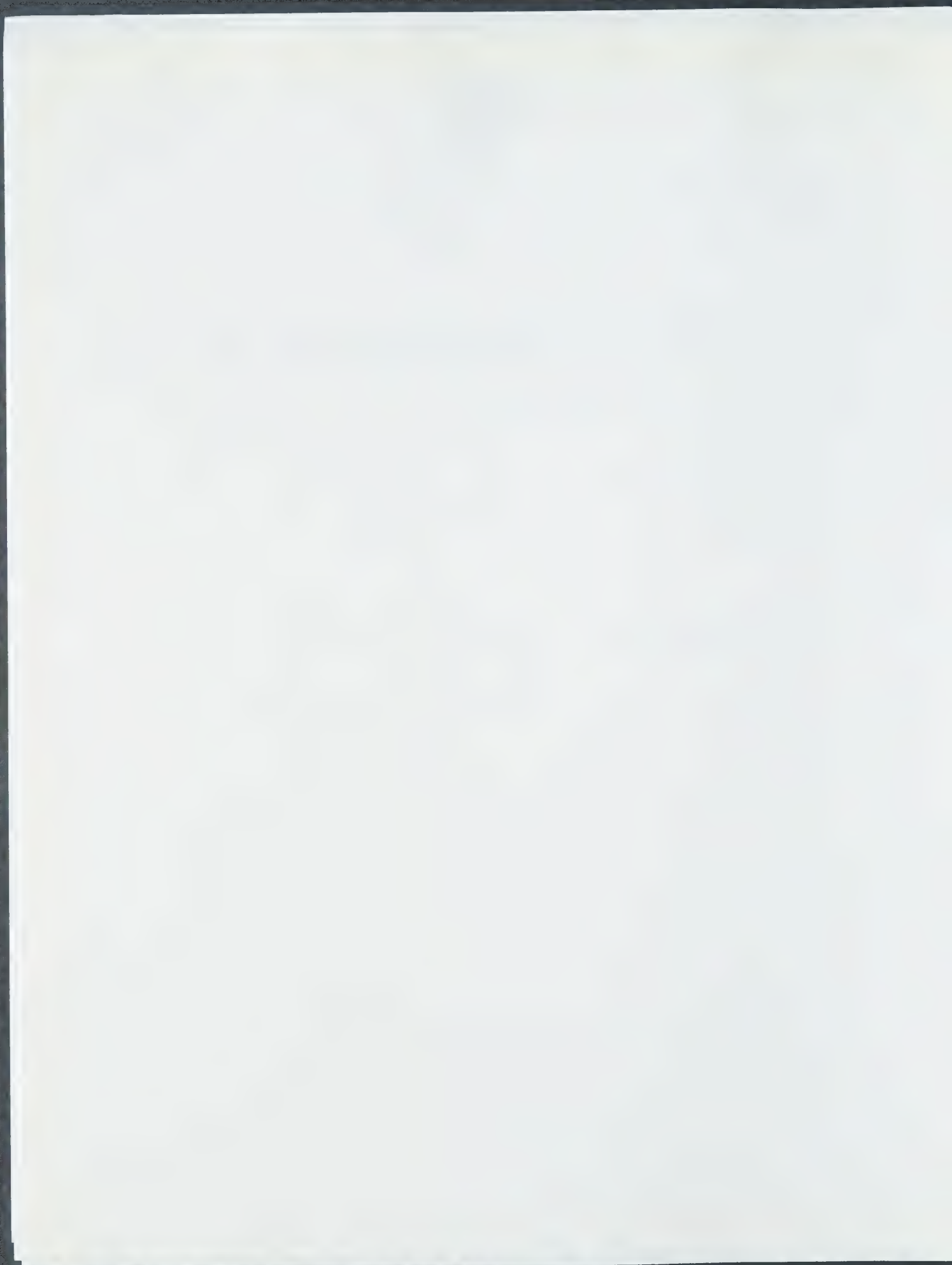
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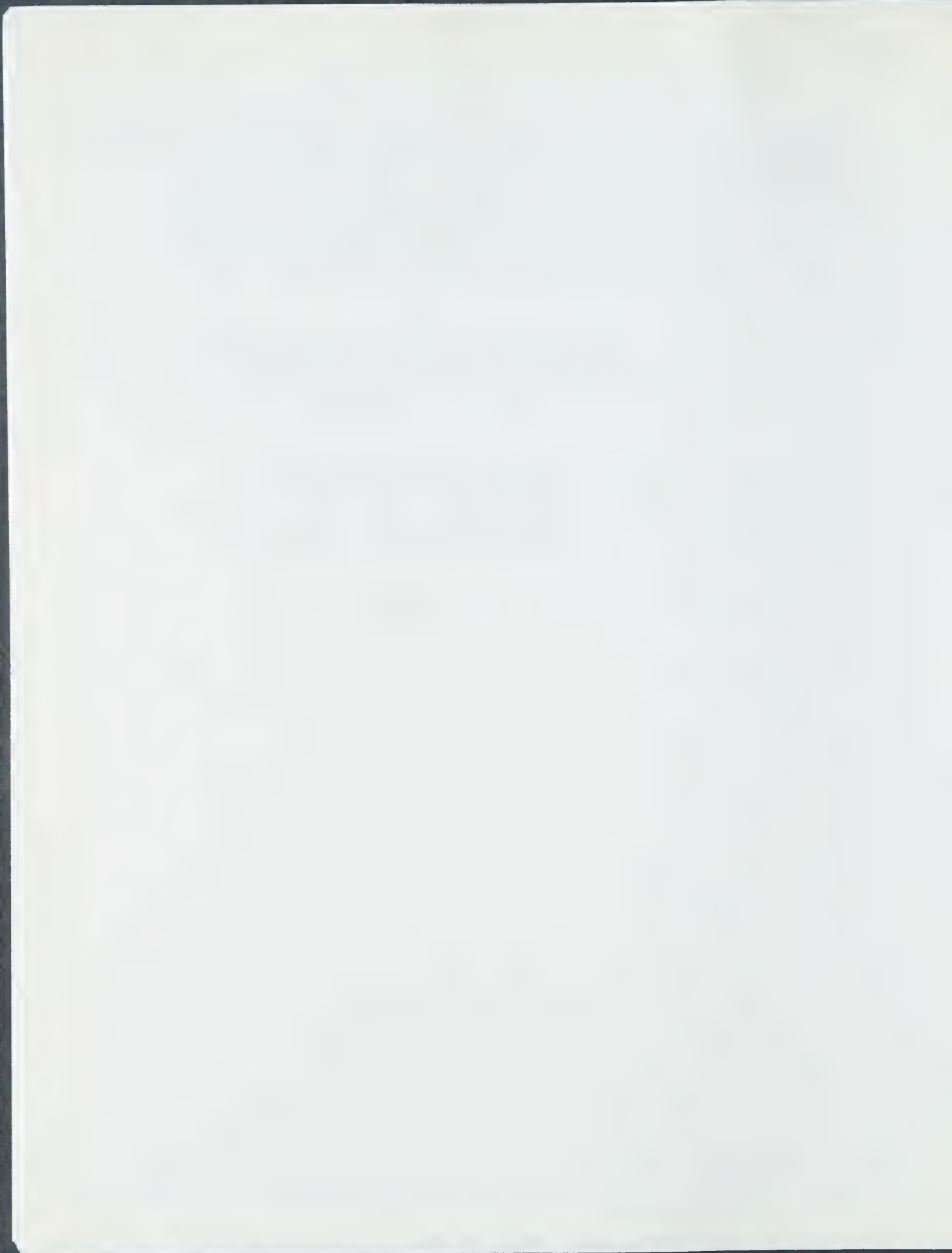
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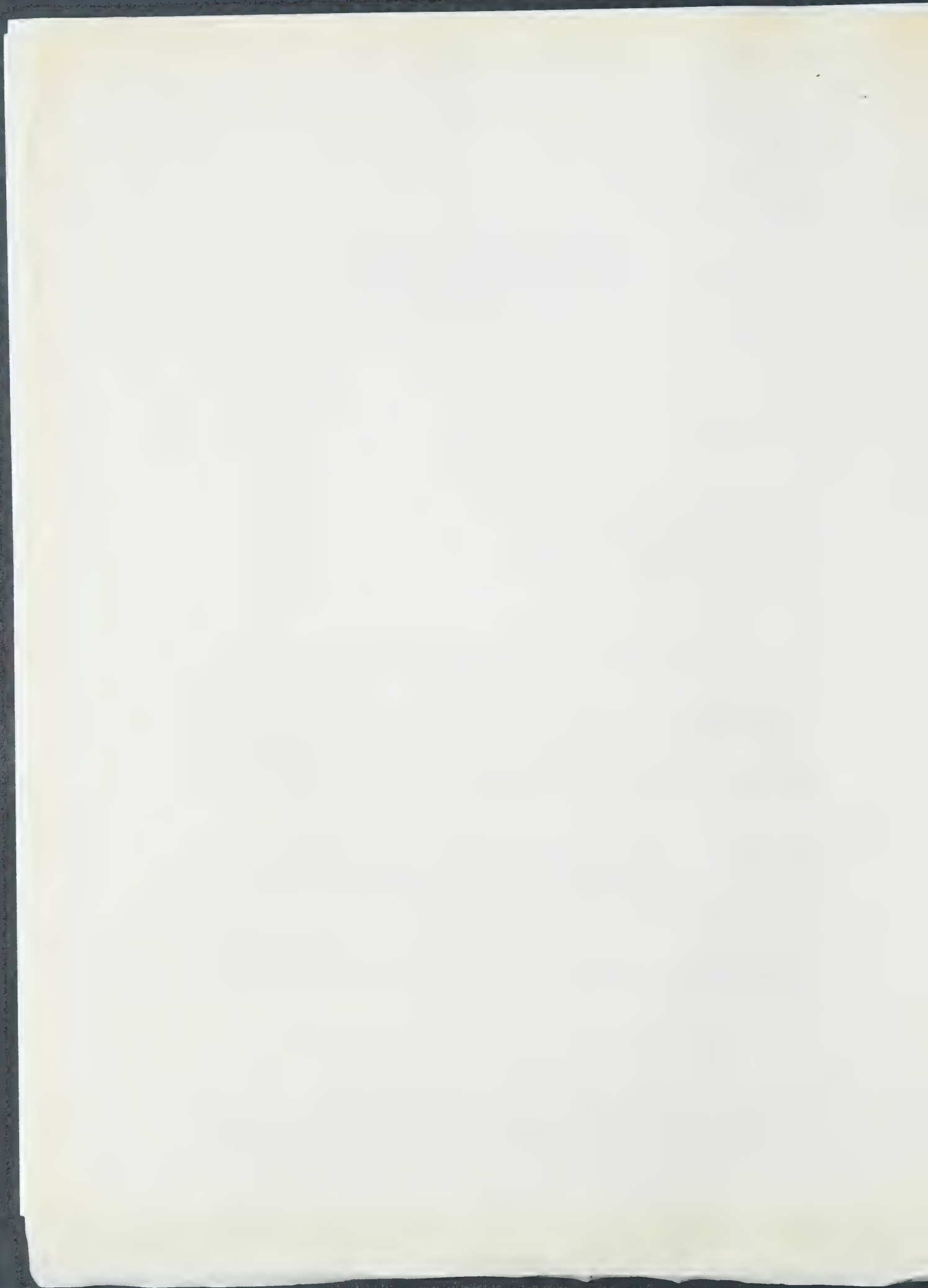
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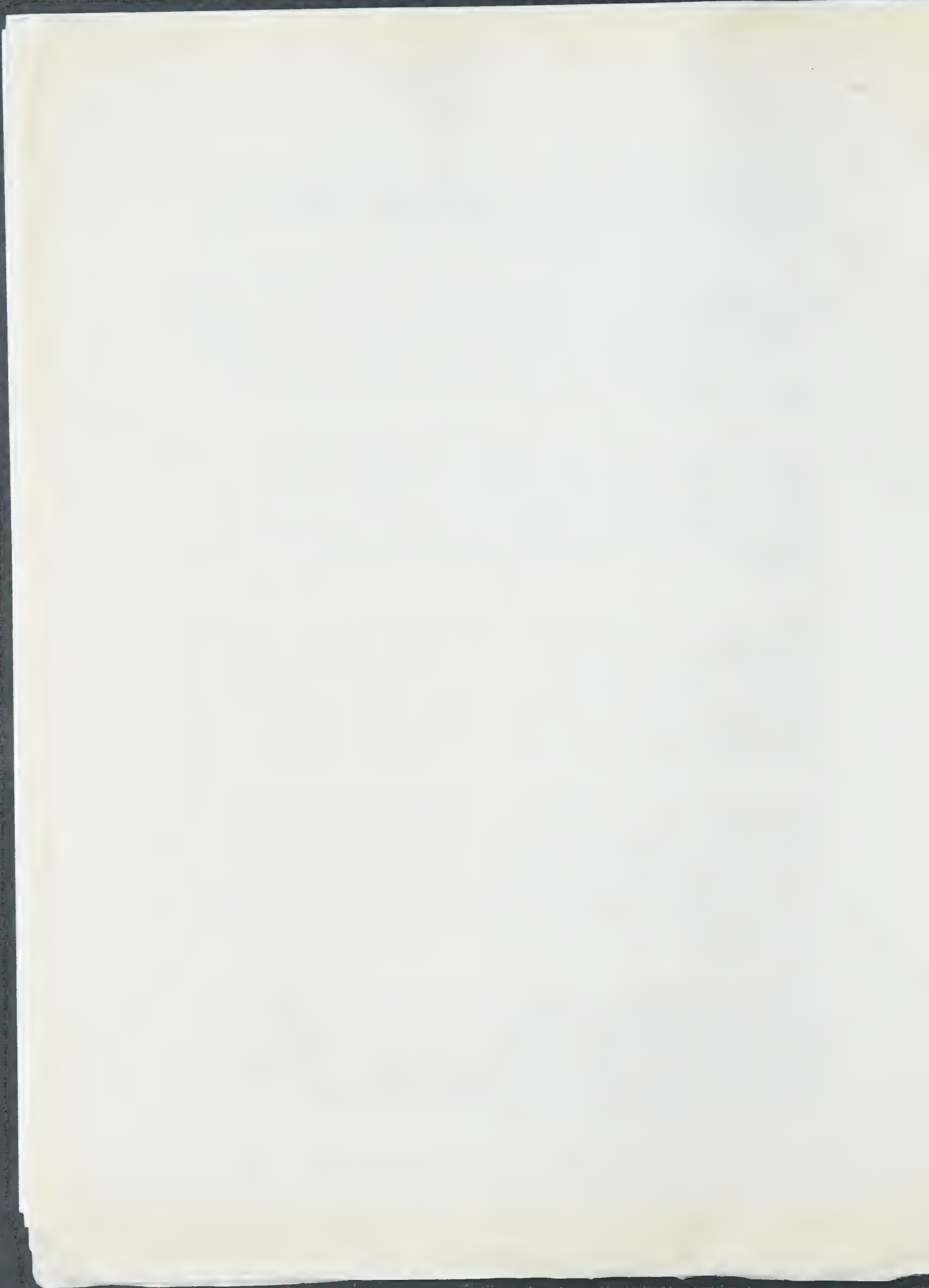
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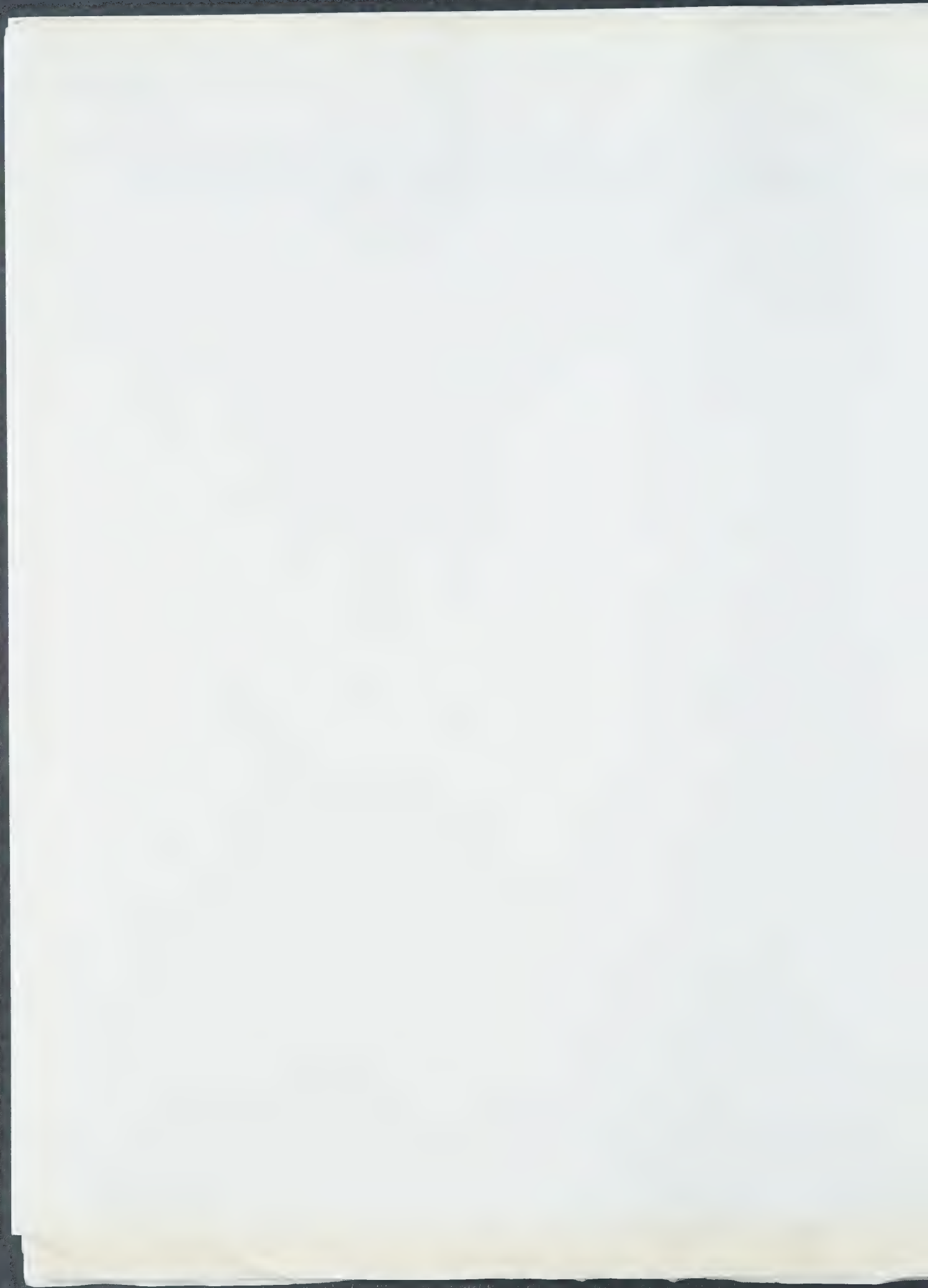
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Subject: Your e-mail of May 30
From: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>
Date: Fri, 16 Aug 2002 15:19:17 -0500
To: Jzang@annadwa.org
CC: Adina Shapiro <meca@netvision.net.il>

Dear Mr. Zang,

I left for Europe last May 19th and so your 11 page e-mail with your circular letter #18, dated May 30th, stayed in my office in Milwaukee until my return recently.

Of course I remember meeting you at Herstmonceux Castle and so I have read your letter several times and thought about it a good deal.

I would like to reply to you on two levels. First by discussing individual parts of your letter #18 and then talking to you about the key problems in the Middle East.

To turn to the second paragraph on p.4 of your letter: I don't follow your logic that Israeli students are in position 1 in the world when it comes to the readiness to use force. 24% of the Israeli students between 12 and 13 stated that they were attacked or threatened; the worldwide average is 6%. Does one lead to the other? When I was a boy in Vienna in 1938, 100% of the Jewish students would have told you that they have been attacked, by Nazis, verbally or physically. Does that mean that we became addicted to force? Believe me, I have never attacked anyone, nor have most of my friends.

In the third paragraph on p. 4 you state that Israeli soldiers occupied a Palestinian radio station and then sent out pornographic films. Did you see these films yourself, or do you have this only from a second or third-hand source? Frankly I find it very hard to believe. And in connection with seeing videos, have you seen the film showing Palestinians in Ramallah killing some Israelis who lost their way and then throwing them out of the building? That is a certainly an authentic video and truly sickening.

To turn now to the last paragraph on p. 4, the very sad story written by Gideon Levy and published in Ha'aretz about the killing of Mohammed Abu Samra Zakarna.

To me it seems quite clear how this tragic story came about, but I give it an interpretation totally different from yours.

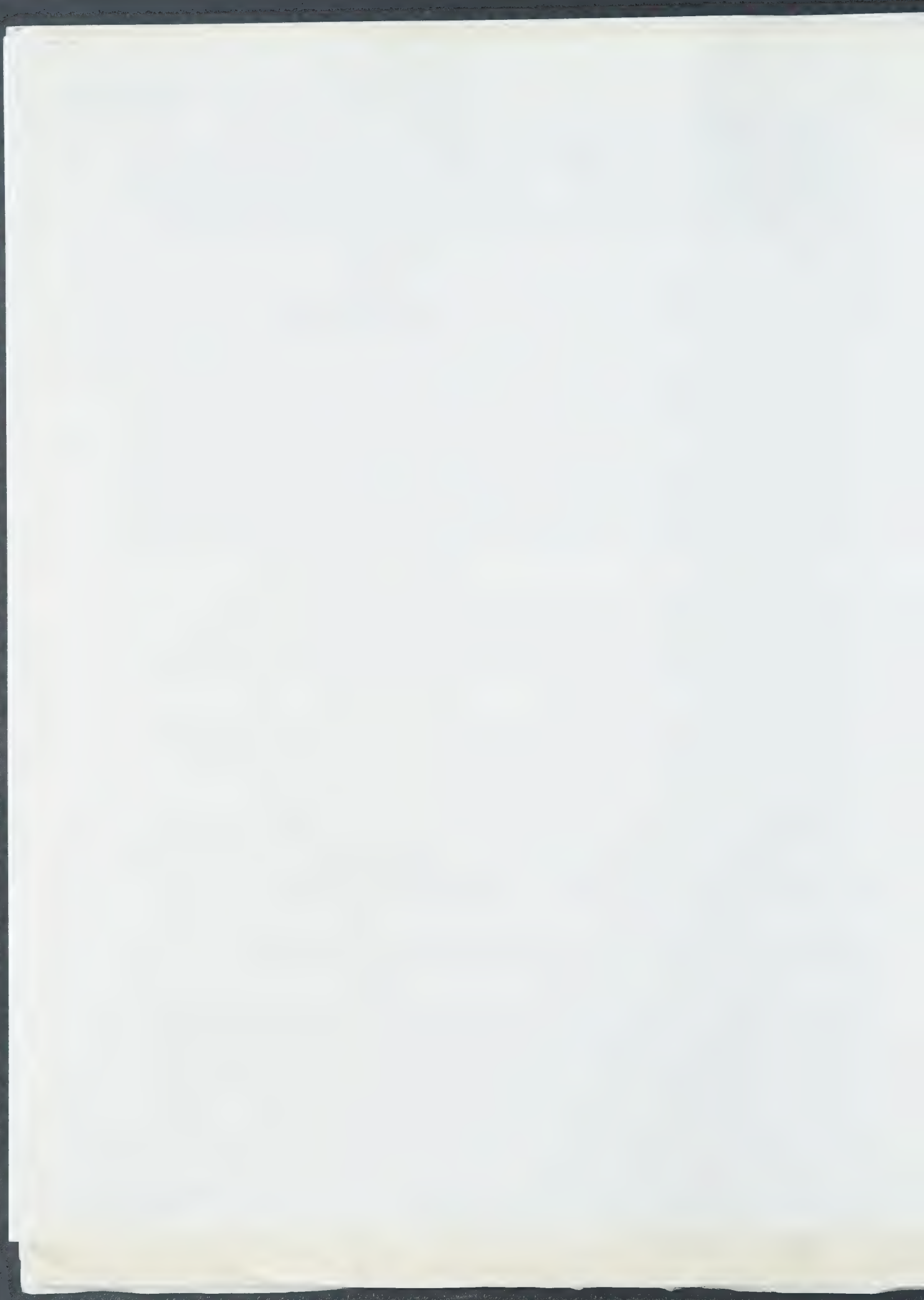
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There is no doubt that many Israelis sympathize with the suffering of innocent Palestinians, and several hundred soldiers have refused to serve on the West Bank, because they know that some innocent people will be bound to suffer.

I wish that I could persuade you to spend a little while living in Haifa where you could communicate with many people in German, and where you would learn the other side of the story. You might inquire, for instance, how Arabs before 1967 treated Jews in the old city of Jerusalem and what they did to Jewish synagogues there.

Now I would like to turn to the basic questions: How did all this horrible turmoil come about?

The basic reasons are the following:



There are a good many Arabs who are unwilling to allow Israel to exist. This was clear in 1948, when Israel was willing to accept the UN partition plan, but the Arabs were not and six Arab countries immediately attacked. War after war followed and Israel had to arm itself to be militarily superior, as it is now.

After 1948 Israel accepted over a million Jews from Arab countries and has tried, more or less successfully, to integrate them into Israeli society.

The immensely wealthy Arab states did little to help the similar number of Arab refugees from Israel because the Arab states wanted the refugees to be a festering sore to be used against Israel. Only recently the Saudis may have concluded that perhaps this was not the best policy.

In recent years millions of dollars have poured into the PLO, and you probably know that Arafat has kept a fair amount of that for himself. And you must know how thoroughly dishonest the PLO government is.

And you, an intelligent and well-educated German, must have asked yourself why Arafat did not accept the solution offered by Barak. I was surprised that Barak offered so much, including part of Jerusalem, yet Arafat simply turned this down. The Palestinian answer to the offer was violence, including suicide bombers. Who is to blame? The PLO leadership, the Arab states, and, most importantly education, Palestinian children being educated to hate Jews and to glorify suicide bombers. Israel also has its fanatics, Goldstein in Hebron and the murderer of Rabin, but they are seen for what they are - deranged fanatics.

Of course I have asked myself whether Israelis have made mistakes and I think the answer is yes, though it is difficult for someone like myself, a committed Jew who does not live in Israel, to answer that completely.

Perhaps the most serious mistakes Israelis made were:

1. Not treating Israeli Arabs totally fairly. If Israeli Arabs had been so treated, they would now be a better model for other Arabs in the Middle East. But, even as it is, I believe that Israeli Arabs are better off than Arabs in other countries.
2. I think that the settlements have been a serious mistake.
3. I am sure that some Israelis are arrogant, but so are some people in all countries. Ask yourself whether you do not sometimes tend to be arrogant, and I must ask myself the same question.

On p. 1, you refer to the Israeli soldiers as Buerschchen. If someone referred to you as a Buerschchen, would you not be hurt?

What is the answer to all this and how can well meaning people become involved? How can people like you and me help?

I think the answer must come about through more people talking to each other and I would like to urge you, first of all, to meet with Adina Shapiro, the Israeli head of MECA, and really spend a long time talking to her and getting to know her as a human being. Her e-mail is meca@netvision.net.il.

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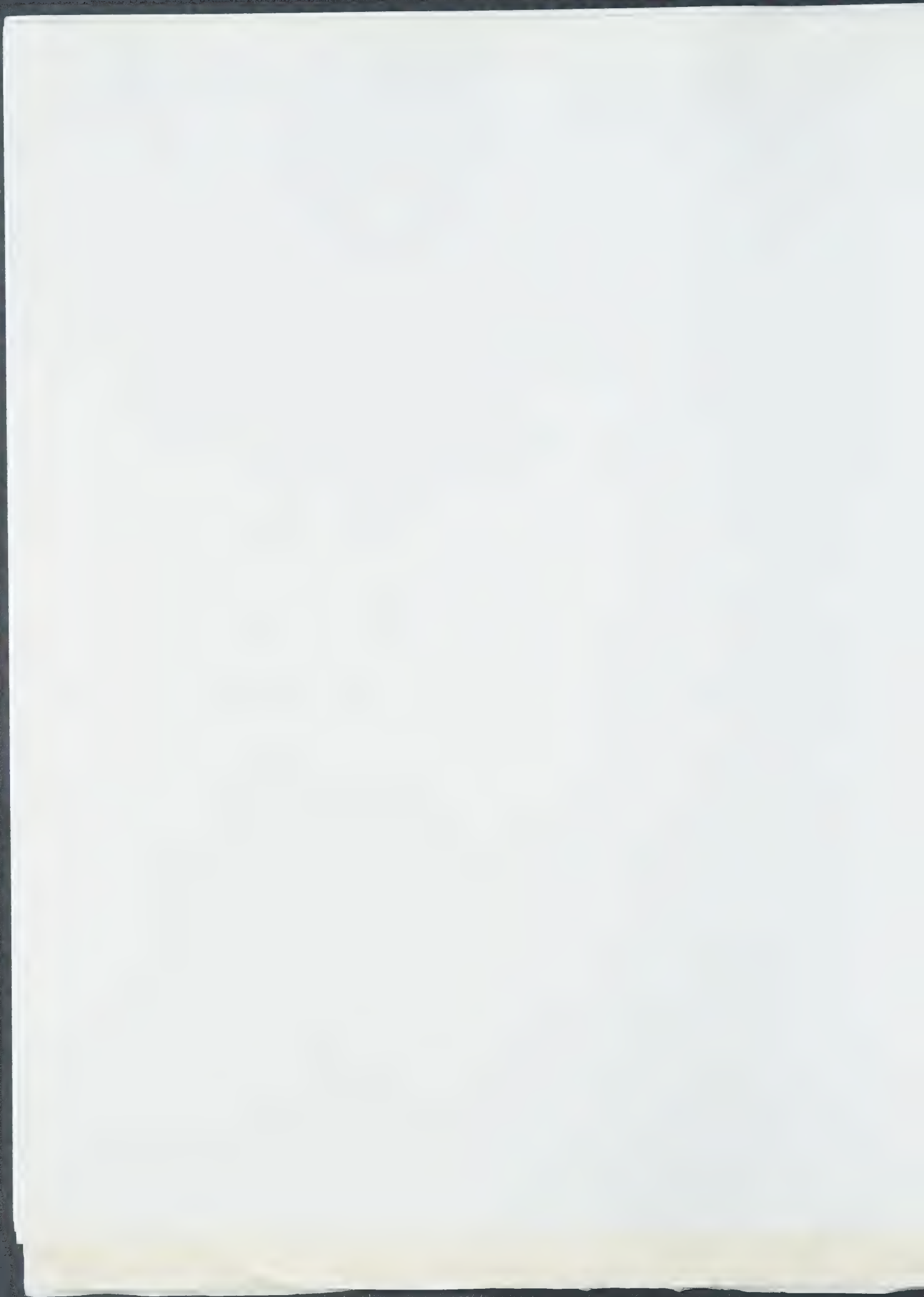
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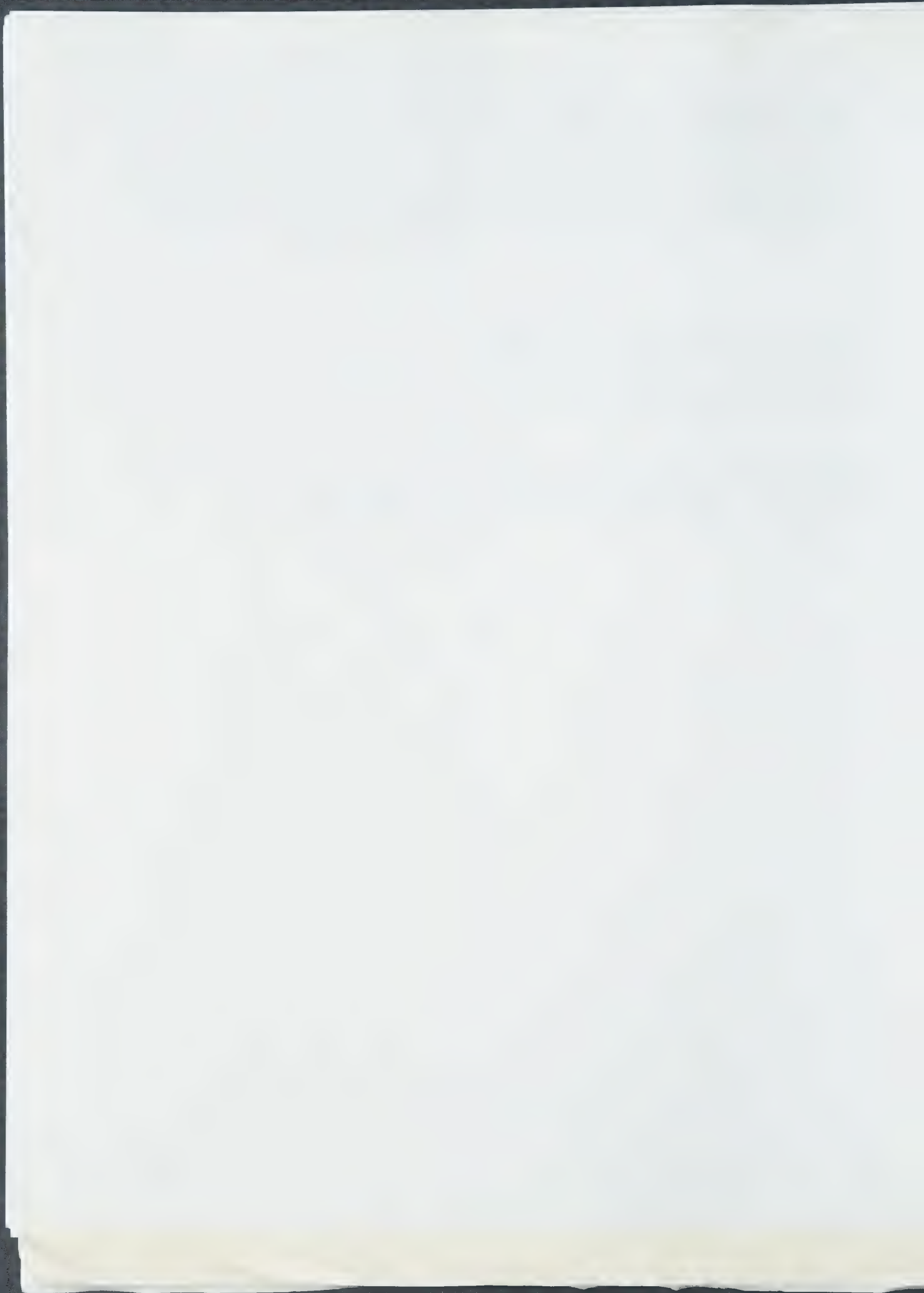
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Lieber Herr Bader,

Wir haben uns letztes Jahr auf "Ihrem" Schloss in England getroffen. Ich bin der deutsche Musiklehrer, der mit den israelischen und palaestinensischen Lehrern zu einem Seminar bei Ihnen war.

Ich bin wieder in Bethlehem, aber die Lage ist so trostlos. Lesen Sie selbst meinen Brief.

Mit besten Gruessen
Johannes Zang



18. Rundbrief – Fronleichnam 2002

Liebe Freunde, schon wieder der Zang. Was will denn der schon wieder? Ich verspreche Euch gleich an dieser Stelle, dass der naechste, also der 19. Brief, der rechtzeitig zum Ferienbeginn in Bayern erscheinen wird, eine richtige Urlaubslektuere sein wird: Voellig ohne Politik. Er wird nur Gutes, Amuesantes, Witziges und Kulinarisches enthalten! Das habt Ihr Euch verdient! Vielen Dank fuer Eure Geduld und Euer offenes Ohr, Euer Interesse an meiner Arbeit und dem Schicksal des Nahen Ostens und nicht zuletzt fuer Euer Gebet. Ohne das ginge es nicht.

Heute ist der vierte Tag der **Ausgangssperre**. Gestern wurde sie von 11 bis 15 Uhr aufgehoben. Sofort kehrte das Leben in die abgewuergte, totgemachte Stadt zurueck. Weiss man in Deutschland ueberhaupt davon?

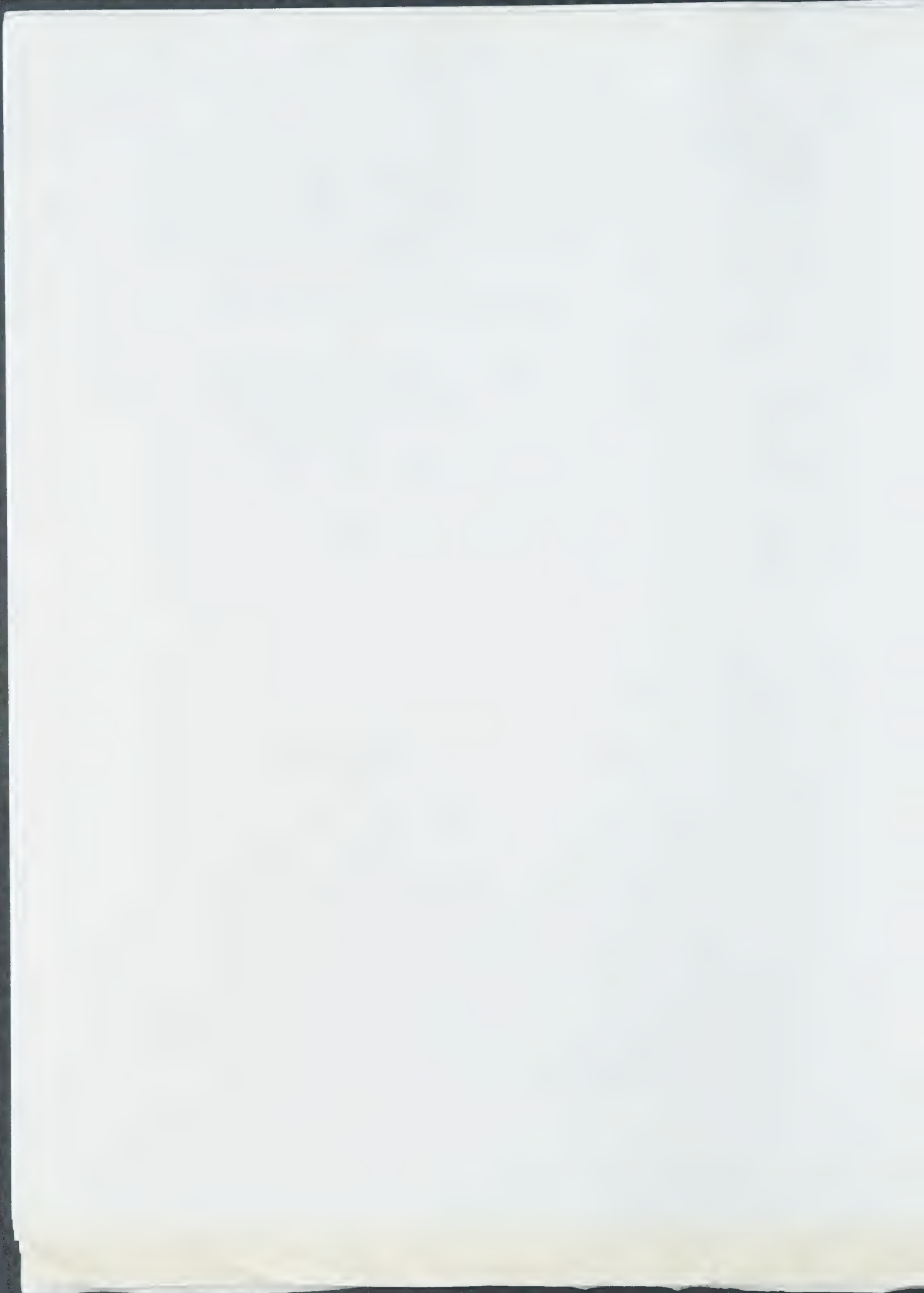
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Ich habe seit fast fuenf Tagen kein Wasser, und muss mir jeden Tag ein paar Liter aus meinem Buero holen. Wegen der Ausgangssperre kann auch kein Handwerker kommen, um das Problem mit dem Tank zu beheben. Erstaunt fand ich heraus, dass man mit 10 Litern am Tag wunderbar auskommen kann! Da faellt natuerlich die Dusche weg! Es geht jetzt nicht anders.

Die amerikanische Gruppe gibt mir viel Mut. Jeden Morgen haben wir ein Gebet in der Kirche, in die sonst von draussen Strassenlaerm, Rufe der Marktschreier und Autohupen dringt. Zur Zeit jedoch: Totenstille. Die Gebete sind jedes Mal ergreifend und der mehrstimmige Gesang ist einfach wunderbar. Ein grosses Geschenk!

Wie lange noch wird die Entrechtung und Demuetigung, das Ersticken und Ausbluten des palaestinensischen Volkes dauern? Ich halte es kaum mehr aus. Israel – kehre um! Du bringst Millionen Menschen auf beiden Seiten um Leben, Freiheit, Sicherheit und Frieden! Es liegt an Dir, die Besatzung aufzugeben. Wer, wenn nicht Du, der Staerkere, der Besatzer kann die Besatzung beenden? Du erklarst der Welt, Du seist das Opfer, dabei bist Du laengst zum **Taeter** geworden! Der Schluessel zum Frieden liegt in Deinen Haenden!

Und in Deutschland wollen sie Moellemann fertigmachen. Vielleicht sind seine Formulierungen manchmal zweideutig, aber in der Sache hat er Recht. Er sagt nur die **Wahrheit!** Waehrend Merkel und Stoiber nachbeten, was G.W. Bush und Sharon hoeren wollen: Arafat ist ein Terrorist! (Dass er kein Engel ist, wissen wir alle!) Kein Wunder, dass in einer FORSA-Umfrage nur 15 % der Bundesbuenger die deutschen Politiker als glaubwuerdig einschaezten! Reinhold Messner spricht mir aus der Seele: „**Was die Politiker angeht, ist die Scheinheiligkeit groesser als der Mount Everest.**“



1. Operation „Schutzwall“ in Zahlen und Fakten

Der „Operation Schutzwall“ genannte Krieg gegen den Terrorismus hat den israelischen Staat **500 Millionen US Dollar** gekostet! Die Schaeden im Westjordanland belaufen sich nach Schaetzungen der Weltbank, verschiedener UN-Organisationen, der EU, US AID und Inspektoren aus verschiedenen Laendern, in Kooperation mit der „Palaestinensischen Autonomiebehoerde“ auf **361 Millionen US Dollar**, wie der „Herald Tribune“ vom 16. Mai berichtet. Betriebe, Geschaeft und Laeden rangieren dabei an erster Stelle mit Verlusten in Hoehe von \$ 97 Millionen, gefolgt von Schaeden an Strassen mit \$ 64 Millionen, Haeusern mit \$ 66 Millionen, Orten und Gebaeduen des kulturellen Erbes mit 48 US Millionen. (Darunter das beruehmte „Sakakini“-Literaturzentrum in Ramallah!)

Unter dem Titel „Hammerschlag Sharons gegen Palästina“ schrieb die der Wahrheit verpflichtete „Neue Zuercher Zeitung“:

Zerstörte Verwaltungsstruktur - lahmgelegte Notfalldienste

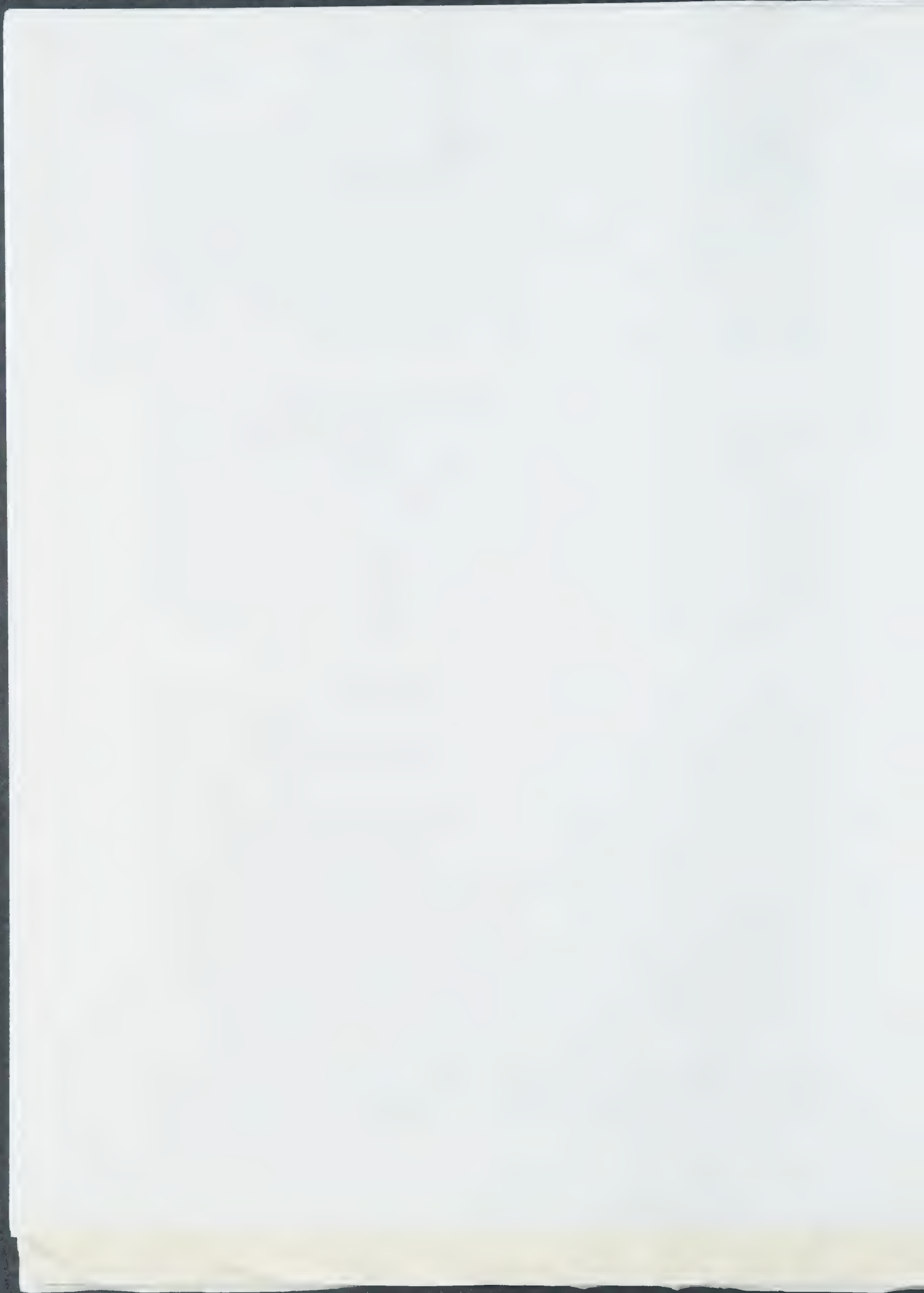
Die israelische Militärkampagne im Westjordanland, welche Ministerpräsident Sharon als Krieg gegen den Terrorismus rechtfertigte, hat massive Schäden an der zivilen Infrastruktur der Palästinensergebiete verursacht. Medizinische Notfalldienste klagen über ihre weitgehende Lahmlegung, was unnötigerweise viele Leben kostete. Bei einem Rundgang in Ramallah nach dem israelischen April-Feldzug gewinnt man in den Ministerien der Autonomiebehörden den Eindruck einer mutwilligen oder sogar systematischen Zerstörung ziviler Verwaltungszweige des palästinensischen Gemeinwesens. Wenn die Suche nach Terroristen und nach Informationen über ihre Organisationsstrukturen das Hauptziel der Armee war, so hat sie dabei sehr weitschweifig die öffentlichen Dienste für Gesundheit, Erziehung, Kultur, Infrastrukturarbeiten, Fahrzeugregistrierung, weiter das Grundbuchamt und humanitäre Hilfsorganisationen geschädigt und lahmgelegt.

Erniedrigung oder Terrorbekämpfung?

All dies, zusammen mit der Zerstörung Dutzender von Privathäusern und historischer Monumente, mit der gewaltsamen Durchsuchung Tausender von Wohnungen und der Besudelung Hunderter von Büroräumlichkeiten mit menschlichen Fäkalien, erscheint den Palästinensern als eine gross angelegte Operation zur Bestrafung und Erniedrigung der allzu selbstbewussten Nachbarn durch die israelische Armee. Wo immer Keime eines palästinensischen Nationalbewusstseins erkennbar waren, randalierten die israelischen Soldaten, und wo sie auf bewaffneten Widerstand stuessen, legten sie einzeln oder sogar reihenweise die Häuser in Trümmer. Der Rote Halbmond rechnet mit mindestens 280 Todesopfern und 630 Verletzten; ein Uno- Entwicklungsexperte schätzte die Wiederaufbaukosten auf 300 bis 400 Millionen Dollar. Die Klagen von Gesundheitsbeamten und Sanitätsdiensten deuten auch auf die Absicht der Behinderung medizinischer Notfalldienste für Palästinenser durch die Armee. Israelische Panzer blockierten tagelang die Spitäler von Jenin und Nablus. Das Razi-Spital in Jenin, das nur 200 Meter vom heiss umkämpften Flüchtlingslager entfernt liegt, ist nur ein Beispiel. Der Chefarzt klagte Mitte April, er habe insgesamt nur acht palästinensische Verletzte zur Versorgung erhalten, obwohl Bomben, Raketen und Panzergranaten tagelang auf das Lager niederprasselten.

Zahlreiche Angriffe auf Sanitäter

Die Armee schloss den lokalen Ambulanzdienst des Palästinensischen Roten Halbmonds (PRCS) in Jenin nach Angabe seines Leiters während 12 Tagen vom Lager aus; nachher waren keine der gemeldeten Verwundeten mehr aufzufinden. Der frühere Leiter der



Notfallstation von Jenin, Soliman al-Khatib, war schon am 4. März von den Israeli erschossen worden, obwohl seine Bewegungen über das Internationale Komitee vom Roten Kreuz (IKRK) mit der Armeeführung abgesprochen waren. Nach Angabe des Präsidenten des Roten Halbmonds in Ramallah, Yunis al-Khatib, konnten seine Ambulanzdienste während der israelischen Invasion nur zu 15 bis 20 Prozent der Kapazität arbeiten; obwohl der Rote Halbmond ein eigenes, völkerrechtlich anerkanntes Recht zur Evakuierung von Verwundeten hat, machte die Armee alle seine Bewegungen von einer Begleitung durch das IKRK abhängig. Während der ganzen 18 Monate der Intifada wurden laut Khatib 4 Sanitäter des PRCS erschossen, 145 verletzt und 45 verhaftet; 3 sind noch immer im Gefängnis. Bei einer Gesamtzahl von 250 Mitarbeitern der Notdienste bedeutet das, dass nur je einer auf fünf ungeschoren davonkam. Das ist für einen humanitären Hilfsdienst, der im Operationsgebiet der Armee mit den angeblich weltweit höchsten moralischen Richtlinien arbeitet und überdies durch die Genfer Konventionen ausdrücklich geschützt ist, eine sehr bedenkliche Bilanz. Khatib bestreitet die Anschuldigung der israelischen Armee von einem Sprengstofftransport in einer PRCS-Ambulanz am 27. März; die PRCS hat am 27. April ein Gerichtsverfahren gegen die Armee angestrengt, in dem sie beweisen will, dass Soldaten jene Sprengladung in der Tragbahre der fraglichen Ambulanz versteckt hätten. Das IKRK beklagte sich seinerseits mehrfach über israelische Angriffe gegen seine Delegierten; deswegen schränkte es seine Aktivitäten am 5. April weitgehend ein - und mit ihnen die des PRCS. Auch die Union der medizinischen Hilfskomitees Palästinas beklagt sich über massive Behinderungen durch die israelische Armee. Nach diesen Angaben wurden in der ersten Aprilhälfte 65 Mal Ambulanzen und medizinisches Personal angegriffen. In Ramallah verwüsteten die Soldaten das Gesundheitszentrum der Union, zerstörten die Optiker-Station, das Büro für den Verleih medizinischer Geräte und das Jugendzentrum; die Niederlassung der Union in Kalkilya wurde von der Armee besetzt und als Verhör- und Haftlager missbraucht. Das Kulturministerium in Ramallah wurde erst am 2. Mai, zusammen mit Arafats Amtssitz, von den Besetzern geräumt. Sie hinterliessen lauter verwüstete, verschmierte und besudelte Büros, zerstörte Computer und leere Registerregale. Im Ministerium für öffentliche Arbeiten ist das oberste Geschoss durch die Explosion eines Geschosses und den anschliessenden Brand völlig zerstört; der Rest der Büros ist verwüstet, selbst die Toilettenschüsseln wurden zerschlagen. In der Stadtverwaltung von Ramallah sprengten die Soldaten den Haupttresor der Finanzbuchhaltung auf und entfernten sämtliche Harddisks aus den Computern. Im Erziehungsministerium entnahmen die Besetzer die Harddisks von rund 50 Computern, weiter liessen sie die Unterlagen für die nächsten Abschlussexamen und die Beglaubigungsstempel für Abgangszeugnisse mitgehen; zur Abrundung pflügten sie den Blumengarten mit ihren Kettenfahrzeugen um. Nach Auskunft des Kulturministers Abderabboh entwendeten die Soldaten im Grundbuchamt sämtliche Unterlagen über den Bodenbesitz, was im Lichte der fortschreitenden Enteignung für jüdische Siedlungen ein schmerzlicher Verlust wäre. Immerhin liegt an einem sicheren Ort ein umfassendes Doppel des Katasters. Im Amt für Fahrzeugkontrolle fehlten nach der israelischen Durchsuchung sämtliche Register, hier muss alles neu erfasst werden.

Interne Untersuchung der Armee

Laut zahlreichen Zeugenaussagen, die nun von Bürgerrechtsaktivisten aufgenommen und dokumentiert werden, richteten die Soldaten auch in Schulen und in vielen Privatwohnungen Zerstörungen an und liessen Wertsachen oder Bargeld mitgehen. Sie zwangen systematisch einen lokalen Anwohner, ihnen bei der Durchsuchung von Gebäuden zum Schutz voranzugehen. Die israelische Presse berichtete Anfang Mai erstmals auch über solche

Vandalenakte und eine interne Untersuchung der Armee darüber. Dazu kommen verbreitete Schäden an Strassenbelägen und -lampen durch die Panzerfahrzeuge, Hunderte von plattgewalzten Privatwagen und die rücksichtslose Durchsuchung und Plünderung grosser Geschäftszentren in Ramallah. Die Bewohner Cisjordaniens (Schweizer Ausdruck fuer „Westjordanland“) lesen aus dem realen Vorgehen der israelischen Besetzer einen ganz anderen Auftrag, als was der Generalstab und die Regierung bekanntgaben:

Erniedrigung der Palästinenser und Zerstörung ihres Lebensraums.

Meine Bemerkung aus dem letzten Rundbrief zur Gewaltbereitschaft und Ruppigkeit der israelischen Gesellschaft wurde kuerzlich wieder bestaetigt. Die NZZ (Neue Zuercher Zeitung) berichtete, dass in einer weltweiten Studie der UNESCO ueber das Gewaltpotenzial von Gymnasiasten Israel den **ersten Platz** belegt! 24 Prozent der israelischen Schueler im Alter von zwei und dreizehn Jahren gaben an, koerperlich angegriffen oder bedroht worden zu sein – der weltweite Durchschnitt liegt bei 6 Prozent.

Zum Thema Vandalismus der israelischen Soldaten: Ist je in den deutschen Medien berichtet worden, dass israelische Soldaten einen palaestinensischen Sender besetzten und dann von dort aus pornographische Filme ausstrahlten?! Wer weiss, wie traditionell-konservativ die palaestinensische Gesellschaft ist, kann ermessen, wie verletzend, wie demuetigend und entehrend dies empfunden worden sein muss.

Und noch etwas: Vor unserer lutherischen Kirche befindet sich der „Koelner Platz“. Vor gut zwei Jahren wurde er im Beisein des Koelner OB und einer grossen Abordnung eingeweiht. Mitten auf dem Platz steht ein Sockel, und auf dem eine Kopie eines Steines aus dem Koelner Dom. Israelische Panzer haben dort jedoch nichts heil gelassen. Sicherheitsmassnahme? Terrorismusbekaempfung?

2. Schicksale – in Deutschland oft nicht bekannt: Gideon Levy schreibt darueber

In der israelischen Zeitung „Ha'aretz“ hat Gideon Levy in seiner woechentlichen Kolumne „Zwielich“ wieder ein haarstraubendes, herzergreifendes und an die Nieren gehendes Schicksal portraetiert. Opfer, die es nun mal bei einer Militaeraktion wie der „Operation Schutzwall“ gibt. Kollateralschaeden. Jedes Medikament hat ja auch seine Nebenwirkungen! Mohammed Abu Samra Zakarna, Vater von vier, ging morgens um halb Sieben auf sein Feld, um Weinblaetter zu pfluecken, die jetzt Hochsaison haben. Bei ihm waren seine Frau, die 4-jaehrige Abir, der 6-jaehrige Basel und eine Bekannte. Die Kleinste und der Aelteste waren bei den Grosseitern geblieben. Gegen zehn machten sie eine Fruehstueckspause. Da hoerten sie das Geraeusches eines schnell fahrenden Panzers. Und ploetzlich ein Kugelhagel und Explosionen. Mohammed sah seine Kinder schon getroffen am Boden liegen, Blut rann von der Schulter seiner toten Frau. Fuer mehrere Minuten ging das Schiessen weiter, vom Panzer, der vielleicht 70, 80 Meter entfernt war. Mohammed ist sich sicher, dass die Soldaten sahen, auf wen sie schossen, da es offenes Land und die Weinstoecke niedrig waren. Hilwa, die Bekannte, schrie: „Moege Gott uns helfen!“

Das Schiessen hoerte auf und die Soldaten kamen herbei: „Verdammt! Kleine (Kinder)!“, rief einer. Sieben Soldaten kamen auf Mohammed zu, legten ihm Handschellen an und zogen ihm die Hose aus. Ein anderer Soldat kam mit einem Erste-Hilfe-Koffer und kuemmerte sich um Basel. Dieser jedoch schrie zu seinem Vater: „Sie sollen weggehen.“ Nach 15 Minuten kam ein israelischer Krankenwagen und nahm Basel mit. Vorher hatten die Sanitaeter den Tod von Fatima und Abir bestaetigt. Basel starb spaeter im Krankenhaus.

Dann redete ein arabisch sprechender Offizier mit Mohammed und fragte ihn, ob er eine Explosion gehoert habe, bevor das Schiessen losgegangen sei. Er verneinte. Der Offizier fuegte hinzu: „Ihr Verlust tut mir leid.“

Hier der Bericht des Armeesprechers: „Eine grosse Bombe wurde neben einem Panzer gezuendet in der Naehе des Bezek-Lagers. Ein Soldat wurde leicht verletzt und ins Krankenhaus gebracht. Die Soldaten konnten einige Personen durch die Felder entkommen sehen. Die Besatzung des Panzers eroeffnete mit leichten Waffen das Feuer. Dabei wurde eine Palaestinerin und ihre Kinder getoetet.“ Er fuegte schnell hinzu, dass die Armee den Umstaenden angemessen gehandelt habe, bedauere jedoch, dass dabei Unschuldige getroffen worden seien.

Eine Untersuchung am naechsten Tag ergab, dass es gar **keine Bombe** gegeben hat. Vielmehr war eine Kette des Panzers abgesprungen, was ein Geraeusch wie „eine Explosion“ verursacht habe. Tage spaeter gab der Armeesprecher folgende Meldung heraus: „Waehrend einer Patrouille am Sonntag, 5.5. wurde aufgrund einer Kette, die sich geloest hatte, das Geraeusch einer Explosion im Inneren des Panzers gehoert. Deshalb dachten die Soldaten, eine Bombe sei explodiert. In Uebereinstimmung mit den Anweisungen fuer solche Situationen eroeffneten die Soldaten das Feuer in Richtung verdaechtiger Personen. Sofort begann man, die Gegend abzusuchen. Dabei fand man einen palaestinensischen Mann. Die Soldaten naecherten sich ihm, drehten ihn auf die Seite, banden seine Haende zusammen und baten ihn, seine Kleidung abzulegen, um sicherzustellen, dass er keinen Sprengstoff bei sich trug und dass er mit der Detonation des Sprengkoerpers (welches Sprengkoerpers bitte?) nichts zu tun hatte. Man suchte weiter die Gegend ab und fand zwei tote Palaestiner und einen verletzten palaestinensischen Jungen. Der Kommandeur erkannte, dass sie nichts mit dem Sprengkoerper zu tun hatten und aus Versehen getoetet worden waren. Auch der Mann, den man vorher festgenommen hatte, habe nichts damit zu tun, die Bombe (welche denn?) gelegt zu haben.

Soviel zum Thema: Die Palaestiner haben keine freie Presse! Sie uebertreiben und luegen! (Entferne zuerst den Splitter in Deinem Auge, bevor Du...!)

3. „Operation Schutzwall“ in Bethlehem

Tony, ein Schueler, der unmittelbar hinter der Geburtskirche wohnt, und der im Sommer vielleicht 3-4 Wochen in Deutschland verbringen darf, schilderte mir die naechtlichen Geraeusche, die vom Krippenplatz kamen: Die israelische Armee hatte einen Kran vor der Geburtskirche aufgestellt. Daran waren Lautsprecher angebracht, aus denen mitten in der Nacht Nervtoetendes wie z.B. hohe Toene, Geraeusche fahrender Panzer, Hundegebell, Explosionen und immer wieder die Aufforderung, sich zu ergeben, ertoente. **Psychoterror an Jesu Geburtsort!**

Unter den Christen war die **Enttaeuschung** ueber Kardinal Etchegerray schon gross. Da kam er ins Heilige Land, laechelte ueberall bei seinen Treffen mit israelischen Politikern (Sharon hatte keine Zeit fuer ihn) und schaffte es nicht, zur Geburtskirche vorzustossen! Auf seine Frage an die israelische Regierung, ob er nach Bethlehem duerfe, erhielt er eine negative Antwort. Ein mir bekannter deutscher Priester in Jerusalem kommentierte das so: „Warum hat er ueberhaupt gefragt? Er haette einfach losgehen sollen! Die Welt haette es genau verfolgt: Wird er am checkpoint abgewiesen? Wird er hineingelassen? **Es gibt leider keine prophetischen Maenner mehr!** Nicht mal in der Kirche!“

Wie recht er hat! Und dann fuegte er hinzu: „Die israelische Arroganz ist nicht mehr auszuhalten!“

Leider sind in den letzten Wochen wieder Christen ausgewandert und andere haben es noch vor. Mein Gitarrenschueler Ramzi flog nach Kolumbien (falls er rauskam!), wo seine Mutter herkommt. Er soll dort drei Monate bleiben, um seinen kolumbianischen Pass beantragen zu koennen. Man weiss ja nie, was hier noch kommt! Ihr seht: Selbst ein kolumbianischer Pass ist noch mehr wert als ein palaestinensischer, wobei Kolumbien ja auch nicht gerade eine Insel der Sicherheit ist!

In den Gebaeuden des „Internationalen Begegnungszentrums“, der luth. Kirche, der luth. Schule, dem Souvenirladen sowie der Baustelle „Auditorium“ ist ein Gesamtschaden von einer halben Million US Dollar durch das israelische Militaer entstanden!!!

4. „Kitzinger Fluegel fuer Bethlehem“

Bevor ich zu meinem eigentlichen Anliegen komme, hier erst einmal ein paar Zahlen:

* Nach einem Bericht der ZEIT locken jaehrlich 30 Milliarden Euro. Soviel schuettet die EU ueber ihren rueckstaendigen Regionen aus. Fuer dieses Geld kann man 2785 Kilometer sechsspurige Autobahnen bauen, samt Seitenstreifen. Oder 3000 km Schienenstrang fuer Hochgeschwindigkeitszuege verlegen. 30 Milliarden, oder 30.000 Millionen Euro ist ein grosserer Batzen als all' die Dollarkredite, die jedes Jahr von der Weltbank im Kampf gegen die globale Armut den Entwicklungslaendern geliehen werden. **Mit dieser Summe koennte man aber auch 100 Mal die Schaeden der israelischen Militaeroperation im Westjordanland beheben!**

* Der republikanische Milliardaer Bloomberg steckte 50 Millionen Dollar in den Wahlkampf. Und es half offensichtlich. Jetzt ist er neuer Buergermeister in New York. **Dieser Betrag wuerde haargenau fuer die Reparatur der Schaeden an Denkmaelern, Kulturzentren, Museen im Westjordanland reichen!**

* Ein Krankenhaus in Sachsen, so stand kuerzlich in der Zeitung, hat sage und schreibe 17.000 Euro fuer die Ausschreibung einer Arztstelle in verschiedenen Zeitungen ausgegeben. Ohne Erfolg. Es hat sich niemand beworben. 17.000 Euro... genau der Betrag, den wir hier brauchen!

Naemlich fuer einen **Fluegel**. Wir haben ein sehr, sehr gutes Angebot fuer einen unterfraenkischen Fluegel, das durch grosses Entgegenkommen der Kitzinger Firma Seiler und ihres Tel Aviver Vertragspartners Hemi Benvenisti zustande gekommen ist. Im Herbst diesen Jahres werden die Musikaktivitaeten der luth. Schule, des „Internationalen Begegnungszentrums“ sowie des Musikkonservatoriums alle unter einem Dach vereint. Es waere natuerlich schoen, fuer Vorspielabende, Konzerte und andere Festlichkeiten einen Fluegel zu haben. Wie staunte ich kuerzlich, als ich beim Fruehjahrskonzert meines ehemaligen (musischen) Gymnasiums in Aschaffenburg war. Was fuer ein hohes Niveau! Unglaublich. Was fuer eine Instrumentenzahl! **Ich habe an diesem Abend vermutlich mehr Instrumente gesehen, als es in ganz Palaestina gibt!** Allein sechs Saxophonistinnen in der BIG BAND! Mein Lehrerkollege George behauptet z.B., der einzige Oboist in Palaestina zu sein!!!

Herr Schneider, ein Jude aus Deutschland, den ich nie persoendlich getroffen, ja nicht einmal am Telefon gesprochen habe, aber der irgendwie meine e-mails bekommen hat, ist ein Mann, der mir Mut macht. Er lehrt z.Zt. als Gastprofessor in Israel und schrieb mir eines Tages, dass er bald einen runden Geburtstag feiern werde. Er moechte keine Geschenke, sondern lieber ein Projekt in Bethlehem unterstuetzen, teilte er seinen Gaesten mit! So kam fast der zehnte Teil des Fluegelpreises zustande. **Vergelt es Ihnen Gott, Herr Schneider!** Hier schreibt er selbst: „...daß ein solches Projekt **bald** realisiert wird; es waere verdammt

schade, es verträöstend auf den St.-Nimmerleins-Tag verschieben zu müssen. Ja, ich denke, daß (a) Musik in der Tat einen Beitrag zur "Zivilgesellschaft" leisten kann, mehr aber (b) daß es ein gutes und ein **jetzt** benötigtes Mittel mit 'heilender' Wirkung ist. Wobei wir uns wohl beide einig sind, die 'große' Heilung kommt erst dann, wenn die (jüdischen) Israelis aufhören, ihren großen Traum vom ganzen Land ihrer Väter zu träumen. Auch die Palästinenser haben Träume und Traumata 'auszuträumen', doch erst müssen sie 'unbesetzt' sein.

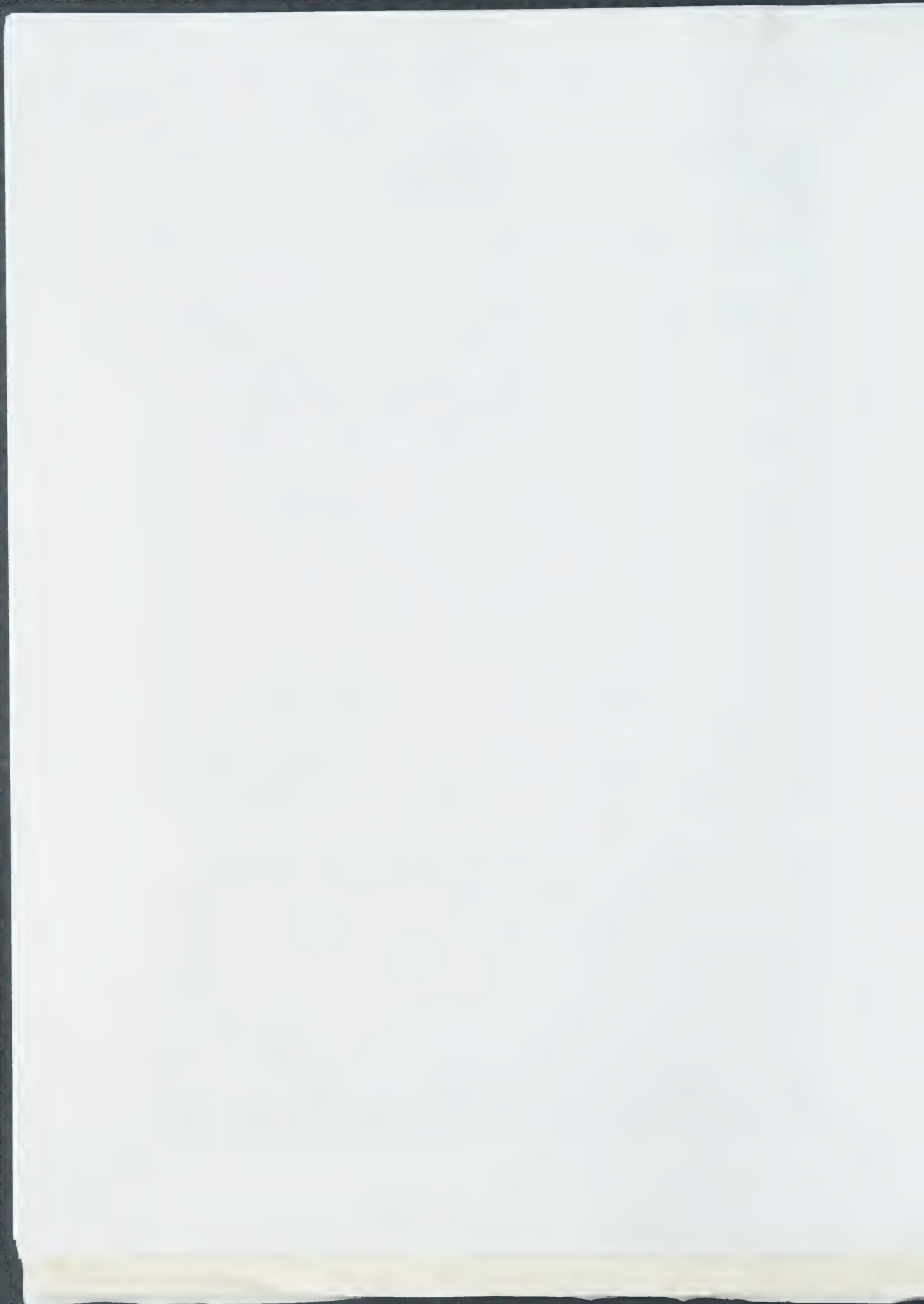
Ich rechnete aus, wenn jeder von den Lesern dieses Briefes drei Euro spendet, kriegen wir gute 1000 Euro zusammen! Aber ich kann jetzt nicht fuer einen Fluegel Geld sammeln, wenn die **Not** hier von Tag zu Tag groesser wird. Ein 19-jaehriger junger Mann, der als Aushilfskraft in einem Laden hier arbeitete, und der seinen Job verloren hat, fragte mich gestern verzweifelt nach 10 Schekeln. Sieben Muender sind daheim zu stopfen. Es ist kein Schekel mehr uebrig. In drei aufeinanderfolgenden Naechten wurde er von der israelischen Armee aus dem Haus geholt und musste jeweils die ganze Nacht mit zusammengebundenen Haenden neben einem Jeep stehen. Manchmal deutete ein Soldat auf ein Haus und fragte: Wer wohnt dort? Sage es uns, Du weisst es.

Ich merkte nichts von Hass, in seinen Augen jedoch pure **Verzweiflung** und Not. Wieviele Haushalte koennen seit Monaten weder die Wasser- noch die Stromrechnung bezahlen! **Die israelische Regierung blutet die Palaestinsener aus!** Und ueberlegt gleichzeitig, thailaendische Gastarbeiter zu Ernteeinsaetzen anzufordern! Wie kann man die israelische Regierung stoppen? Mir faellt nur noch ein: Aussetzung des EU-Assoziationsvertrages! Boykott israelischer Waren! **Hier wird ein ganzes Volk systematisch unterdrueckt und muerbe gemacht. Mit Sicherheit hat das laengst nichts mehr zu tun!** Mein sich von Tag zu Tag erhaertender Verdacht ist: Sharon will, dass es Vergeltungs-Selbstmordattentate gibt. Er braucht sie, um Herrn Bush weiterhin sagen zu koennen: „Sehen Sie, mit Terroristen kann man sich doch nicht an einen Tisch setzen und verhandeln!“ Dann schlaegt er noch haerter zu als zuvor! **„Gush Shalom“** hat sich diesbezuglich ganz aehnlich geaussert! Vor wenigen Tagen wurden wieder drei Mitglieder der sog. „Tanzim“ in Nablus von einem Kampfhubschrauber aus hingerichtet. Sharon haette sie auch verhaften koennen, wie es in Bethlehem z.Zt. geschieht. Man faehrt mit Panzern in die Stadt, erklaert eine Ausgangssperre und macht dann eine Haus-zu-Haus-Durchsuchung. Nein, Sharon entschied sich fuer die extralegale Art der Exekution. Warum? Stunden spaeter dann die palaestinensische Vergeltung: Anschlag in Rishon le Zion!

5. Aufruf von „Gush Shalom“ (eine Gruppe der israelischen Friedensbewegung)

Der israelischen Regierung scheint es nicht zu genuegen, von Palaestinsenern Erlaubnisscheine fuer die Fahrt nach Jerusalem und Israel zu verlangen, nein, neuerdings braucht man sogar einen Schein, um innerhalb der palaestinensischen Gebiete sich zu bewegen. Somit wird die West-Bank in acht Kantone unterteilt! Bei einer Gesamtflaeche von ca. 5.500 Quadratkilometern ist ein Kanton mehr oder weniger so gross wie der Landkreis Aschaffenburg. So brauchen Palaestinsener, um beim Vergleich zu bleiben, einen Erlaubnisschein, wenn sie von Goldbach nach Obernburg fahren wollen.

Amira Hass, israelische Journalistin, die es wagt, im Westjordanland zu leben, wo momentan kein Israeli freiwillig hingehen will, schrieb am 22.5. unter dem Titel „Donors are funding cantonization“ ueber die neue „Sicherheitsmassnahme“ der israelischen Regierung, die, so sieht es aus, laengerfristig geplant ist! Kein Lastwagen darf von einem Kanton in den anderen fahren. An speziellen **„Umladeplaetzen“** muessen die Waren in einen anderen Lastwagen geladen werden, der von der „Gegenseite“ kommt. Hass meint, dass alles, was



man den israelischen Buergern als Sicherheitsmassnahme verkauft und was danach aussieht, moegliche Selbstmordattentate zu verhindern, ohne Debatte und ohne Fragen angenommen wird. Dass dazu mehr als drei Millionen Menschen eingesperrt in mehr oder weniger grossen Gefaengnissen leben muessen, ist halt der Preis, den das „Volk der Terroristen“ zu bezahlen hat. Ausserdem soll es ja auch den 200.000 juedischen Siedlern im Gazastreifen und dem Westjordanland gut gehen! Dass diese auf enteignetem palaestinensischem Land leben, mit palaestinensischem Wasser ihre Schwimmbaeder fuellen, waehrend wenige Kilometer weiter die Leute nicht die von der UN pro Kopf vorgesehenen 100 Liter Wasser zur Verfuegung haben, wissen nur die wenigsten, und den meisten Israelis ist es egal.

Hier der **Brief**, den Ihr an Bundestagsabgeordnete (Adresse ist einfach zu bilden: Sagen wir, ich waere MdB, dann lautete meine Adresse: johannes.zang@bundestag.de), die israelische Botschaft in Berlin, Bern oder Wien sowie als Leserbriefe an Zeitungen schreiben koennt sowie an Bischoefe und sonst einflussreiche Menschen (ganz unten befindet sich das Original in englischer Sprache):

Sehr geehrter Herr...

Ich war zutiefst schockiert und entsetzt, als ich erfuhr, dass Palaestiner im Westjordanland den Soldaten eine Erlaubnis vorzeigen muessen, um von einer Stadt in die naechste zu fahren. Dieses System, Erlaubnisscheine zu fordern und diese selektiv fuer einen Monat zu gewaehren, scheint geschaffen worden zu sein, die momentane Krise auszunutzen und die soziale und wirtschaftliche Abschnuerung der palaestinensischen Gebiete zu einer dauerhaften zu machen. Seien Sie sich bewusst, dass die Welt von der Art und Weise, wie die israelische Regierung die 35-jaehrige Besetzung fortsetzt, genug hat. Diese Besetzung, die fuer die machtlosen Palaestiner ein Leben unmoeglich macht, wird Menschen, die ueber Jahrzehnte ruhig und zivilisiert ihr Leben fuehrten, zu Akten der Verzweiflung treiben!

Hochachtungsvoll

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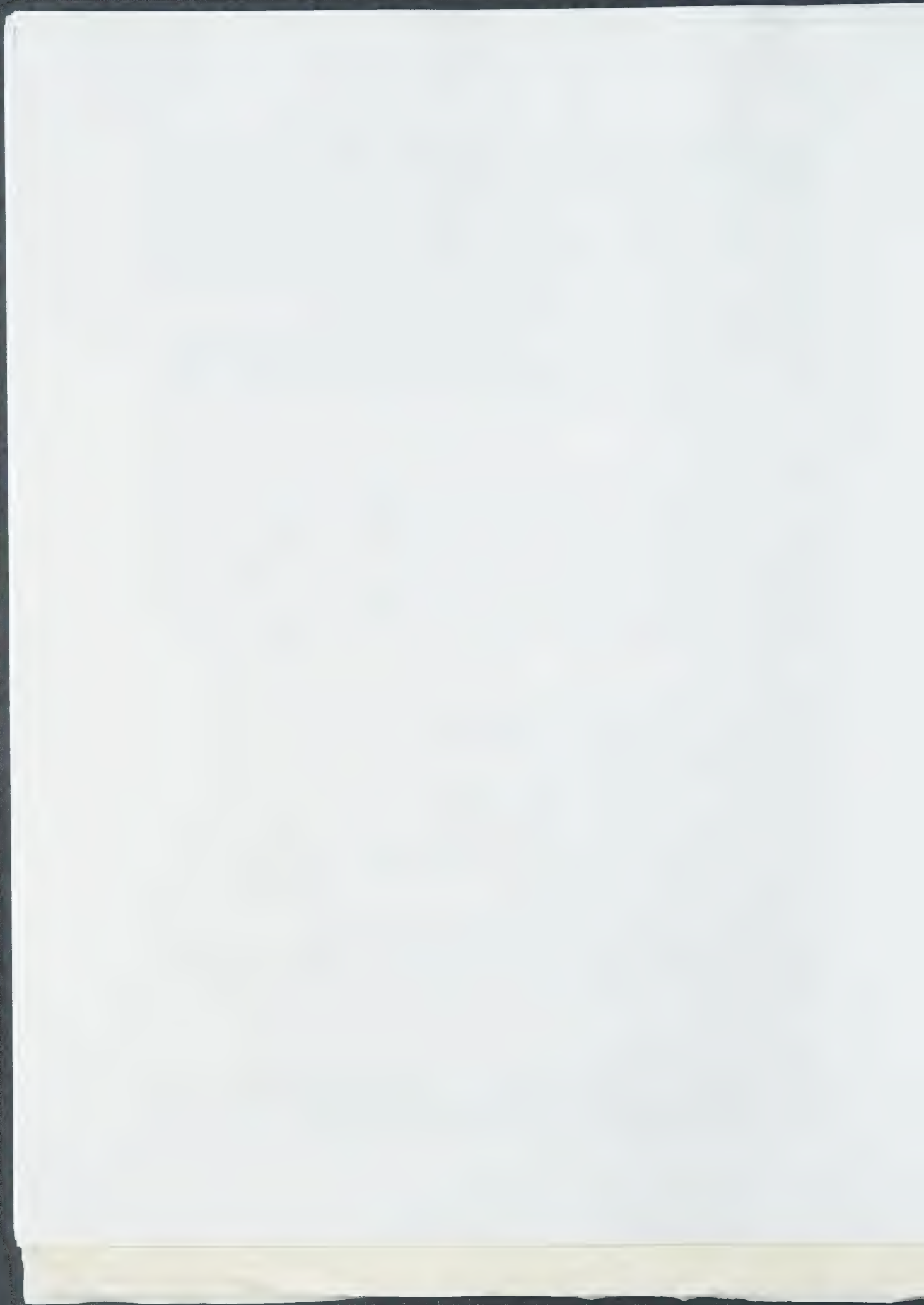
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Bitte auch eine Kopie an die Friedensbewegung „Gush Shalom“ (in deutsch oder englisch): info@gush-shalom.org (Adam Keller und Beate Zilversmidt bedanken sich fuer Euer Engagement!)

Und hier der Brief in englisch:

Dear

I am deeply shocked and disgusted to read about the need for West Bank Palestinians to show to the Israeli soldiers permits to travel from one West Bank city to the other. This system - of demanding permits and of selectively allowing such permits for one month -



seems designed to exploit the present crisis and make the strangulation of Palestinian economic and social life a permanent one. Be aware that the world is sick of the way in which the government of Israel tries to perpetuate the 35-year old occupation, making life for the disenfranchised Palestinians impossible and driving people who have been calm and civilized for decades to acts of despair.

Sincerely

6. Weitere Nachrichten

Als ich in Bonn war, hoerte ich Sumaya Farhat Nasser in einem bewegenden Vortrag. Sie stellte ihr neuestes Buch vor: „Im Land der Olivenbaeume“. Herrn Ludwig Watzal (Autor von: „Feinde des Friedens“) traf ich ebenfalls am Rhein. Das Gespraech mit ihm gab mir viel Zuversicht und Hoffnung! Uebrigens: Beide Buecher sind zu empfehlen!

Die Missionszentrale der Franziskaner in Deutschland ruft zu verstaerktem „Fasten und Beten fuer Frieden und Versoehnung im Heiligen Land“ auf. Sie schlaegt vor, die Initiative des Papstes in Assisi fortzufuehren und vor allem die **Freitage** dafuer zu nutzen, wegen des islamischen Freitagsgebetes und des Shabbatbeginns der Juden.

Kuerzlich besuchte ich Munir, in dessen Hof ein Panzer fuhr, da er strategisch guenstig liegt. Durch die Erschuetterungen gingen Leitungen im Boden kaputt, ausserdem sank die Wasserzisterne ab. Schaden: circa 5000 Euro. Munir kommt seit einigen Wochen mit einem halben Dutzend junger Leute zu mir, um **Stimmbildungsunterricht** zu nehmen und einen kleinen Chor aufzubauen. Sie kommen alle aus gutgestellten christlichen Familien, waren z.T. laenger im Ausland (Kenya, England, Frankreich), sprechen alle mindestens zwei, manche drei Sprachen und laden mich fast jedes Mal noch zu einem Umtrunk ein. Einer von ihnen ist Iskandar, der sechs Jahre in Frankreich studierte, ein Jobangebot fuer eine Marketingstelle hatte, diese aber wegen der Intifada nicht antreten kann. Er stammt aus dem beruehmten Kando-Clan und ist der Neffe desjenigen, der damals dem Beduinen die „**Qumran-Rollen**“ abgekauft hat! Wie ich ja immer sage: Hier trifft man „alleritt“ (Goldbacher Ausdruck fuer „dauernd“) auf Geschichte und Geschichten!

Bei dieser Gelegenheit eine ganz aktuelle Meldung: 54 Jahre nach Auffindung der Qumran-Rollen erklaert der israelische Herausgeber Emmanuel Tov die Veroeffentlichung der 37 Baende umfassenden Gesamtausgabe fuer beendet. Die Rollen vom Toten Meer umfassen 15.000 Pergament-, Leder- und Papyrusfragmente, die zu urspruenglich ca. 900 Rollen gehoert haben. Die Rollen, darunter ein Drittel Bibeltexte, wurden zwischen dem dritten Jahrhundert vor und dem ersten Jahrhundert nach Christus geschrieben. Das nichtbiblische Material ist meist in hebraeisch, teilweise aber auch in aramaeisch und griechisch verfasst. Das meiste, zum Teil bisher voellig unbekanntes Material wurde von einer Gruppe Juden geschrieben, die den Essenern angehoert haben. Diese haben die Entwicklung des fruehen Christentums massgeblich beeinflusst. Die Schriften sind daher auch fuer die **Erforschung des Christentums** und seiner Urspruenge von grosser Wichtigkeit.

Um die Veroeffentlichung der Rollen hatte es vor 10 Jahren einen heftigen Streit gegeben, nachdem man dem vorwiegend katholischen Herausgeberteam vorgeworfen hatte, Material zu unterschlagen, weil es der Kirche unangenehm sei. 1990 wurde Tov, Professor fuer Bibelwissenschaft an der Hebraeischen Universitaet in Jerusalem, zum Herausgeber ernannt. Er erweiterte das Herausgeberteam von acht auf 98 Wissenschaftler und beschleunigte damit die Herausgabe des schwer lesbaren und fragmentarischen Materials.

Herrn Friedman und Herrn Spiegel lade ich mal ein, mit mir den checkpoint „Kalandia“ zu ueberqueren und sich dafuer einen Tag Zeit zu nehmen! Am zweiten Tag fahre ich mit ihnen ins „Beach Camp“ im Gaza-Streifen! Herr Sharon und Herr Peres koennen auch mitkommen, Joschka und Angela uebrigens auch! George W. Bush und seine Berater kennen es bestimmt auch noch nicht!

Ich habe vor, in unserem „Sommerlager“ unter anderem den ersten **Bethlehemer Stadtlauf** auszurichten! Meine Idee ist es, T-Shirts dafuer drucken zu lassen, eventuell finden wir noch Sponsoren, die Preise stiften oder uns sonst etwas spenden koennen. Hat jemand Kontakte zu NIKE oder ADIDAS? Das dreiwoechige Lager wird **therapeutische Bedeutung** haben, da die Kinder Bethlehems und Umgebung ein ganz schlimmes halbes Jahr hinter sich haben. Wir planen Ausfluege, Kunst- und Musikangebote, Filme und ein „Spiel ohne Grenzen“.

Wie Ihr wisst, hielt ich im April in Deutschland drei Vortraege. Bei einem ging eine Frau mitten drin raus. Nun erreichte mich folgender Brief von Diakon Isack: „Vielen Dank fuer den Pfingstbrief. Wir haben ihn heute beim Montagsgebet verwendet und anschliessend kamen viele Mitbeter in die Sakristei, um eine Kopie des Briefes zu erbitten. Ihr Info-Abend hat "gezundet" in Rottendorf. Bei einer Teilnehmerin wurde er gar zum "Sprengstoff" - jene Frau war waehrend dem Vortrag weggegangen. Ich habe mit ihr gesprochen. Sie haben ihr bisheriges "schönes Bild" von Guten und Bösen, von "schwarz" und "weiss" kaputt gemacht. Ihre Info-Quelle, der sie bisher "blind" vertraute, ist die Homepage www.israelnetz.com. Danke fuer Ihre kritische Sicht, Ihr Engagement um die Wahrheit und damit um den Frieden.

Die Dame sollte vielleicht oefter mal unter www.newprofile.org (Bewegung zur Zivilisierung der israelischen Gesellschaft, ja, so heisst die Organisation tatsaechlich!) oder www.gush-shalom.org nachgucken! Oder unter www.lawsociety.org sowie www.connection-ev.de (Traeger des Aachener Friedenspreises!) und www.annadwa.org (mein Arbeitsplatz).

Fuer den Fall, dass jemand von Euch irgendetwas hierherschicken will (Preise fuer das Sommerlager, gebrauchte Gitarren fuer den Unterricht, etc.): Eine Stewardess aus meinem Dorf fliegt regelmaessig nach Tel Aviv. Sie koennte das eine oder andere mitnehmen. **Bitte mit meiner Mutter unter 06021-53807 absprechen!**

Zum Schluss noch ein Satz eines zurueckgekehrten Zivis: „...man ist wieder hier in der Heimat, im Frieden, genieusst die tollen Freiheiten des Landes, aber... irgendetwas fehlt auch. Es ist **schwer, das Leben hier als eine Herausforderung** anzusehen, **wirklich gluecklich** zu sein, es faellt auch schwer, sich wieder der Kontraste zwischen einem selbst und der arabischen Welt zu entwoehnen...“

Mein schon totgeglaubter, voellig verstaubter Kaktus vor der Haustuer, wochenlang ohne Wasser, hat begonnen zu bluehen. In wunderbarem Gelb. Ein kleines Wunder! Gleich drei Knospen von insgesamt gut zwei Dutzenden gingen auf einmal auf!

Unter Ausgangssperre gruesst Euch, trotzdem ganz fidel, herzlichst Euer Johannes

Ich lese sehr viel und spiele wieder verstaerkt Gitarre, nachdem mir ein Gitarren-Schueler einige gute webpages mit Gitarrengriffen fuer x-beliebige Lieder zeigte: www.guitartabs.cc und <http://www.tabsplanet.com/site/j.htm>

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Subject: RE: Your letter of August 13th
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Dear Alfred,

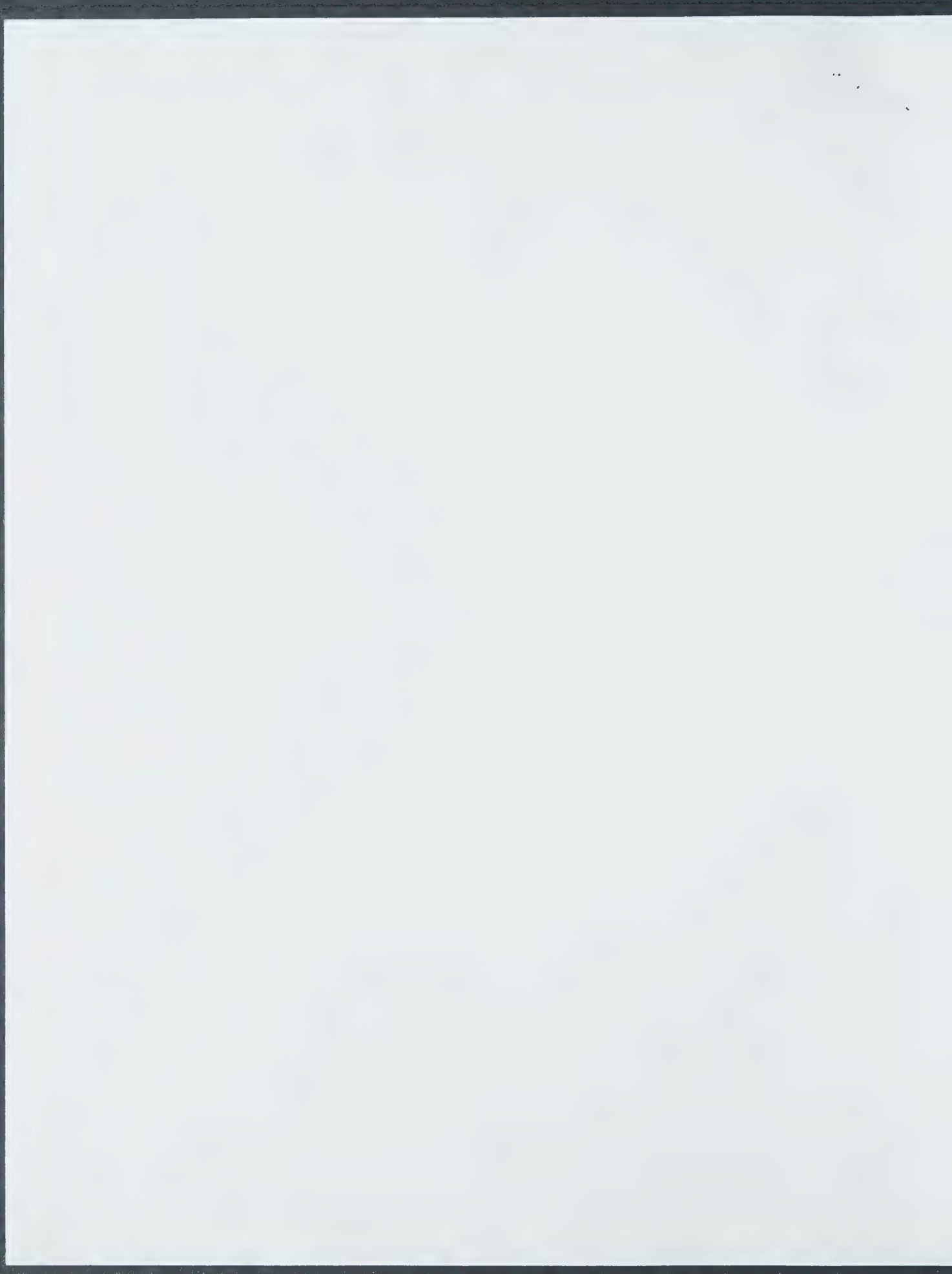
Please excuse me for not responding to your past several emails. Things were quite hectic around here and I was also out of the country for several weeks with two MEQA seminars. One which was for 30 Palestinian and Israeli teachers in Groves dealing with how they may address their children's trauma. Then I was for a week in Geneva hosted by the municipality and Swiss government, with our staff of 30 Palestinian and Israeli facilitators. These were both very interesting yet difficult events. But maybe above all it added some hope to the fact that despite all difficulties the Palestinians came for several days through Amman & Cairo because they were not allowed to leave through Israel - a separate subject that I would like to discuss with you on occasion...

Now I am about to leave next Tuesday to NY where Ghassan and myself will be speaking at the UN on September 11th about the importance of education.

IN the midst of all of this, however, yesterday I held the meeting for the various organizations which were funded with your generosity. I wanted to thank you for allowing this event to take place. There were 40 Jews and Arabs (all Israelis) present at this session which took place in Jerusalem. There was a significant variety among the significance in terms of nationality, religion (and level of observance), gender and age...also, as you know, many of the projects were not the typical dialogue projects but rather programs which helped to integrate the Arabs within the communities (such as the music conservatory, the school for gifted children and the center for children in distress...).

The topic upon which I chose to focus the day was on the degree of partnership which exists in such programs. My starting point was that if there are so many projects dealing with the issue, and still the situation in the country vis-à-vis the Arabs, is as it is, then something must not be working. My theory was to examine what are the difficulties within the programs that are working in the field, as a means to understand some of the general obstacles in the country. (of course, I already know some of the frustrations that exist in the field, although they were never discussed publicly). I took two professional facilitators to run the 5 hours session. Dr. Yisrael Almy is a Cross-Cultural Psychologist & Organizational Consultant also Coordinator, Israeli National Committee on Social Sciences and chair, Social Issues Committee, National Responsibility Forum (Pabin Center). Walid Mula is an Educator, advisor, and consultant on issues involving multiculturalism and civil society, development of Jewish-Arab leadership in the Galilee, and faculty and administration development in education. He teaches at the Tel Hai College and the Mandel School for Educational Leadership. In short, these are two top people...

The three of us spent several hours preparing the focus of the day. We wanted to raise the issue of the equality and partnerships within such organizations, and used the request (which I presented in your name, I hope that is ok) for joint financial responsibility as an opening for the discussion. In the beginning of the day the organizations were asked to present their work very briefly. Then they were split into uni-national meetings where they were asked to describe what happened in the organization when they received notice of the grant and the request for joint partnership.... From there they proceeded to discuss to what extent there is true partnership on all levels in the organization. When the groups came together there was a candid conversation, in which both the Jews and Arabs shared with each other some of the frustrations on this matter. I think that this was the first time that such a meeting of organizations was self-critical to such an extent. We then gathered some of the causes that were



discussed the obstacles towards such partnerships. Some of the central obstacles which were detected were:

1. the different priorities of each community: there is such poverty in the Arab community, that when they have the opportunity they prefer to invest in their own communities first and take a more secondary role in joint projects. for the Jews there is a fear relating to the identity of the Jewish state if the Arabs are given equal status and so they also tend to invest in strengthening their position... although the people that came to these projects have broad and sincere goals of cooperation, we cannot ignore the different agendas with which they come. the attempt to ignore this create a lack of partnership.

2. the first point, and the fact that many of these programs do not involve people full time, means that there is sometimes a lack of information leading to fears and suspicions about one another. in these settings it is not always appropriate to discuss such suspicions openly, but this could further affect the partnerships.

3. one cannot ignore the situation since October 2000 and it's effect on Jewish - Arab relationships in the country.

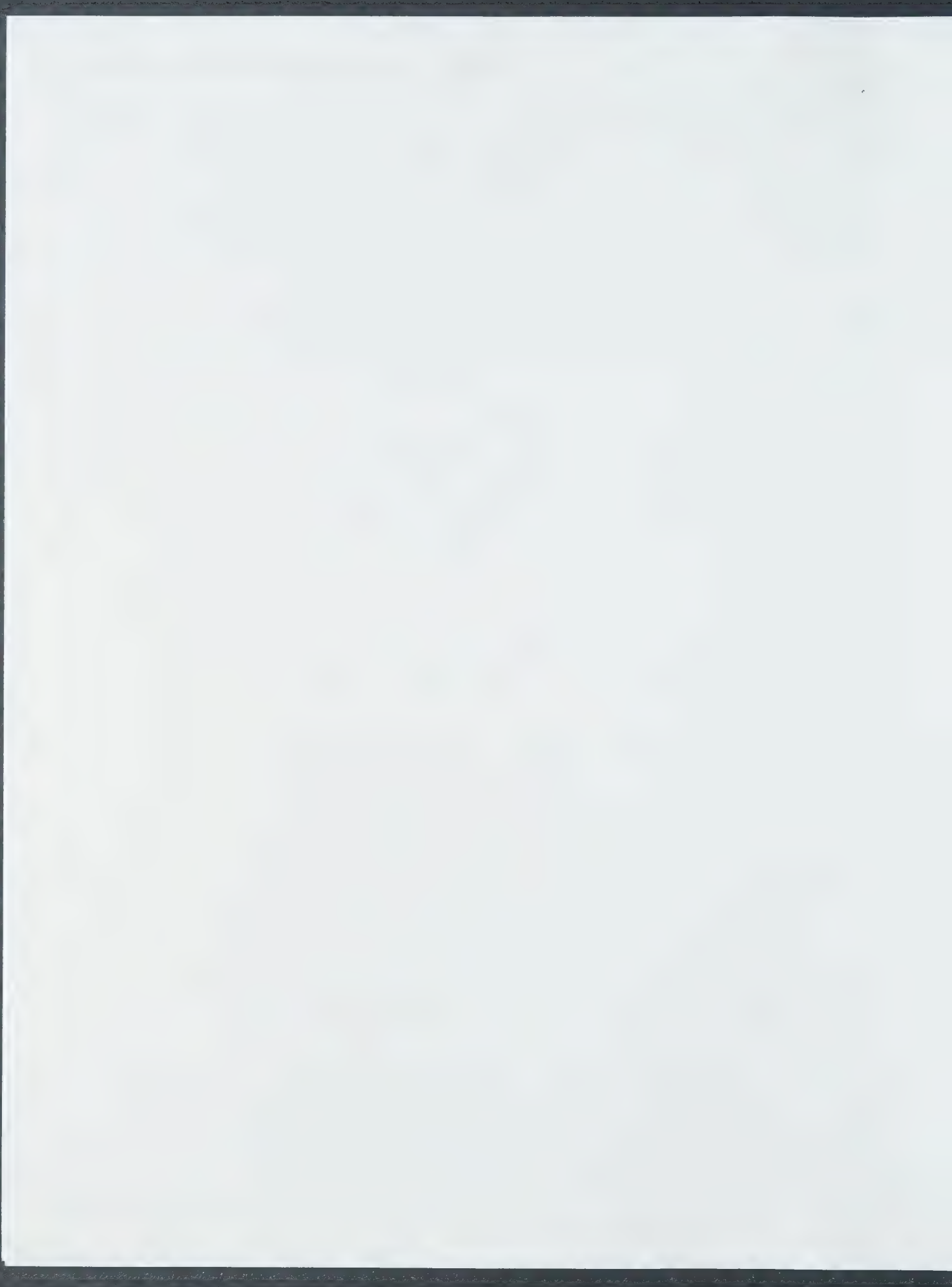
In short, there was a great willingness of the participants to further discuss these issues in depth and this is what we plan to explore in the upcoming meeting scheduled for this group. Although this was not a simple task, I am very thankful for the opportunity. I think that besides supporting some good projects, it gave room for a very important reflection that will hopefully affect the future. Many people in the room commented on the importance of your contribution, not only to their program but also by bringing these people together and raising these poignant issues.

After I get organized I will send you a list of participants and a summary.

I also had simultaneous translation during that day, so everyone could express themselves in their mother tongue and not to ignore the language of the minority. it was more of a statement than an actual necessity, as all of the Arabs know Hebrew (and many times the discussion slipped into Hebrew)...yet still I think that this was an important element which gave place to everyone's identity.

As for the expenses of this day, they were pretty much as I sent you an outline one of my previous descriptions, I could not transfer funds directly from the fund (to the facilitators, the location, the translation and an assistant which I took to help organize the day... that is because by definition, the fund could only send money to a non-for-profit organization... therefore I asked Boaz Karni (the administrative director of ECF - Yair Hirshfeld's organization) to take care of paying each one of the bills which I collected for this event and will reimburse them with a donation from the fund to cover the exact costs which they laid out. This way, I could pay the suppliers right away and saved myself the administrative hassle. Of course they did not request any overhead and merely did this as an administrative favor to ease my load -- this seems to be a part of a greater task in which -they seem to be unofficially looking out to make sure that I do not run myself down with all of these adventures which I undertake - a mission which is greatly appreciated by some people such as my parents....) ... By the way, I mentioned to Boaz about the article that you sent me. They were quite impressed that you kept it for all of these years...but to quote him: "so much has happened and developed since then"...so they may be sending you an update...).

On another note, I am not sure if you received a copy of the letter which I just received from Lorin Silverman from FJC about the correction of the funds performance. I was relieved to see that according to the amended statement (apparently there was an amendment for all accounts in the fund, not just this one...), during the relevant period the account earned \$1,586.61 dollars. I was glad to see this was the case, but will keep my eyes open a little bit more carefully to see how exactly things will proceed.



Franklin, it's getting quite late here...please send my best to Isaac..
with appreciation for helping me help to make a difference,
anna

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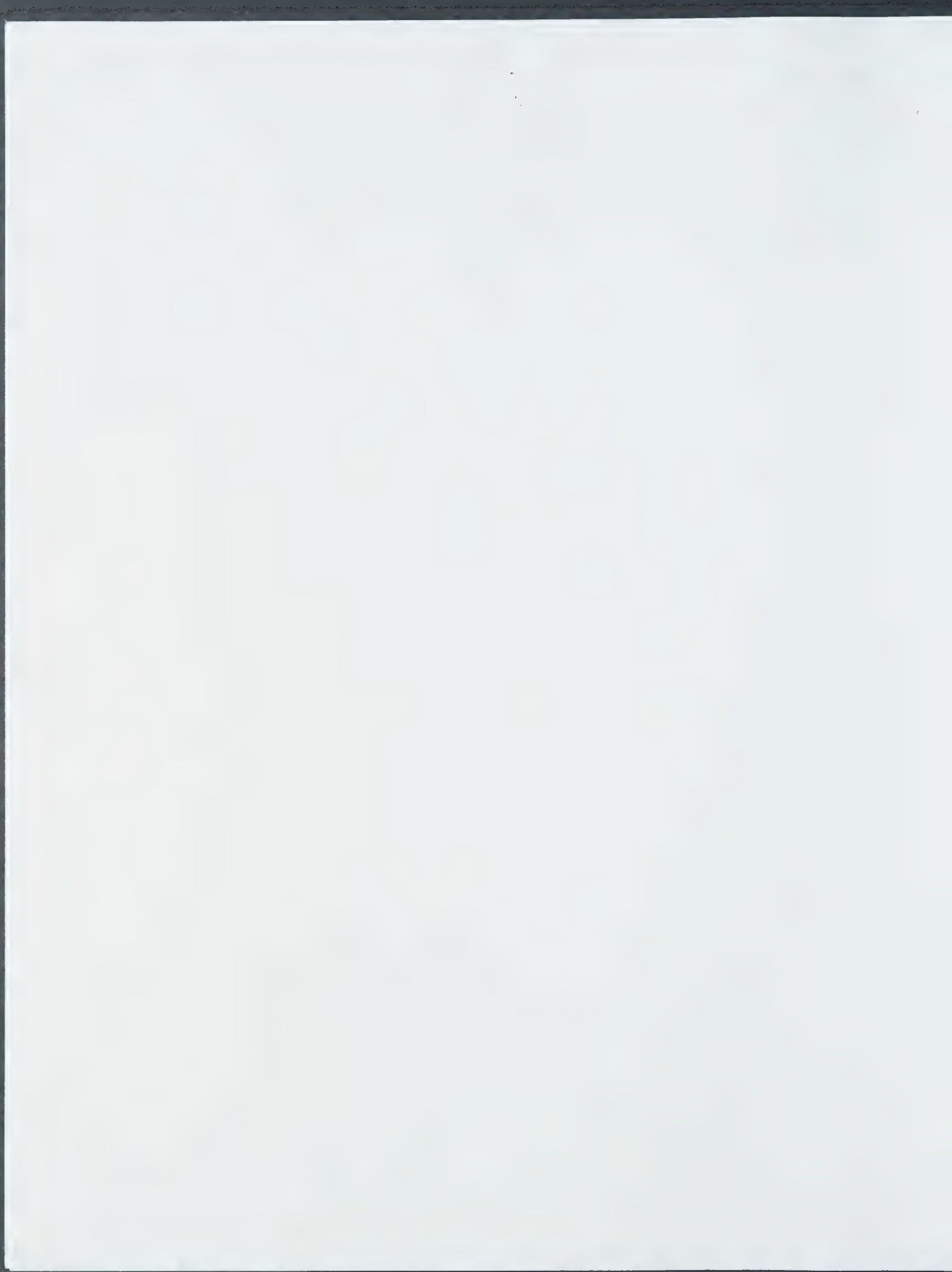
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Fax: from Sue Read. Fax: 020 8870 4243 Phone: 020 8870 6816.

Fax to: Alfred & Isobel Bader

September 2nd 2002.

Dear Alfred and Isobel,

I returned home with my daughter Katy. She has a steel rod screwed in place from hip to knee & will remain on crutches for 9 months, but she is gaining confidence daily and will return to school but will require help with travelling. I am relieved that life has now settled back into a work routine.

Thank you for sending me a copy of Brenda Baileys letter. It seems that sadly not only does she not understand you and the purpose of what you do, but she didn't understand what I thought I rather factfully tried to point out to her in my phone call. It is so sad that she seems to be viewing things from such a fixed position when I thought that although I knew little of the broad work of the Quakers they appeared to be in a good situation to make positive changes when given help with funding.

I hope you and Isobel are both well. I have tremendous admiration for the work that you both do and for the tireless way that you go about it, regardless of setbacks and disappointments. I hope to have a completed film to show you when you come in November and maybe then we can continue our conversation about making a film about the way that you and Isobel work covering so many different areas, not just throwing financial aid at projects but really becoming involved. It is a unique family business which should not pass unrecorded.

With fondest best wishes as always to you both,

Sue Read



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September 4, 2002

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Dear Mr. Arnow,

Thank you so much for your letter of August 23rd with all that most interesting material about how Bedouins are treated in Israel.

I had a very good chemist friend in your Department of Chemistry, Dr. Arjeh Galun, whom I visited annually. He introduced me to a very able Israeli Arab chemist teaching at your University and so I realized that some Israeli Arabs were treated fairly.

I have been trying to help Israeli Arab/Jewish relations and do so mainly through the granddaughter of my best friend, Marvin Klitsner. This is Miss Adina Shapiro, who is the Israeli head of MECA, the Middle East Childrens Association, and in fact she and the Palestinian head of MECA, Dr. Ghassan, are in New York right now to speak to the UN.

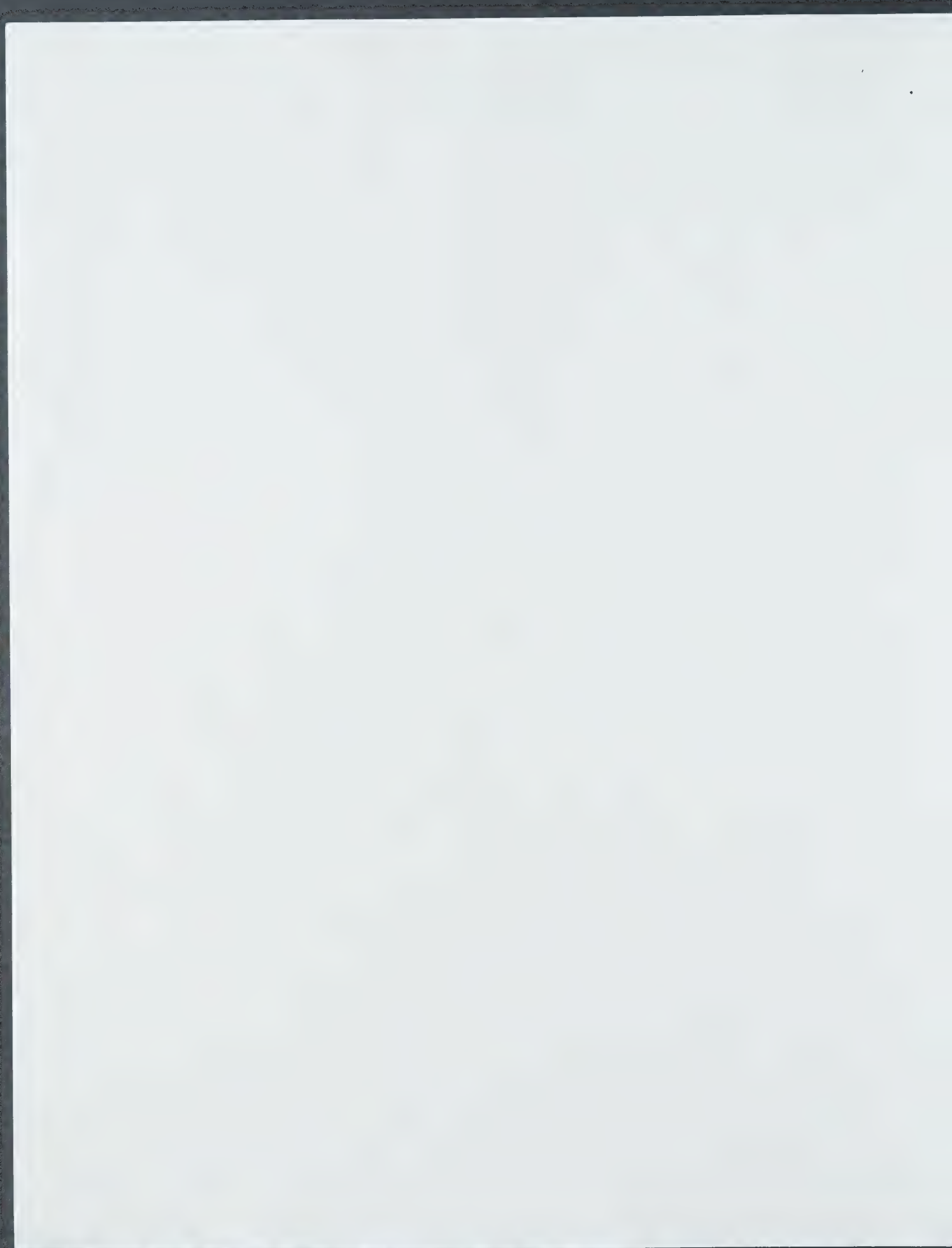
Adina is helping a number of Israeli Arab organizations and if someone at your University would like to discuss her work, her e-mail is meca@netvision.net.il.

With all good wishes for a happy and healthy and hopefully more successful New Year, I remain

and peace full

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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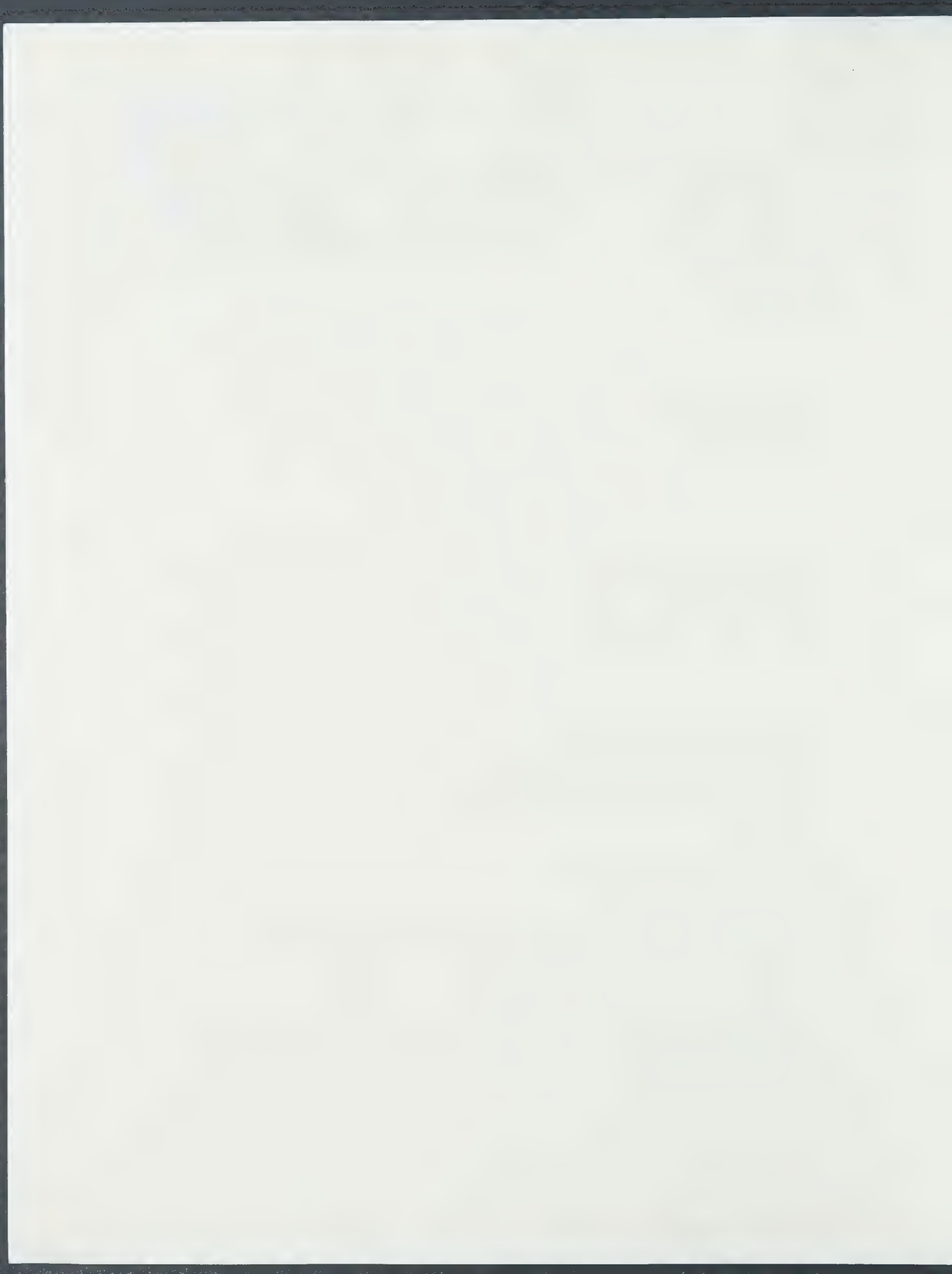
Dear Dr. & Mrs. Bader:

Mr. Amir Gissin of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs informed me that you are sponsoring a project aimed at bringing together young leadership of a Jewish town and a Bedouin settlement in the Negev through leadership development workshops. Because of your interest in the Bedouins, I thought you would like to see the enclosed publication "The Magic Circle," which highlights Ben-Gurion University's involvement with the Bedouin community in the Negev.

For your information, I have been affiliated with Ben-Gurion University in a number of capacities for approximately twenty years. For the past several years, much of my activity has centered around my efforts to improve the plight of the Bedouins, a group native to the area. In 1997, I co-founded the Center for Bedouin Education and Development at the university and I provided the funding for "The Magic Circle," which represents almost a full year's effort.

Also enclosed are several articles that you may find of interest as follows:

- "The Mightiest Weapon" from a recent issue of *Jerusalem Post* magazine. This article relates the story of a handicapped Bedouin youth who was able to overcome many obstacles in his quest for a higher education with the assistance of the Bedouin Center.
- "Shohat's Royal Flush" – an article from the internet edition of *Ha'Aretz* detailing the controversy surrounding comments made by Moshe Shohat, head of the Bedouin Education Authority.



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- Two articles from *Ha'Aretz*, "ILA destroys 'illegally planted' Bedouin crops in the Negev" which is self-explanatory, and "A roof over their heads," concerning the policy of house demolitions in the Negev.

I appreciate your interest in the Bedouin situation, and will appreciate any feedback you may care to provide regarding "The Magic Circle" once you have had a chance to read it.

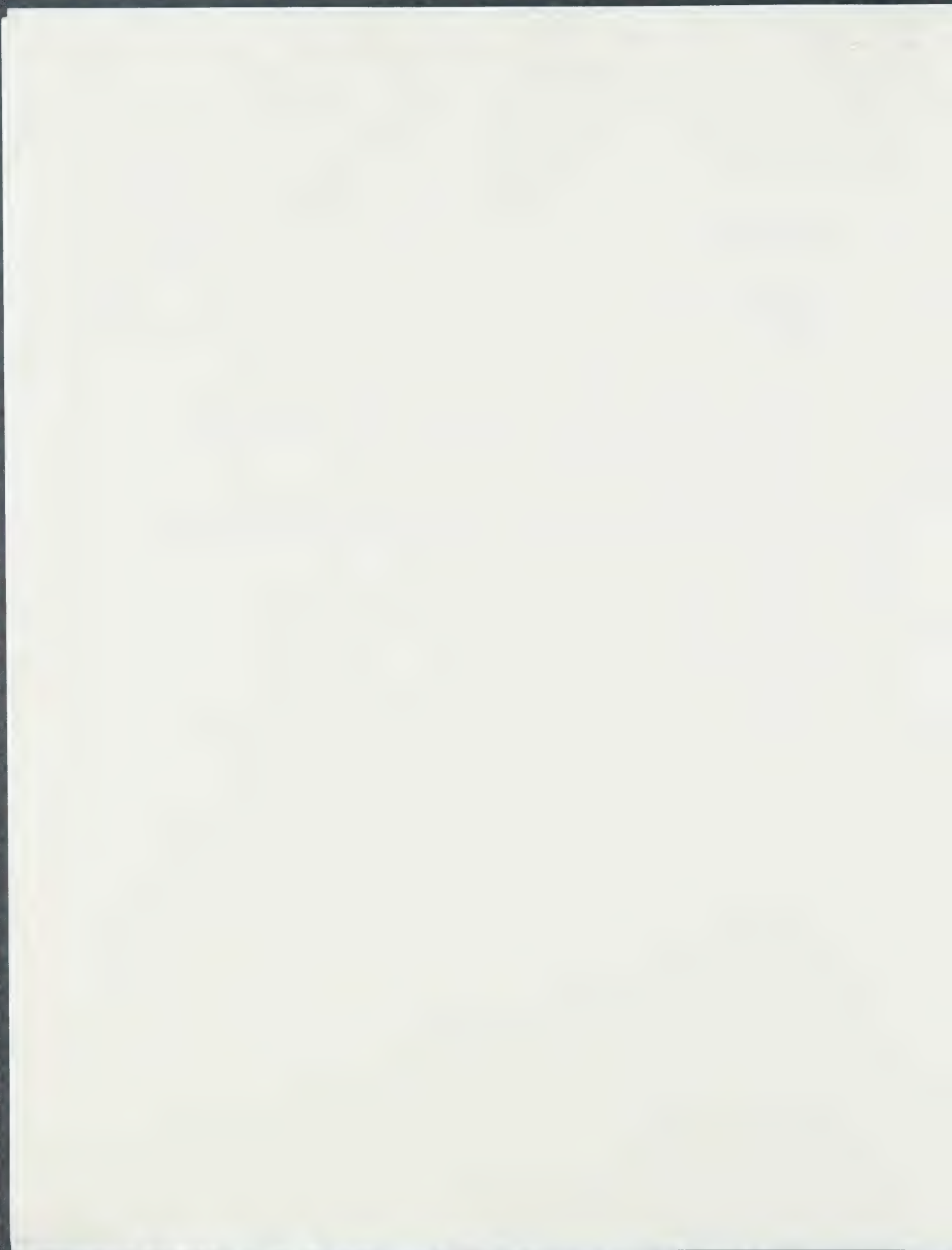
Sincerely,



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cc: Mr. Amir Gissin



From: Tomas Kucera <tom.el@post.cz>
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Dear Alfred,

I was glad that I could hear your voice and your words.

I forgot to tell you that in July was in Journal of Biological Chemistry published my 3-year work form Nashville. Last outcry of my scientific carrier! But it is good that it is out.

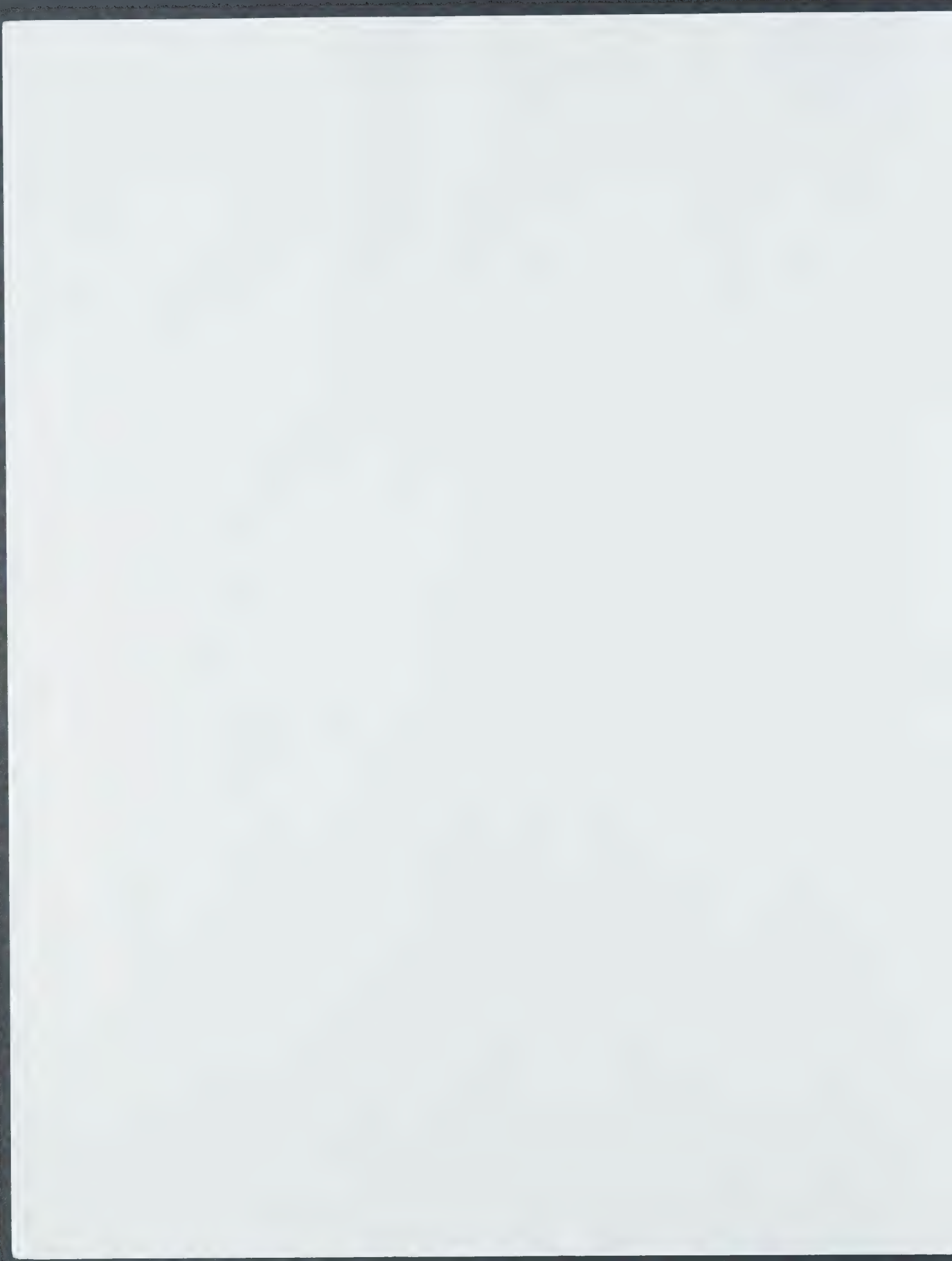
I am also happy that Judy Klitsner is my teacher for Bereshit (in English) and Parashat Hashavua (in Hebrew). I am very glad that for Bereshit studies i can use your gift- Rashi's commentaries. Beyond that I study also the book Shoftim. I enjoy my studies a little more than last year. Evreything is somehow better. Last Shabbat i was invited to Werthans from NASHville and met there Blumfields.

New beginning - new year.

SHANA TOVA UMETUKA,

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12 September 2002

Dear Dr Bader

Thank you very much for your most helpful letter of 16 August. I apologise for this late response: I have been abroad and only recently returned to the UK.

Thank you very much for sending the copy of *Aldrichimica Acta* in which Dudley Williams' article on Ralph Raphael appeared. I am giving the original to Chris Haley for the Departmental Archives and sending a photocopy to Prof. Bob Ramage in case he has not already seen it (he will be speaking on Ralph Raphael and Alan Battersby in Three Centuries of Chemistry at Cambridge). I have also asked *Chemistry In Britain* if they can add this as a final reference and I hope they will be able to do so.

I am pleased to say that the Historical Brochure is all but prepared, and I note that referring to you in connection with your kind sponsorship as Dr and Mrs Alfred Bader will be appropriate.

I believe the Hotel you have in mind is the Lensfield Hotel, where you have stayed before, and we have made a reservation of a room with a large double bed for the three nights of 5th, 6th and 7th December. I believe Jane Snaith has already been in touch with you regarding this booking and you have given the Hotel your credit card details.

If you insist on paying for your own hotel charges, there will be very little for the Department to bear. However, I understand your preference to "pay your own way", and certainly every such contribution helps our budget. The charges for the Friday Symposium are £10 per head for attendance and £5 for the light buffet lunch. The dinner in Downing College is being charged at £60 per head (inclusive of all wines etc) to



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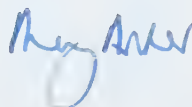
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external attendees, although I think there is an element of subsidy here, and I would suggest that a payment of £40 per head would be appropriate. All the events of Saturday 7th December are free, by courtesy of yourself and other kind sponsors.

Finally, with respect to the portrait of Richard Watson in the Cuban Museum, this nugget of information was dug up by Chris Haley, and I enclose the note he has written about it. As you see, he has been trying hard to locate the portrait, but without success. If you are able to help us track it down through the Cuban Chemical Society, or even better get the Museum to let us have it, that would of course be wonderful. However, as it is a Reynolds, I imagine they will want to hang on to it. But if anyone can get it from Cuba to Cambridge, I am sure you are he.

With kindest regards to you and Isabel.

Yours sincerely



Mary Archer



Reynold's Portrait of Richard Watson

Richard Watson (1737-1816) was the 5th Professor of Chemistry at the University of Cambridge. He was also a distinguished public speaker, political figure, and clergyman. In fact, when in 1773 the chair of divinity became available at Cambridge, he resigned the chair of chemistry in favour of this. He subsequently was appointed Bishop of Llandaff in Wales.

During my research I came across a report of a portrait of Watson by Joshua Reynolds, in a 1932 Sotheby's auction catalogue. The portrait was apparently painted in the 1760s, upon Watson's election to the Royal Society, with Watson paying 75 guineas for its commission. It measures 50 inches x 40 inches, and was previously displayed at the 1867 National Portrait Exhibition and in the 1860 Hanover Exhibition.

The painting is currently listed in D. Mannings' *Sir Joshua Reynolds: A Complete Catalogue of his Paintings* (London: Yale University Press / Paul Mellon Centre for Studies in British Art 2000) as being in the 'National Museum, Havana, Cuba'.

Unfortunately, I have been unable to locate the portrait for certain. I have received no response from the National Museum after two letters and two emails. I have also tried the National Museum of Fine Arts in Havana – again, with no response so far, although I shall keep trying.

CDH 5/9/02



Dear Jane,

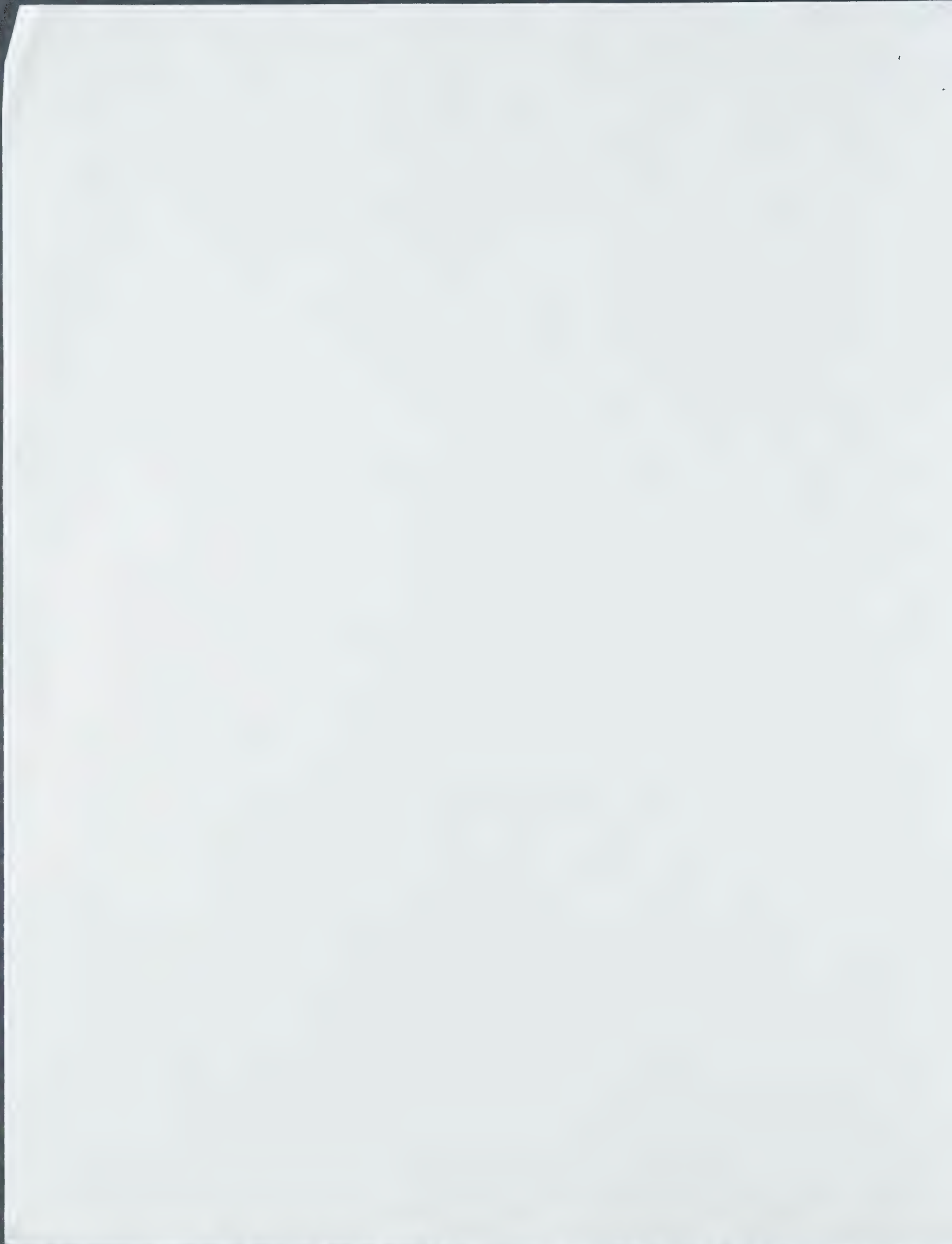
I hope that you know that I always try to answer messages promptly, but only when I receive them.

This morning my very able secretary, Mrs. Ann Zuehlke, came in and handed me two e-mails, yours of August 17th and September 1st, which she had received in her e-mail at her home this weekend.

We have no idea how this came about because you addressed them correctly to baderfa@execpc.com.

Both of course deal with the problems of INAT and I think that discussion can wait until our return to Bexhill on November 1st.

With all best wishes,
Alfred



Subject: Observatory/INAT

Date: Sun, 1 Sep 2002 16:59:27 +0100

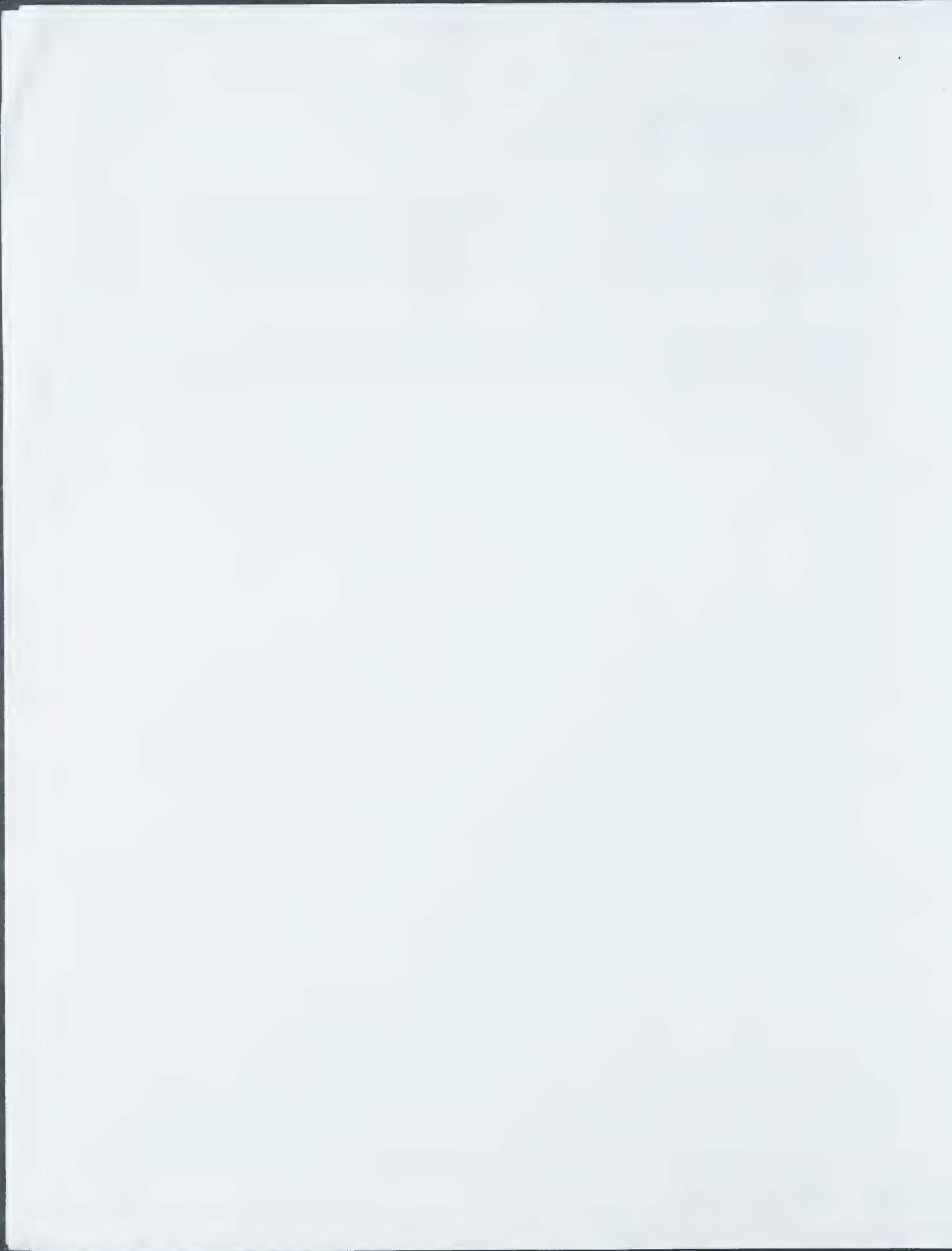
From: "Jane Whistler" <jwhistler@zoom.co.uk>

To: "Alfred Bader" <baderfa@execpc.com>

I hope you got my e-mail over the name confusion. In essence INAT never discussed with Steve Pizzey changing INAT to Observatory Arts Centre, and Steve Pizzey never made clear to INAT that they were known variously as Hmz Science centre at the Observatory, Hmz Sc Centre and The Observatory Science Centre on which basis they were getting their grant-- specifically for reinstating and preserving the telescopes. The Science centre has become the only science centre with a functioning observatory by which it is known to the science community at large. It is, of course, no longer the Royal Greenwich Observatory.

I hope things are going well for you and Isabel and of course it is only two months until you return here. I wonder if by then I will be living in Battle! I have heard nothing more about the progress or not of the lease to INAT or about any money raising potential. I am finding my new work at International Alert fascinating and a great learning curve for me into the workings of a conflict transformation NGO. I'm not sure how it will work out but it is challenging and in a worthwhile cause.

Best wishes to you all Jane



Subject: Observatory Science Centre

Date: Sat, 17 Aug 2002 16:41:20 +0100

From: "Jane Whistler" <jwhistler@zoom.co.uk>

To: "Alfred Bader" <baderfa@execpc.com>

I'm in a bit of a panic with buying and selling houses, arranging mortgages and bridging loans, and also going to France this evening to pick up 2 grandchildren which I had agreed to do some months ago, so I will write briefly before I catch a train and expand when I get back. I finally got hold of Steve Pizzey who was away again after getting back from Turkey.

He reminded me of what I now remember, that they started to call it the Observatory Science Centre, and everyone thought the Ob was opening again and they hardly had money to meet building regs and it took some time to pay to reinstate some of the telescopes and, of course, even then, it was not THE OBSERVATORY of old. they did the art work but then decided they must emphasise the science centre to begin with so gave it the name hmz sc centre but the observatory remained in its logo.

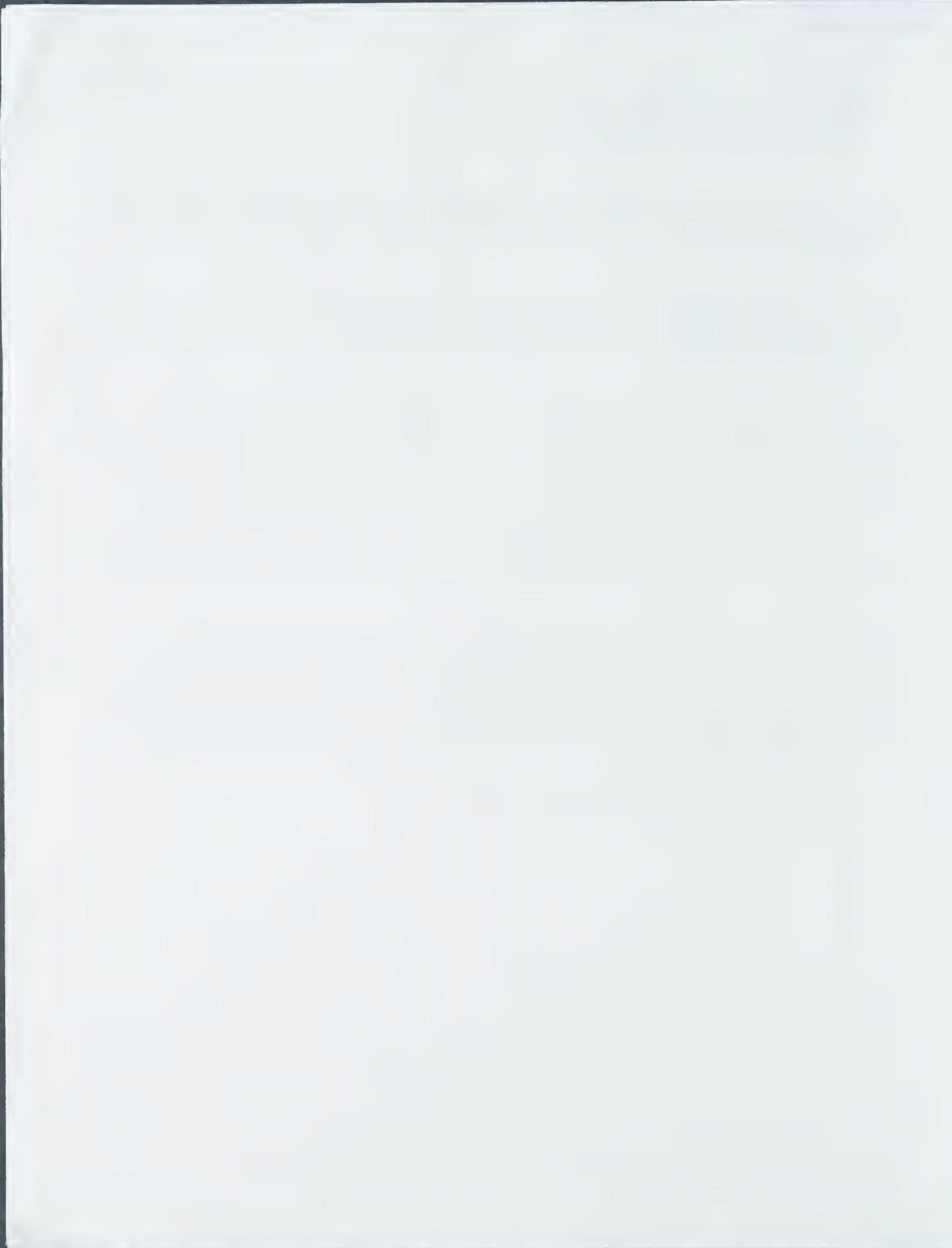
The INAT started and the sc centre was happy with the name but then suddenly it was changed to the Ob arts centre without discussion. From the sc centre point of view they were in the equatorial ob buildings, the hub of the ob and we were in the IN building a later addition to the Ob. Then suddenly there was an article in the telegraph, which caused them a lot of embarrassment as they had many calls asking if they were shut or had been taken over, then they had publicity about failing to get their grant which caused a lot of confusion and distress just as their successful grant was coming through. Bad timing, bad publicity and we had not discussed with them using OBSERVATORY which they were generally known as nationally. They reverted to their original name which had always been used colloquially and by them selves and no longer was confused with the Gweenwich Ob as they were well established. They would have objected if we had told them we were changing from the Isaac Newton to the Ob and by not doing so they suffered damage. Perhaps both have a right to complain as there was lack of communication but perhaps Stephen Phillips knew what he was doing as Steve thought it was understood that his group of buildings were known as the Ob.

Perhaps more imp I am concerned that if Stephen Phillips gets the lease for the INAT no one will be able to do anything with it as S Phillips will have no money and S Pizzey and Queen's will no longer have rights. Then for 50 years or until it fell down it could stagnate. Even if S Pizzey were able to add it to his current lease he thinks it would need \$500,000 to make it a viable proposition and he couldn't start up the same way as the Sc Centre as he has to keep his eye on the main ball where most of his profits currently go, on improving the Science centre. If something is going to happen, then perhaps more imp than we think is getting it away from the current trust, unless of course they get a grant and S Phillips can pullit off from France. I now feel anxiety about the lease and hope I am not being paranoid. I wonder what all of you think.

I'll be back on 27/8/02 and we can communicate more then

Best wishes and love to you both

Jane





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September 24, 2002

Dr. Alfred Bader
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Dear Dr. Bader:

Thank you for your letter expressing your thoughts regarding denied boarding of passenger Rabbi Michael Melchoir on one of flights from Cincinnati to Toronto.

Comair is one of our Delta Connection partners, and is also a wholly owned subsidiary of Delta. Comair, however, operates as a separate company. Since the circumstances you described involve Comair's operations, your letter has been forwarded to our partner for review. I am sure that Comair's customer relations manager will ensure that the appropriate person receives a copy of your letter.

Thank you for writing. We will always welcome an opportunity to be of service.

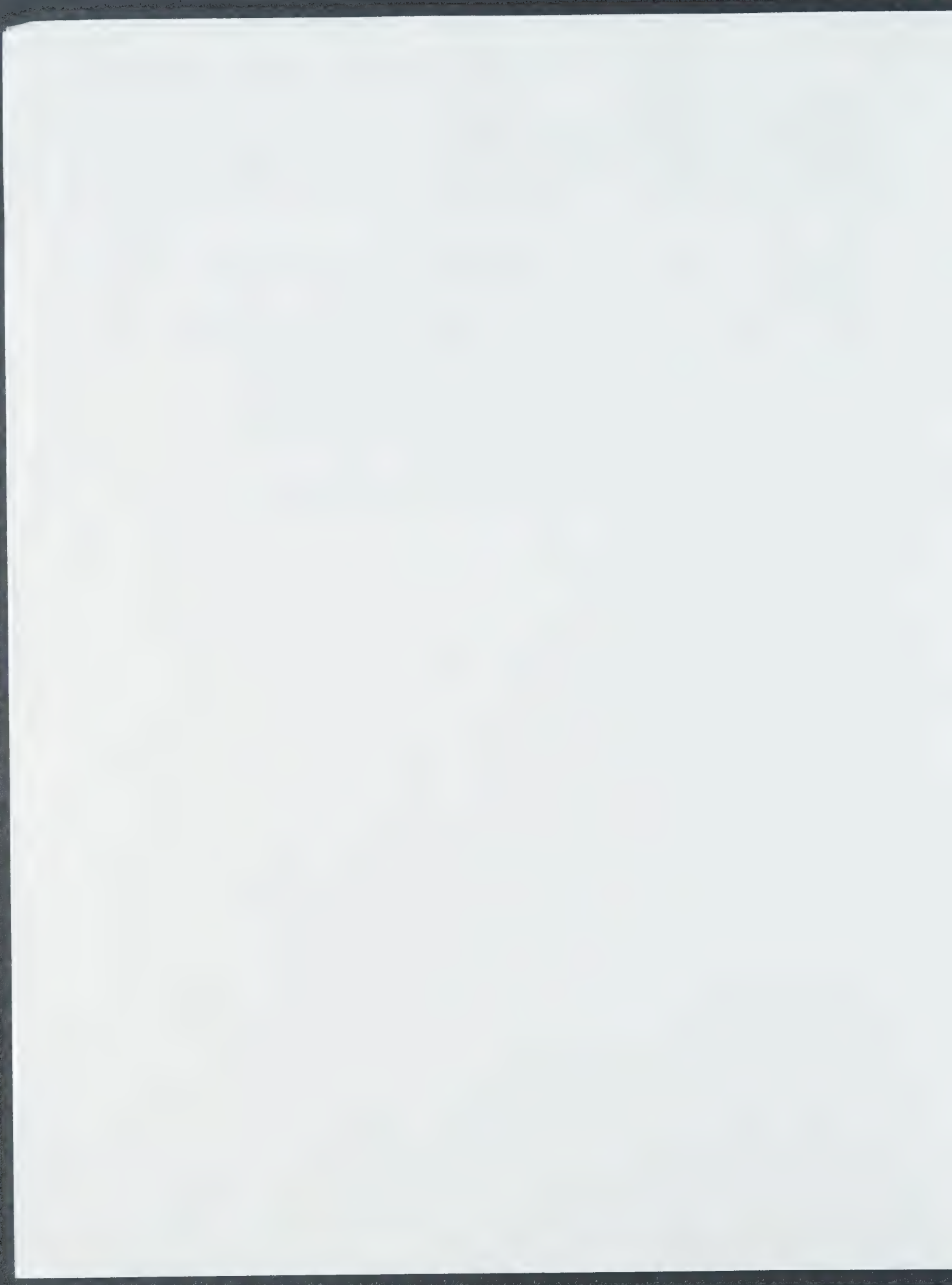
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Mr. Hans de Gier
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*He possessed the Master IS,
because of the darkness
of the old woman's face.
He just could not get over
this point. We'll talk
tomorrow ->*

*Alfred what's the name
of this book?
[Signature]*

Dear Mr. de Gier.

Please accept my sincere thanks for sending me the most interesting book on art dealing in Holland during the war.

I found parts of the book most interesting and disturbing, particularly pp 48 and 350-355 which deal with the actions of Han Jungeling.

I first visited his gallery in the Nordeinde purely by chance, I believe in 1952, and he treated me most kindly. Over the years he sold me a great many paintings, among them some of the best in my collection. After his death his widow, Saskia, continued to sell us paintings. He must have known from my very first visit that I am a Jew and yet he treated me most thoughtfully. Naturally I had no idea that he was such a convinced Nazi and acted so horribly during the war. Did he change fundamentally or am I just such a poor judge of character? I wish I knew.

Luckily, for most paintings I purchased from him I know of the source, usually small auctions in London or Amsterdam where he purchased these paintings after the war.

I wish I knew how to say thank you. Do you have the catalogue entitled *The Bible Through Dutch Eyes*? This has become quite rare but I have an extra copy in England which I could bring to your office.

Our mutual friend, Dr. Otto Naumann, and I will be in London during the old master sales. Might there be a chance of seeing your collection?

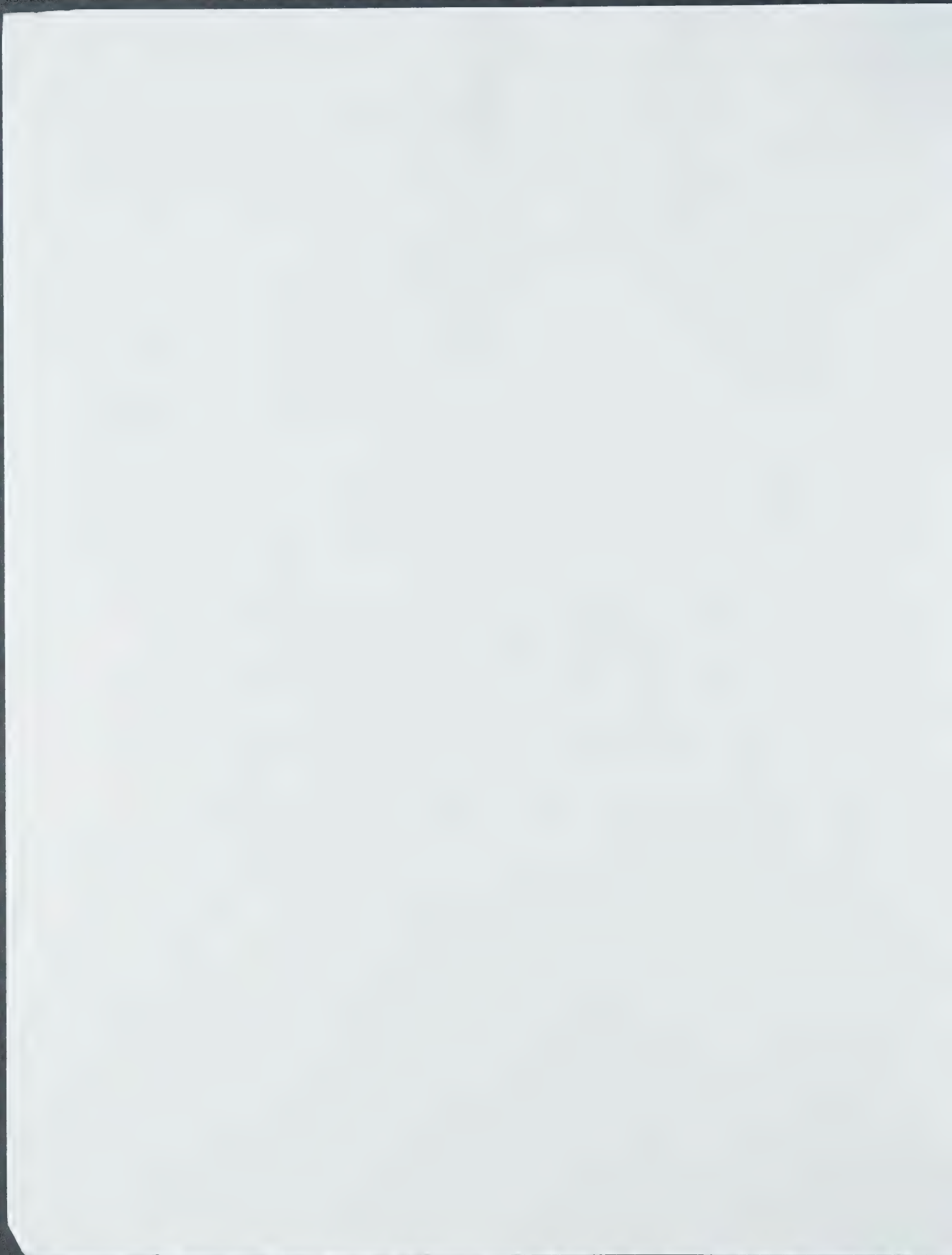
Again, with many thanks and with best regards, I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader

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c: Dr. Otto Naumann by fax

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September 25, 2002

Dear Dr. Bader -

At the opening of the expanded Agnes Fotherington Art Centre, you said how much you admired Jean Roque - and you made my day by saying that my smile reminded you of her!

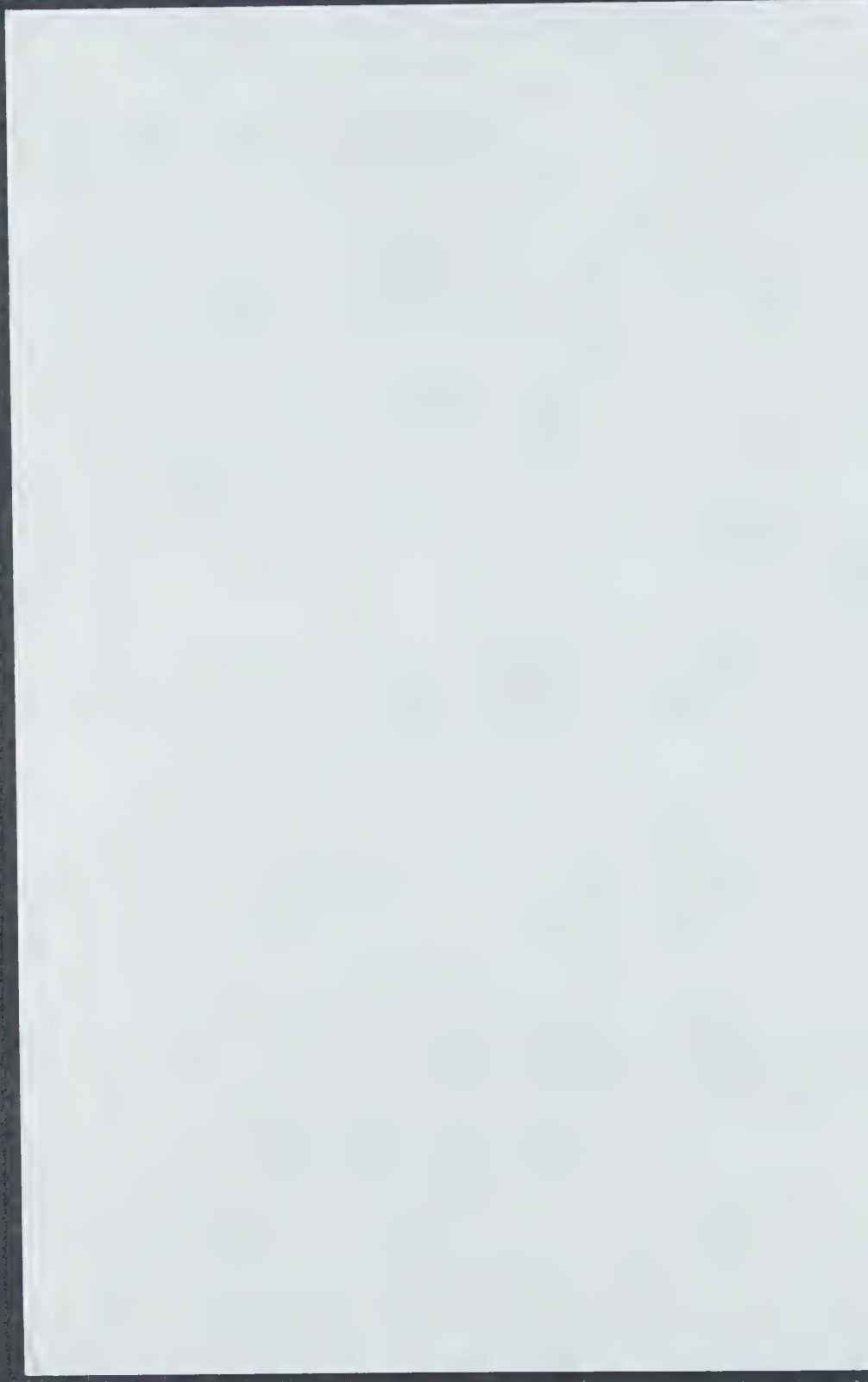
I hope the article in last Saturday's Whig Standard will bring back more happy memories of a lovely lady.

Sincerely

Freda (Campbell) Foote

October 4 -

Sorry for the delay - it took me some time to catch up with David & Walt to get your address.



Alfred Bader

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Dear Professor Kocovsky,

I appreciate your e-mail of today more than I can tell you. I am really deeply concerned that there is a very good chance that the people in Brno will not find a Loschmidt Chair.

I know that they have contacted one or two of the people which you suggested and they would not move from Prague to Brno.

I don't think that calling the chair "Professor of Physical Organic Chemistry" is much of a handicap; I think that most any really good organic chemist could be called a physical organic chemist and it would certainly have my approval.

May I ask you for a very great favor? Could you please re-send your e-mail exactly as you sent it, but leaving out problem (5), that there is a lot of dead wood in Brno. If you could re-send it to me with that paragraph out, I would then simply forward your new e-mail to Brno without being hurtful, and of course stating that these important suggestions come from you.

With many thanks for your help and with best personal regards I remain

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader

pavelk@chem.gla.ac.uk wrote:

Dear Dr. Bader,

Thank you for your prompt response. We shall be looking forward for your visit in June-July.

Regarding the Joseph Loschmidt chair. There are several problems associated with this:

- (1) The best chemists live in Prague and are unlikely to move unless the offer is extraordinarily attractive.
- (2) Salary-wise, I do not think this will be much beyond the standard, which considerably reduces the incentive for a potential candidate to move.
- (3) Brno has similar housing problems as Prague. If the candidate were offered a decent house in Brno as part of the package, he/she would certainly consider it seriously, since most of them probably live in the usual one- or two-bedroom apartments in a real estate in Prague (those who live better, would never move from Prague). Note that this was my main incentive to leave the Czech Republic.
- (4) Prague infrastructure is better developed and some people, who work in the Academy of Science, may also teach either at Prague universities or in Pardubice, which is still regarded as an acceptable distance for commuting.
- (5) There is a lot of dead wood in Brno and the candidate would have to be given a free hand to replace the inactive faculty with enthusiastic youngsters.
- (6) The limitation to physical organic chemistry disqualifies synthetic organic chemists, who are more abundant.
- (7) Czechs are not used to the idea of relocation to the extent the British and Americans people are.

Of those within the acceptable age range and with sufficient experience in the areas that can be dressed up as physical organic (or mechanistic), I list a few names, although none of them would be a typical physical organic chemist:

Dr. Petr Holy, Inst. of Org. Chem. and Biochem., Acad. Sci., Prague (aged ca. 53), supramolecular chemistry (spent some time with J.-M. Lehn, I think). Might be too old for relocation but certainly worth approaching.

Dr. Martin Belohradsky, Inst. of Org. Chem. and Biochem., Acad. Sci., Prague (aged ca. 43), supramolecular chemistry (spent several years with Fraser Stoddard). Might relocate if the offer is really good.

Dr. Martin Smrcina, currently at Aventis, Tucson, Arizona (42 years of age), the 2nd winner of the Bader Award (1995); was a postdoc at Cornell and at Cancer Research Inst, Bethesda. He is now involved in synthesizing libraries and in other combinatorial stuff but when he was a lecturer (assistant professor) at Charles University, Prague, he was fairly mechanistic. Would be keen to teach again but would move only if the offer is most competitive. Would be a very energetic organizer if given the chance.

Dr. Ivo Stary, Inst. of Org. Chem. and Biochem., Acad. Sci., Prague (aged 42), the very 1st winner of the Bader award (1994). Research into the synthesis of helicenes (recently a pretty good paper in JACS), spent 1 year in Geneva (with Kundig), and 1/2 year in Glasgow (with me); teaching reaction mechanisms at Charles University. Best Czech organic chemist of his generation. His wife Irena (postdoc with Oppolzer) is his coworker (like the Curies or Coris husband-and-wife team) and would have to be offered a senior faculty position at the same place. Ivo would probably be the best candidate but they are very unlikely to relocate.

Dr. Stepan Vyskocil, a lecturer (assistant professor) at Charles University, Prague, currently at Scripps (aged 32), research into chiral ligands and asymmetric catalysis, including molecular modeling, currently doing total synthesis with KC Nicolaou. His wife is from Moravia, so he might consider a relocation. He is the youngest of this list but has a bright future; will be available in two-year's time. He has not yet won the Bader award but I expect him to win it in the near future.

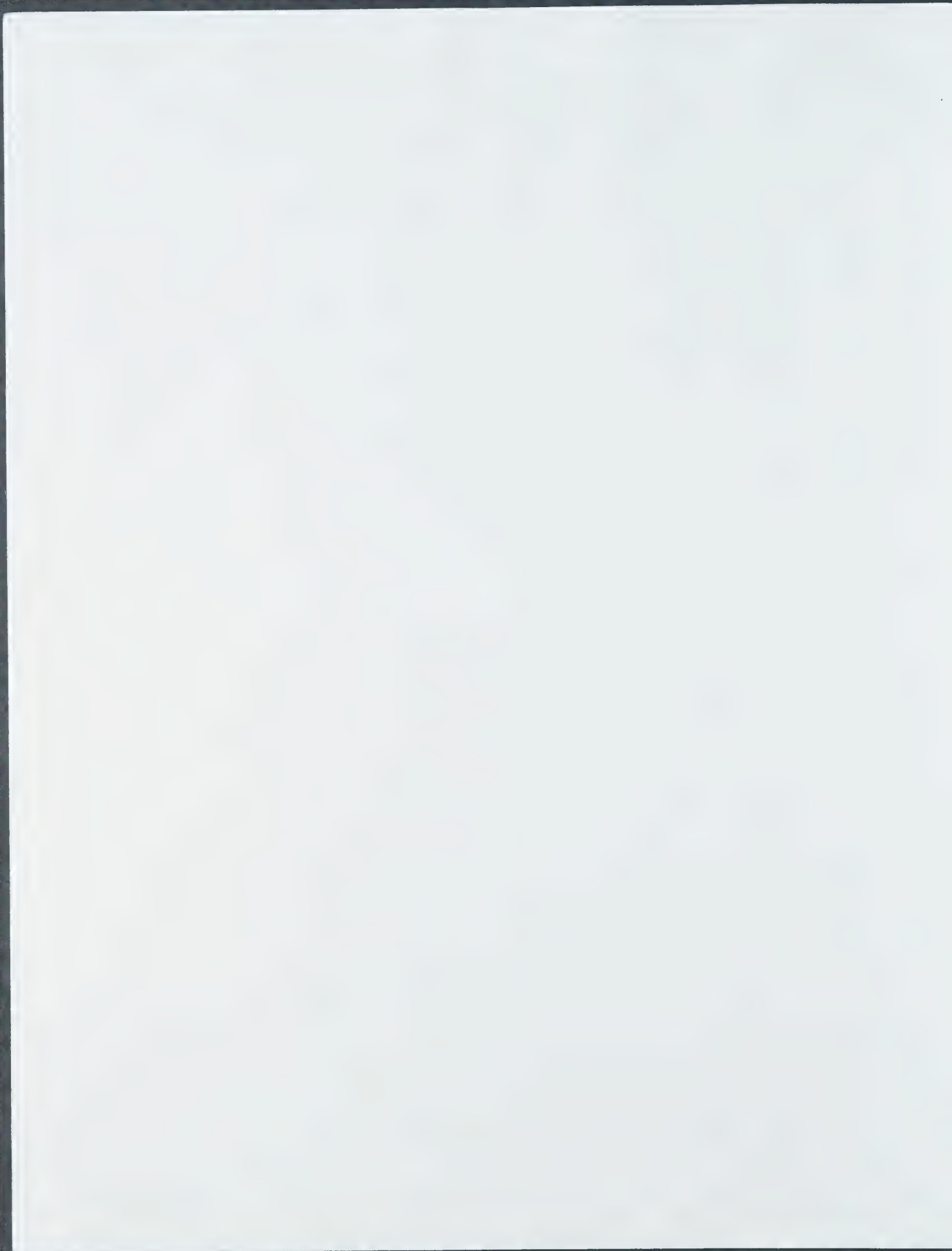
Dr. Pavel Lhotak, associate professor at the Technical University, Prague (aged 39), research into calixarenes, spent 2 years in Japan. Winner of Bader award. I know nothing about his movability.

Dr. Martin Kotora, associate professor at Charles University, Prague, organometallics, chiral ligands, was a postdoc with Takahashi, then with Negishi, then associate professor in Sapporo (when Takahashi got a chair there). Japanese wife. Relocation questionable (his wife may not be keen). Would be a very energetic organizer if given the chance.

Dr. Milan Pour, associate professor at the Department of Pharmacy, Charles University, Hradec Kralove (aged 36), research into the application of organometallic chemistry in the synthesis of medicinal drugs, QSAR, etc; postdoc with Negishi. Ambitious, revitalized the Department, may relocate if offered a chair and a good package.

Dr. Stanislav Bohm, associate professor at Technical University, Prague, aged ca. 53, quantum chemist.

Dr. Martin Putala, associate professor in Bratislava, aged ca. 35, research into chiral ligands, asymmetric catalysis, etc. May relocate to a chair.



Anyway, I though this chair was to be offered to Dr. Koca (a local candidate).

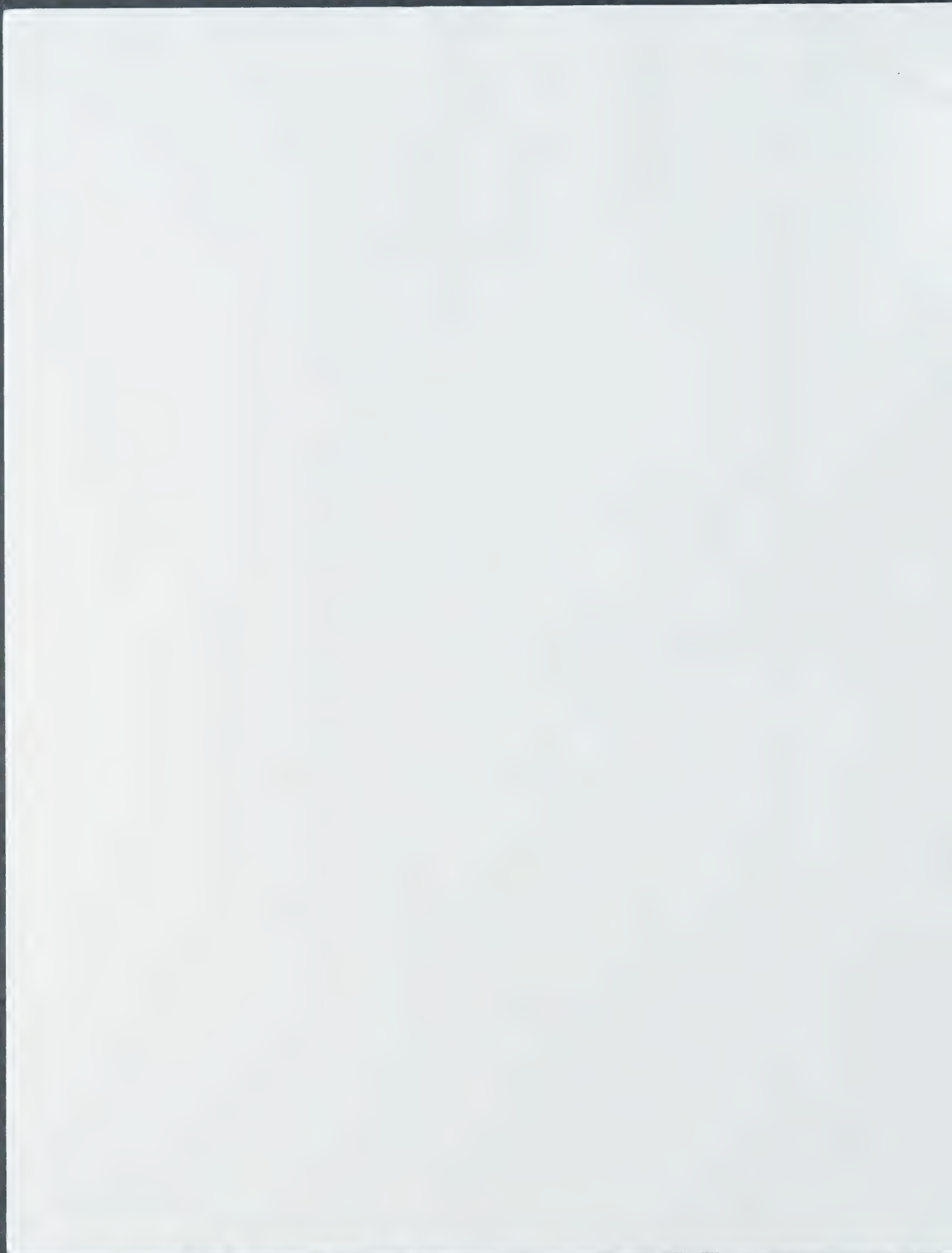
I believe the Brno people need to take a ore proactive approach and be more aggressive in head hunting. May also look to the candidates from the former Soviet Union (any Russian or Ukranian would be happy to move) and Poland in view of the linguistic similarity (note that there are quite a few catholic priests who relocated from Poland to the Czech Republic). Austrians and Hungarians would be unlikely. If the Brno people were willing to consider foreigners, I might have a few names. However, I fear this idea would be too unorthodox for them.

I hope this account will be of some use.

Best regards,

Pavel Kocovsky

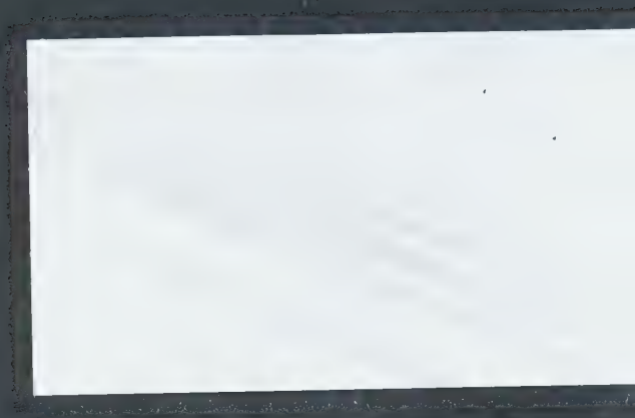
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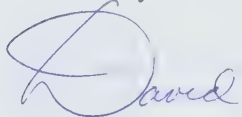
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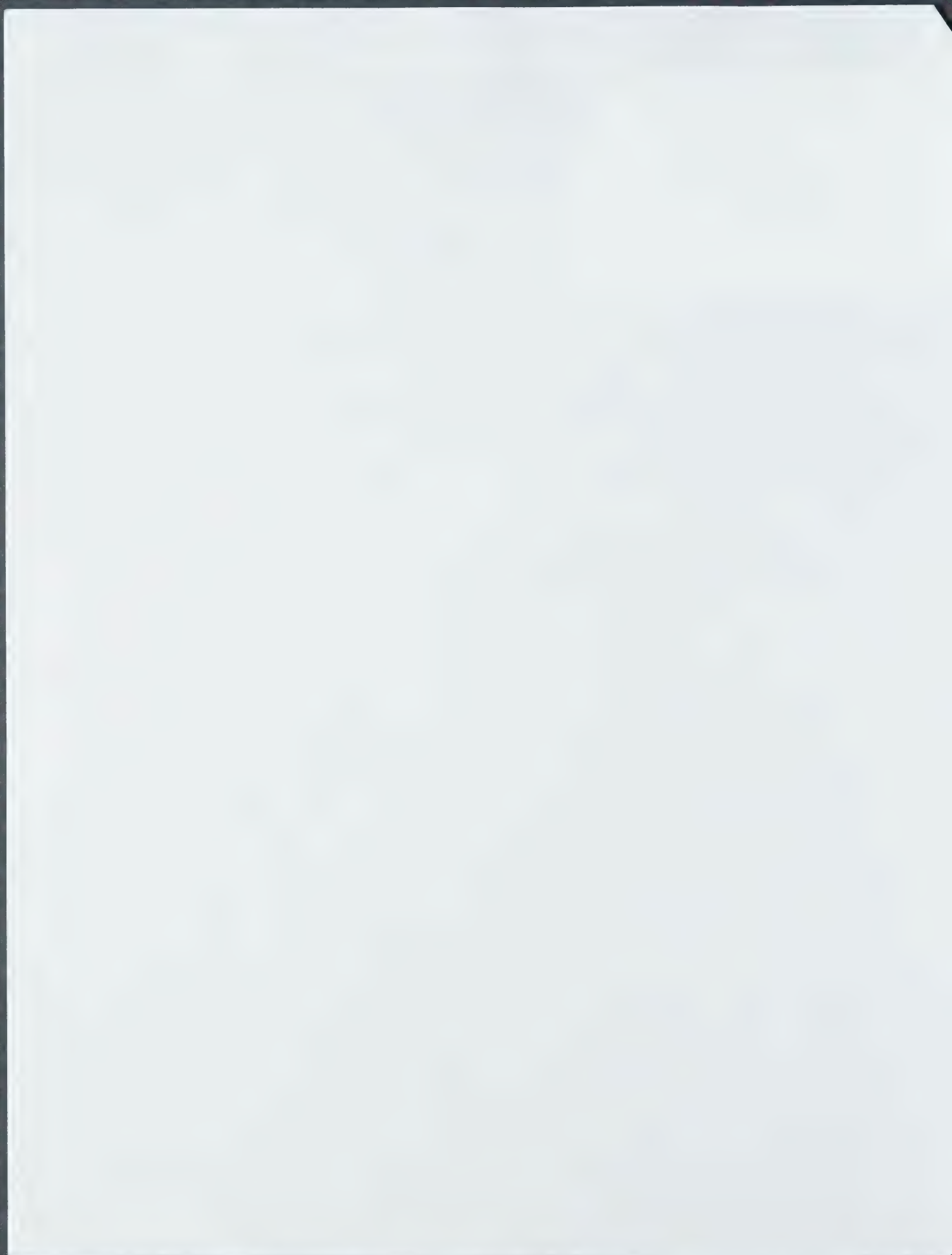
I want you to know in advance that I will be on vacation from Wednesday, October 2nd through Friday, October 11th. In my absence, your contacts can be directed to my associate, Andrea Wiederholt, who recently joined our team. While at the moment not licensed to handle transactional orders, she is the "go-to" person to get immediate and complete attention.

I look forward to talking after mid-month.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David". The signature is stylized and cursive.

David D. LaCroix
Vice President



Subject: Re: Ellen Bernt
From: Wilhelm Schwaeble <ws5@leicester.ac.uk>
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Dear Dr. Bader,

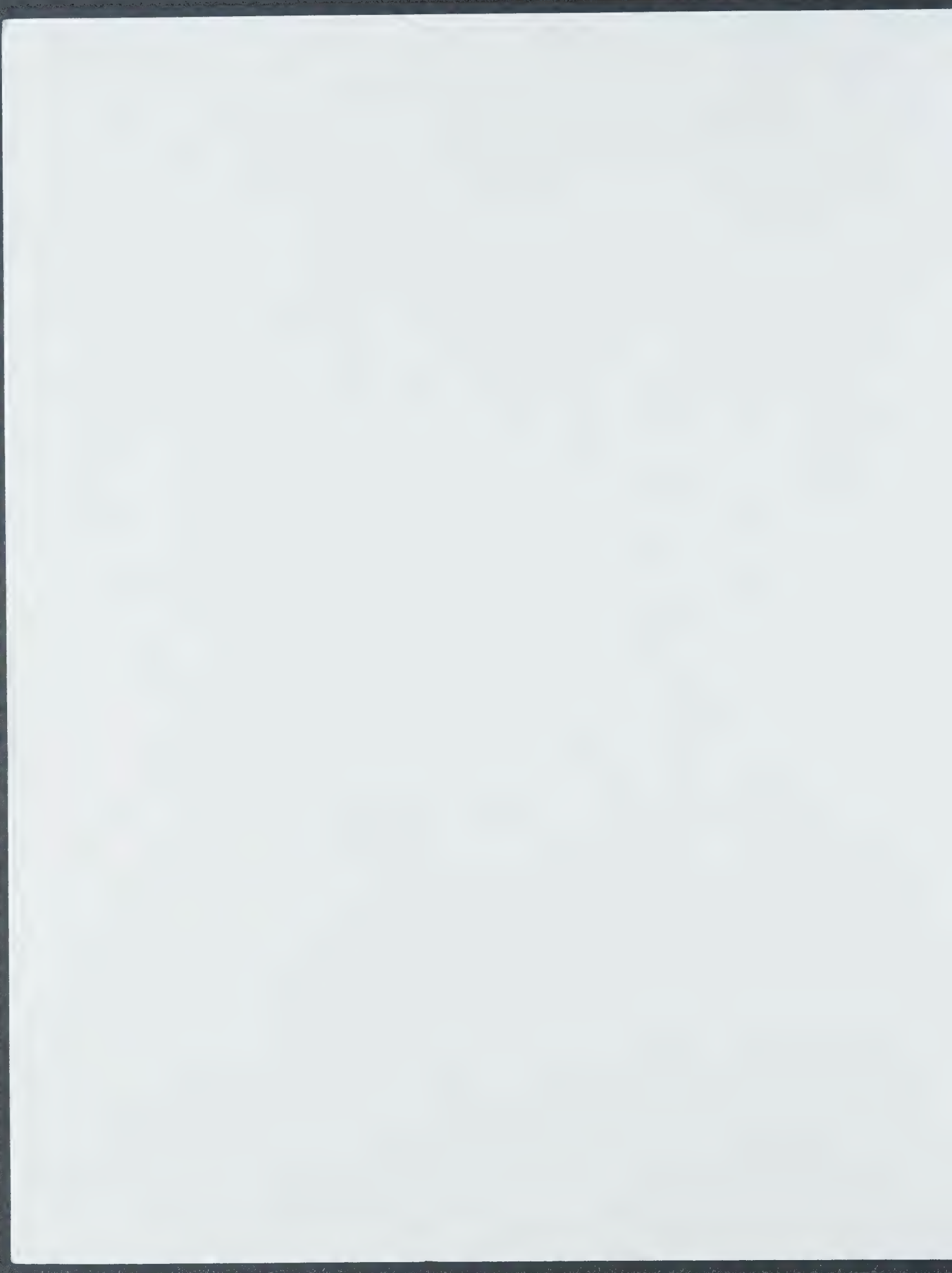
I just want to let you know that I am going to meet Isebill Gangkofner to get her suggestions for your very sympathetic draft for ELLEN Bernt's obituary. The funeral will take place on the 8th of OCTOBER. I will contact you soon about perhaps some small modifications of your draft according to the daughter's suggestions. I thank you very much for your kind attention and send you my best wishes from England.

Yours

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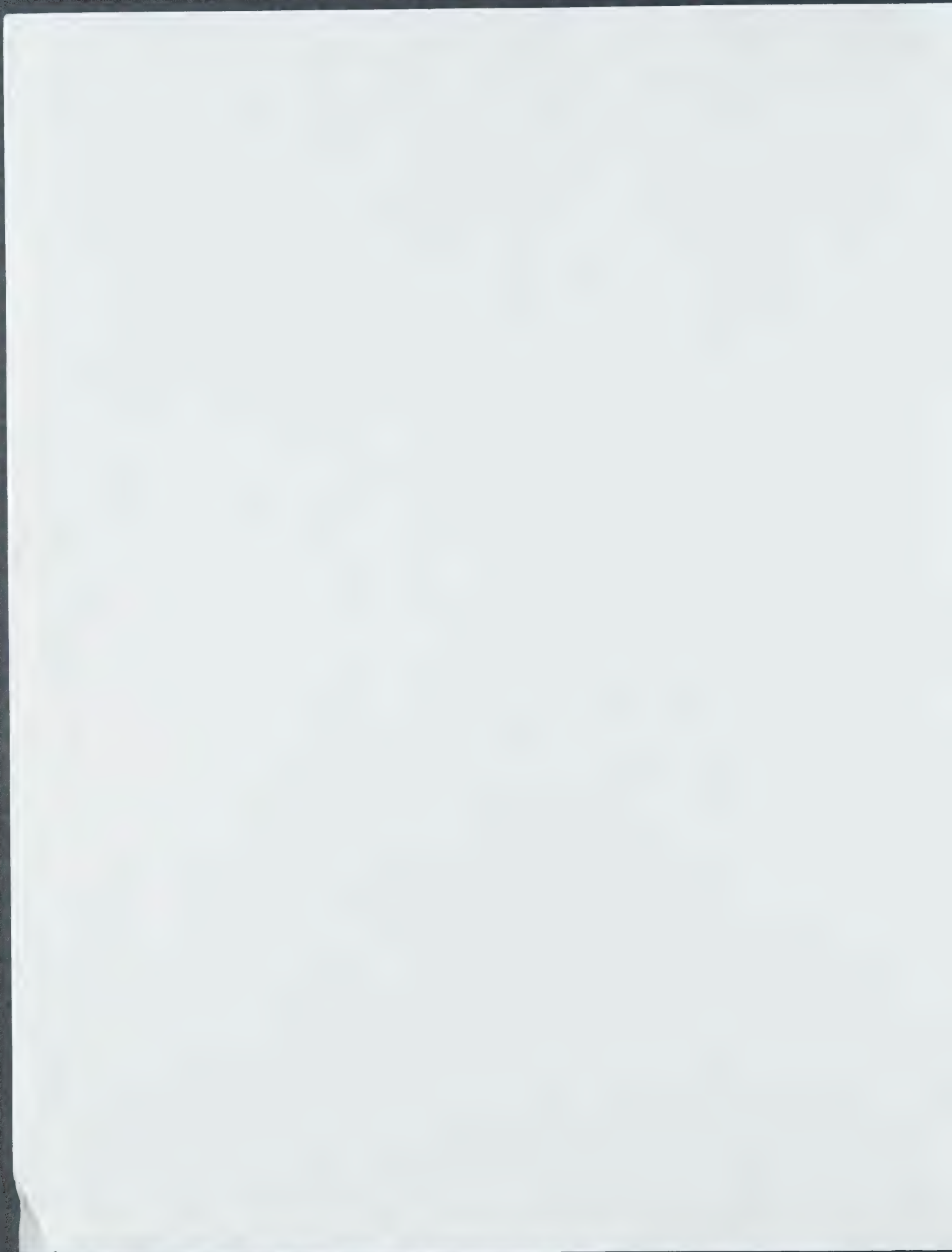
Thank you for your e-mail of August 8th regarding the synagogue in London's east end.

As you will be able to imagine, we receive many requests for help and feel that it is more important to try and help people than buildings, even when these are as obviously interesting as east end London synagogues.

Please don't mind that I am so slow in responding, but we have been traveling a good deal.

With all good wishes I am

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader



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October 1, 2002

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Dear Dr. Eisele,

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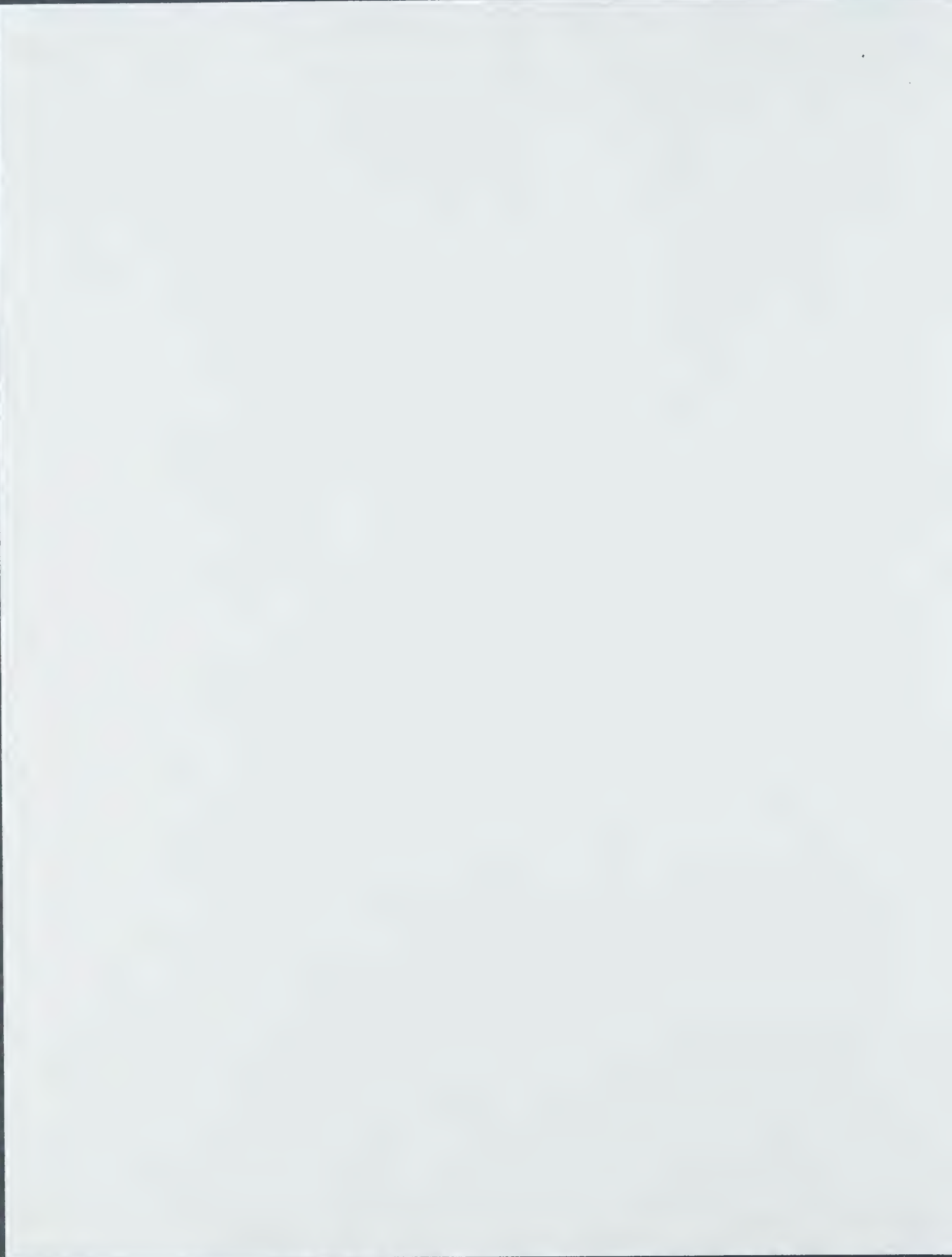
Thank you so much for your four page letter of September 17th.

In a way I feel guilty writing to you because you answer with such long, informative and amusing letters that I fear that this must take a good deal of your time which might well be spent better as a banker and an art historian.

Your story of that billionaire coming into a gallery and offering to take 13 paintings at half the price reminds me of an acquaintance, a collector of drawings and paintings, Dr. Hans Berto Korsten. He has often told me that he has visited this or that old master gallery and offered to buy many a work at half the price. And, to my surprise, the gallery owner accepted. I have never had such an offer made to me and I could not accept because my markup is not that high.

Sometime when you have a little time look at my website, www.alfredbader.com, and you will see what a very non-elitist gallery I have. There are quite a few inexpensive paintings and very few expensive ones. simply because I could not sell expensive paintings in Milwaukee. I do work closely with three able dealers, Dr. Otto Naumann in New York and Clovis Whitfield and Philip Mould in London and they are able to sell high priced works.

The story on the collection Deyhle is most instructive. Luckily I own all of my paintings outright and do not owe anything to anybody. Of course I wear two hats. One as a dealer and the second as a collector. But for my collection I only buy three or four paintings a year and the entire collection will eventually go to my university, Queen's University.



The auction in London, at Sotheby's, on the evening of July 10th was the most interesting that I have ever attended. There were two genuine Rubens and one genuine Rembrandt.

Dr. Naumann and I figured that the Rubens from Vienna would go very high and so we agreed with Mr. Noortman to bid together, and I was sitting next to Mr. Noortman in the first row. We had agreed to go to £33 million and when the bid went to £34 million Mr. Noortman turned to me and asked whether we should go one more to which I assented. But I believe that The Getty, bidding through Richard Fiegen, went to £42 million and then there was an unidentified phone bidder and then a book dealer who purchased the painting for Lord Thompson's son at a hammer price of £45 million.

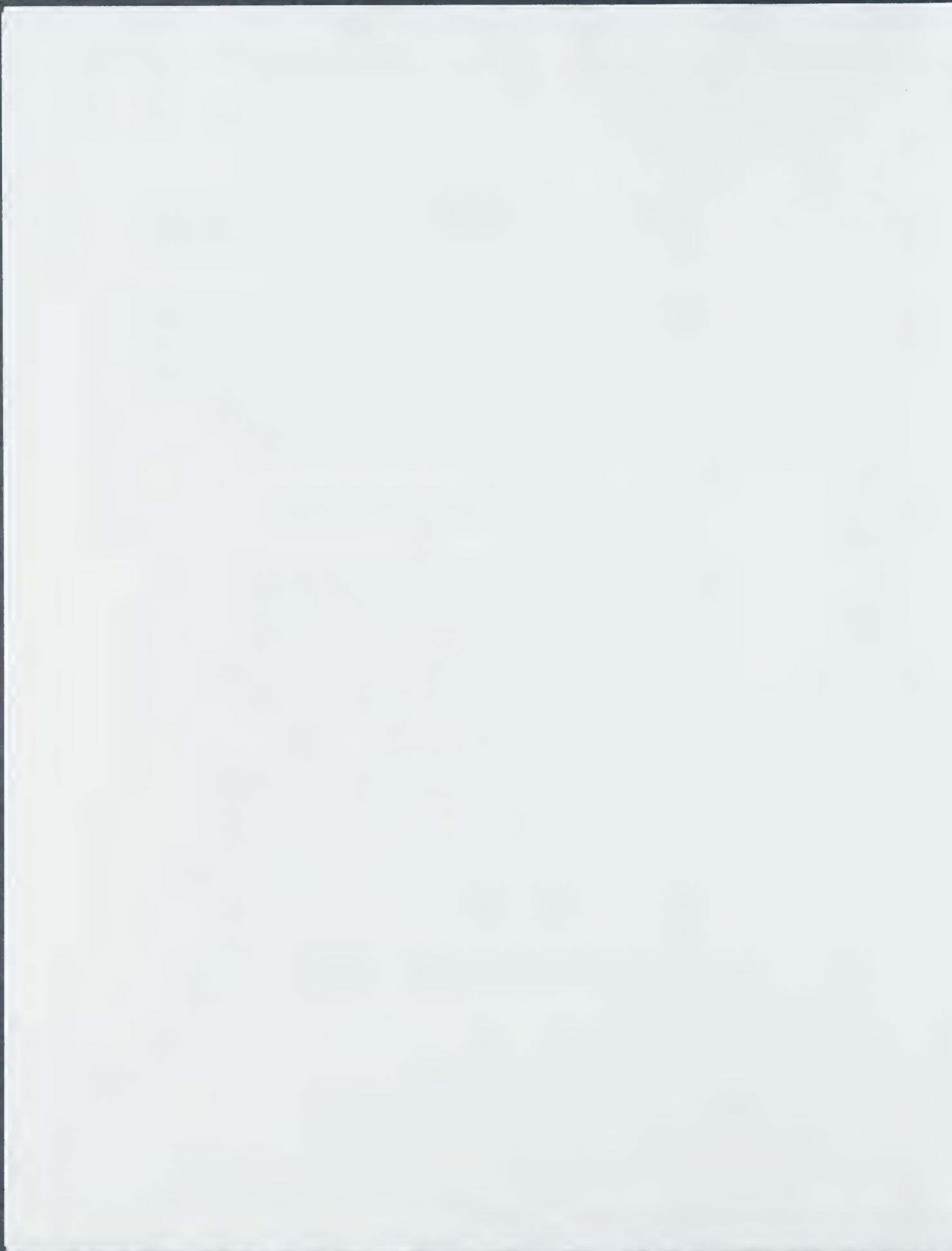
I just don't think that we could have sold it at a profit after buying it so expensively, but in a way that might well have helped us.

Last year I purchased from a Japanese owner the last great historical Rembrandt that is ever likely to come on the market. My good friend, Dr. Otto Naumann, showed it in Maastricht and is now trying very hard to sell it. The enclosed article from the latest *Art & Auction* will be self-explanatory. All the key people would love to have that work for their museum and the key question is whether they can raise the money. Of course there are bound to be some people who will say that the museum should buy that painting, to prove that Houston is still strong even after ENRON.

Well, we'll see what happens by the end of the year. But of course, as I did not have to borrow any money to buy the painting and it is obviously a wonderful Rembrandt, Dr. Naumann and I can afford to be patient.

You mentioned in your letter that you know several billionaires near you. If Houston decides not to acquire the Rembrandt and you might be able to introduce Dr. Naumann to a buyer, then I am sure that Dr. Naumann would agree to pay you a 10% commission.

To tell you a bit more about the painting, I enclose an essay written by Professor Volker Manuth as well as Professor Sumowski's letter about the painting.

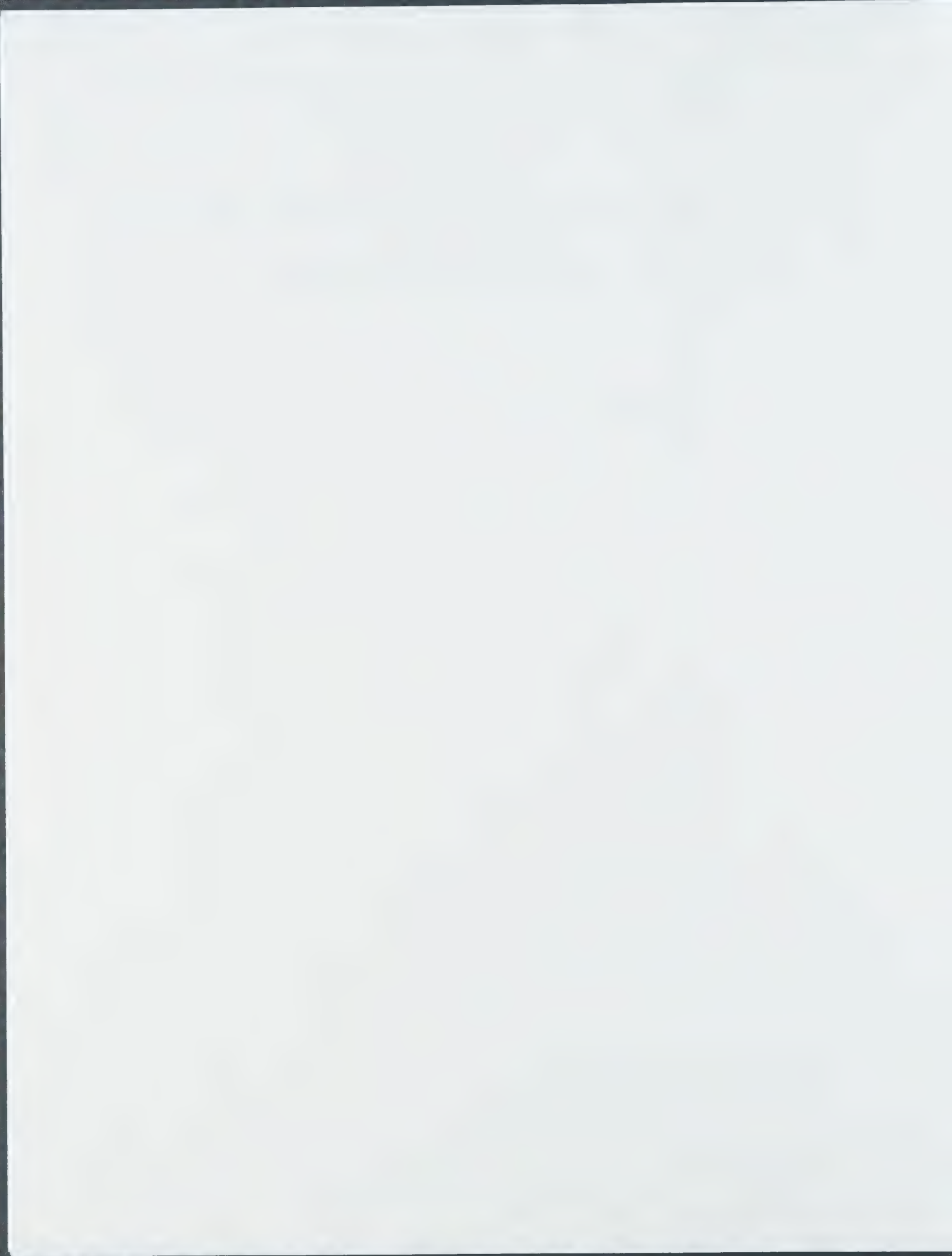


In response to your question about a video, we do have a VCR and would very much like to look at that film.

With best personal regards from house to house I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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04 October 2002

Dear Alfred and Isabel Bader,

We are looking forward to meeting with you again this year regardless of whether you might decide to make an additional gift to our work. You have already made an extremely generous gesture in thanks for the help that you and others received from Friends a long time ago and we appreciate that greatly. It was also a personal pleasure for me to get to know you and to feel that the book I wrote is now helping other refugees.

If you would like to consider making another grant, we are happy to discuss it at that time. Liz Cafferty and I have included some information on our work in Uganda, which you expressed interest during your last visit, some journal letters written by our Observers in the Middle East, and a letter from Liz to give you more information about the projects that your donation has supported.

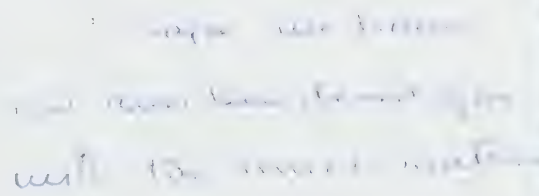
So as not to feel rushed at our next meeting on 15th November would it be possible to gather from about 2:00 – 3:00 PM? If you are interested in hearing more about the Uganda work, I am happy to ask the Africa Programme Manager, Martin Wilkinson, to join us.

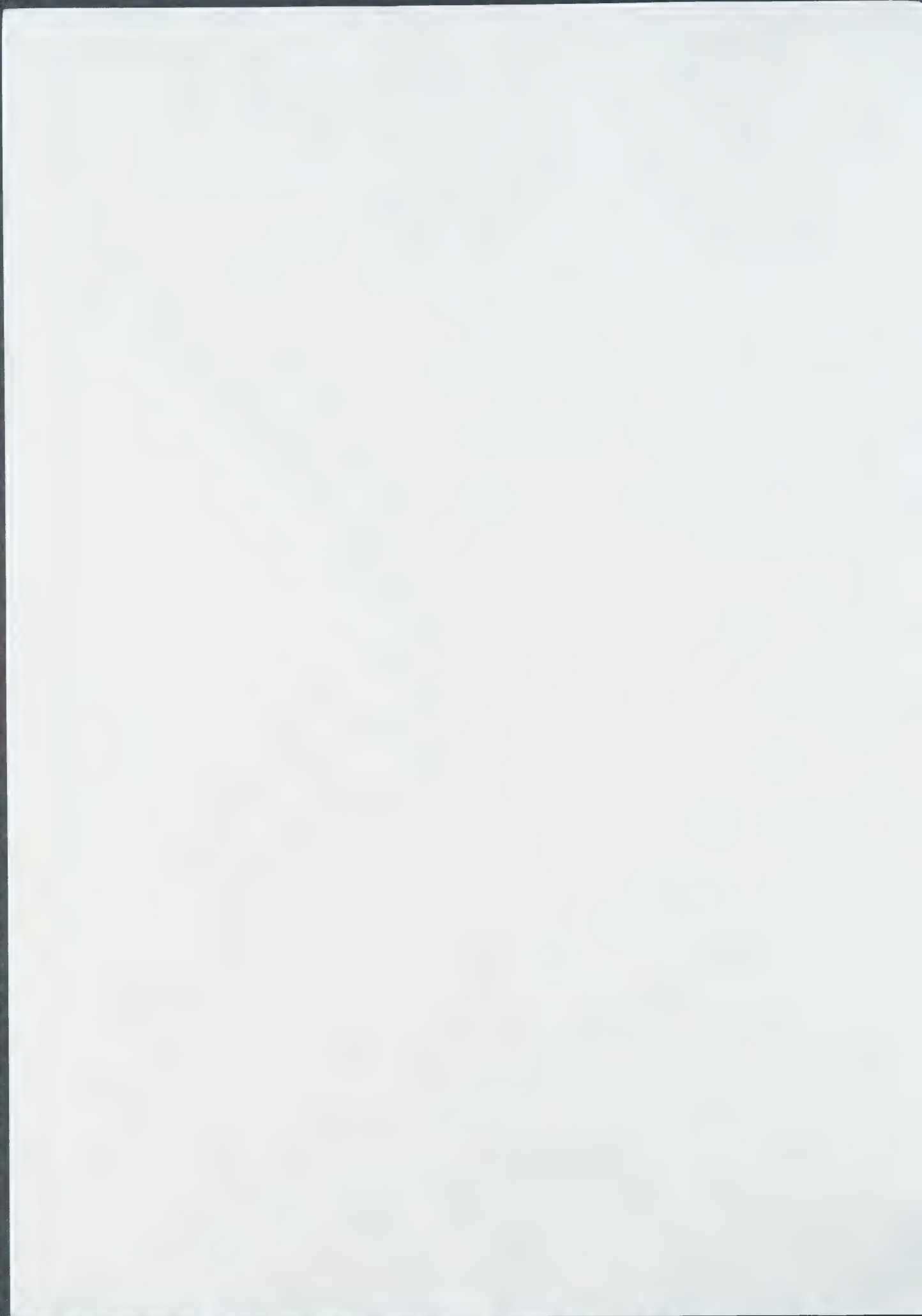
I hope that you both continue in good health as I do.

Sincerely,



Brenda Bailey







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A Chemist Helping Chemists

October 9, 2002

TO: Roy Eddleman

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FAX #: 310/476-6060

Dear Roy,

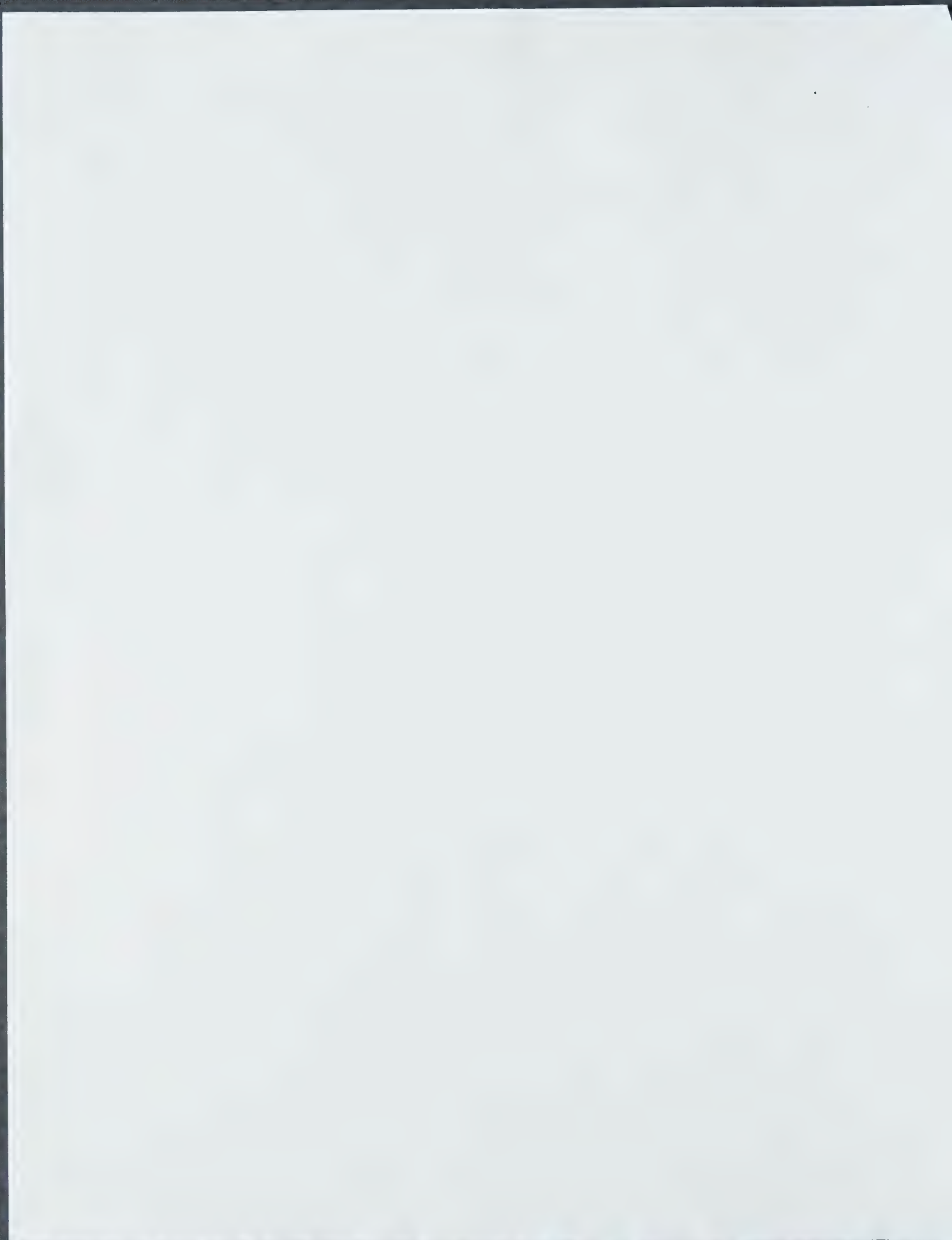
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Burg (he is the Chairman of Spectrum Chemicals) visited us at home on Sunday afternoon and then in the gallery on Monday.

They came here to obtain some business advice about their chemical company. I casually asked them about their argument with you, and they replied simply that this had been settled to everybody's satisfaction.

With best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

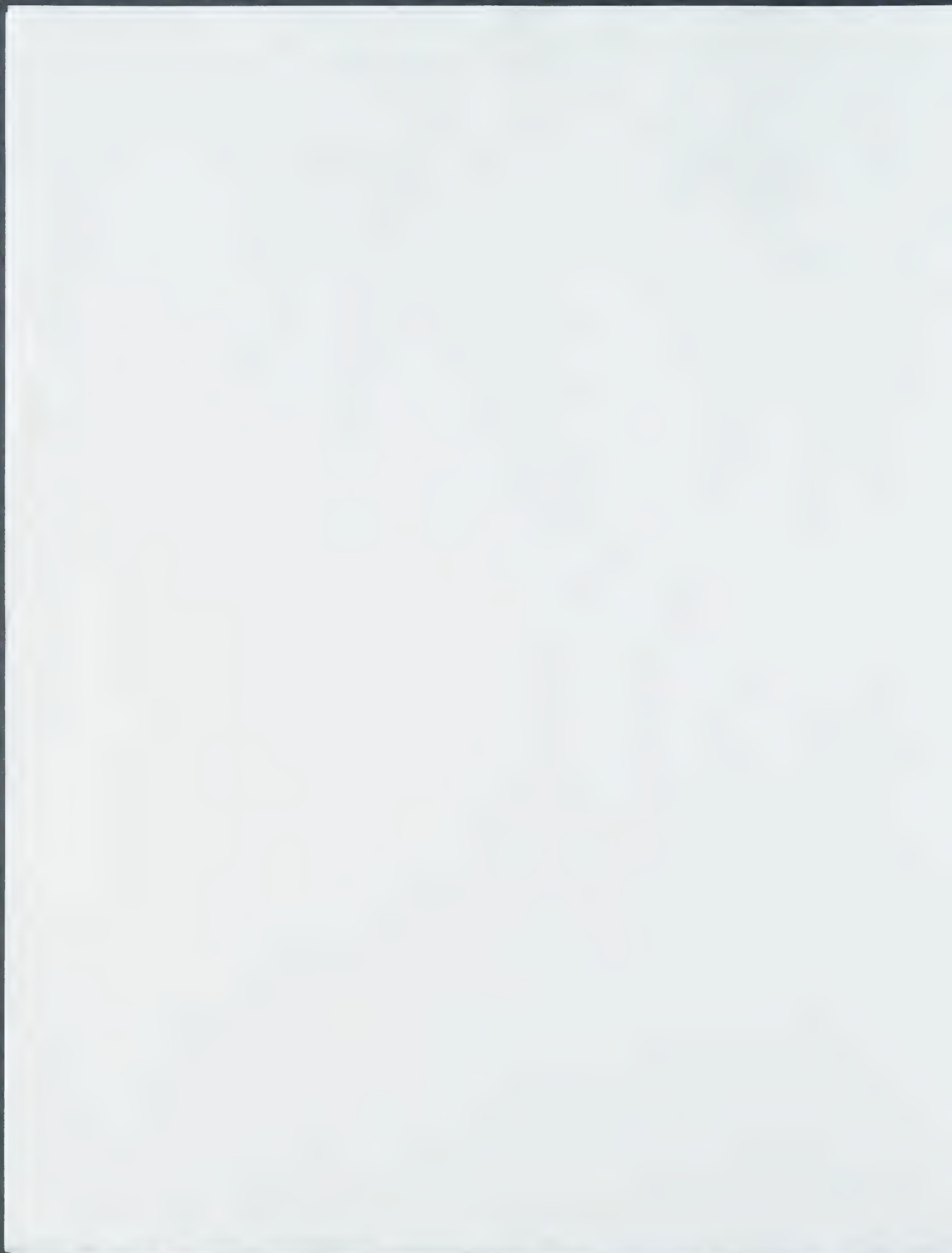
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From: Niels Clauson-Kaas A/S <info@clauson-kaas.dk>
Date: Fri, 11 Oct 2002 13:03:01 +0200
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Dr Bader

Niels is living with his daughter, Mette, and his son in law. I talked with Mette today and she sends her regards to you.

Regrettably Niels is in such a condition that he cannot communicate with other people, and he is not going to be better.

Henning Kaaber's phone no is (45) 4495 2442 and I am sure he would welcome a call from you.

With best regards,
Jens Karl Jensen

At 19:44 10-10-2002, you wrote:

Dear Dr. Jensen,

Thank you so much for your e-mail of today.

Could you please e-mail me the telephone numbers of Neils Clauson-Klaus and of Henning Kaaber because I would very much like to chat with each of them.

I am happy to know that your company is doing so well. Are you still manufacturing 3-hydroxypyridine?

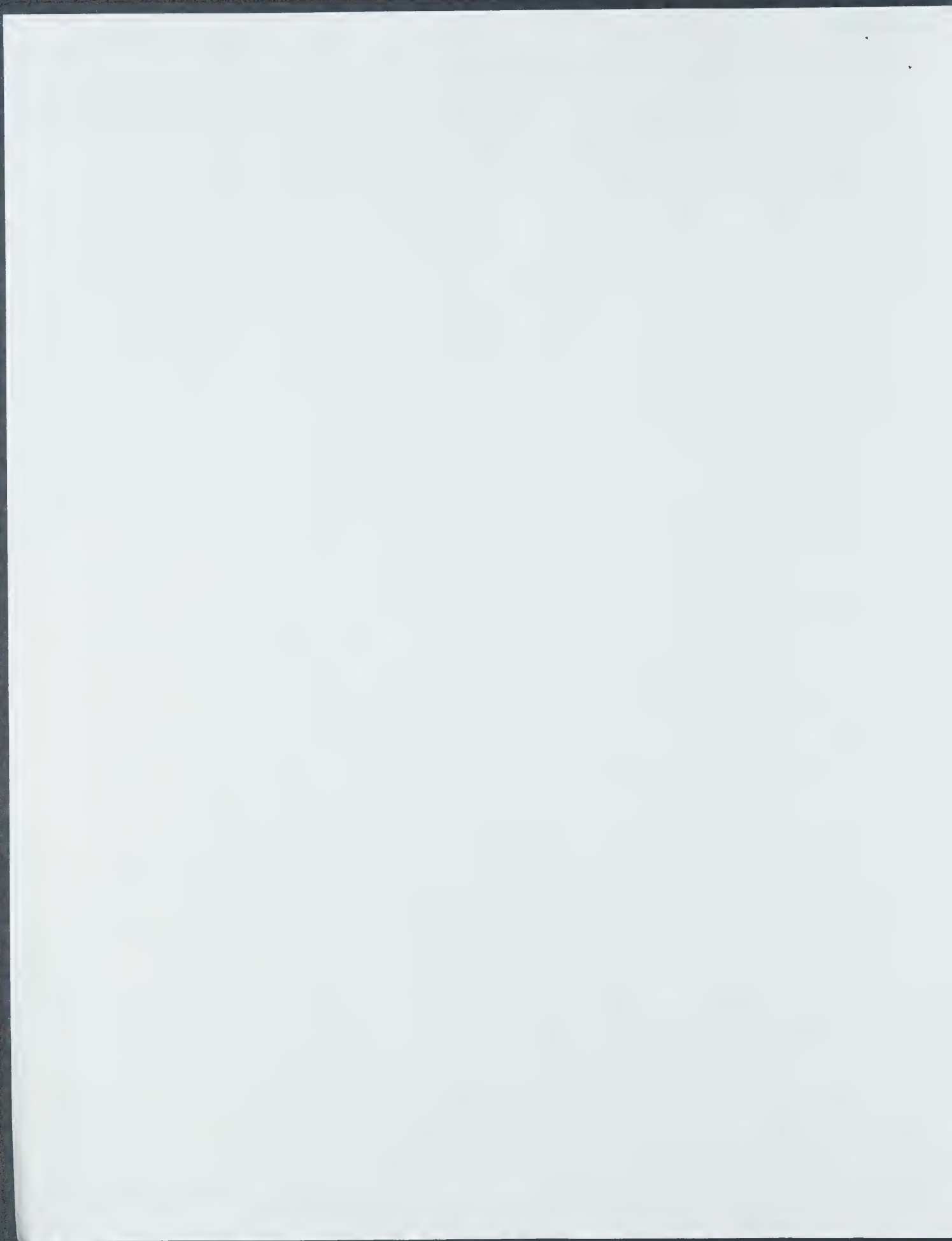
I hope that Aldrich is still your good customer. Now that Dr. Tom Cori has been asked to leave SIAL I am again persona grata in the company and actually gave a lecture on the history of the company at Sigma-Aldrich in St. Louis last month.

With best regards I am

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader

Info@clauson-kaas.dk wrote:

Dear Dr Bader,



Thanks for your e-mail.

Niels retired completely from the company about 10 years ago. We have seen him a couple of times per year at the company's get together events. Regrettably, he has not been well for some years (some kind of Alzheimers). Henning Kaaber has also retired, and we seldom see him.

Our company has been quite successful over the past 15 years. We are now 20 persons, we have invested quite a lot in expanding the pilot plant, and the laboratory has been renovated. We serve customers (mostly pharmaceutical companies) in the USA, in Europe and in Japan.

I liked your book about your life and Aldrich.

With best personal regards,
Yours sincerely,

Jens Karl Jensen

At 16:42 27-09-2002 -0500, you wrote:

Dear Dr. Jensen,

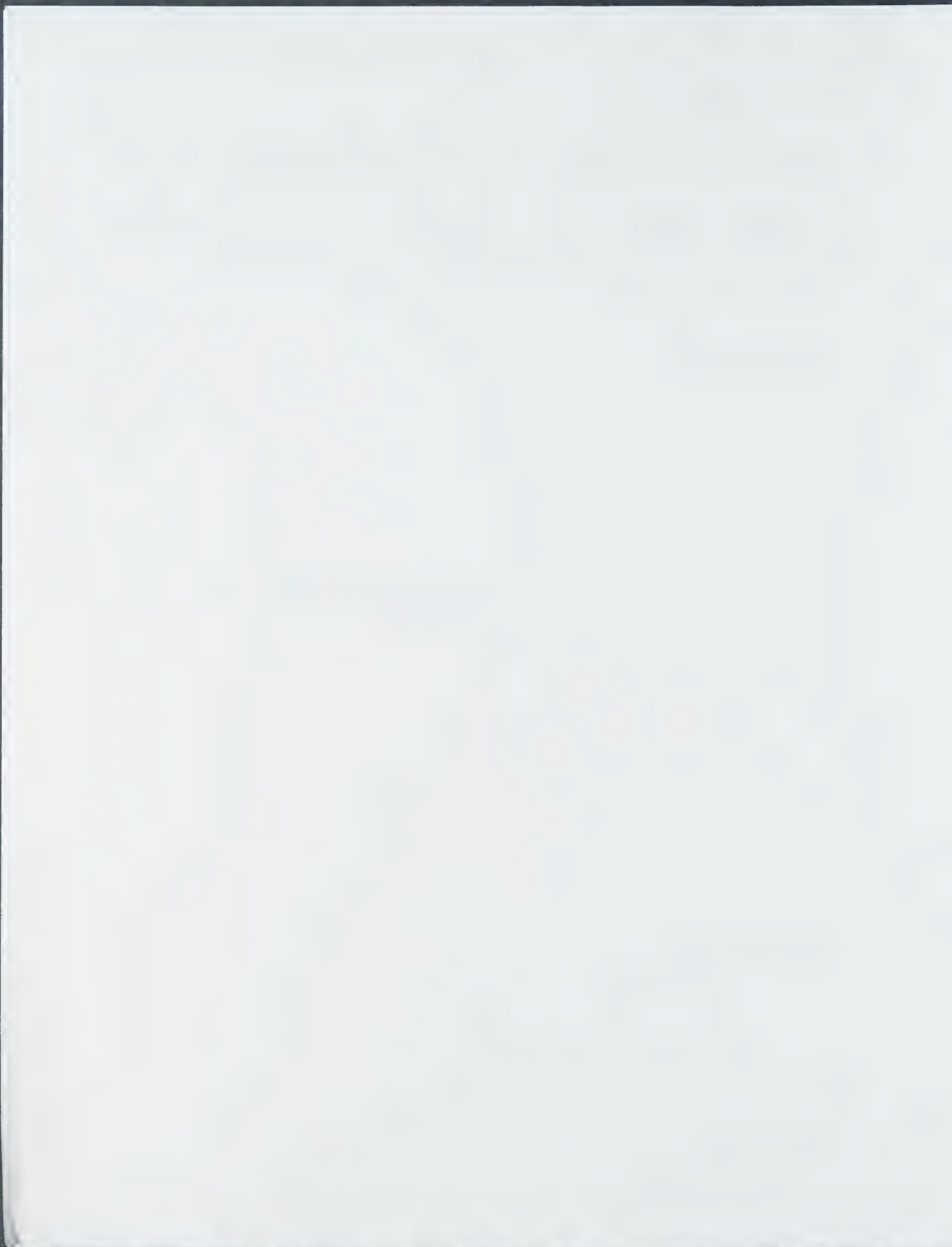
I haven't heard from my old friends Niels Clauson-Kaas and Henning Kaaber for a very long time. How are they, how are you and how is your company?

With best wishes,
Alfred Baer

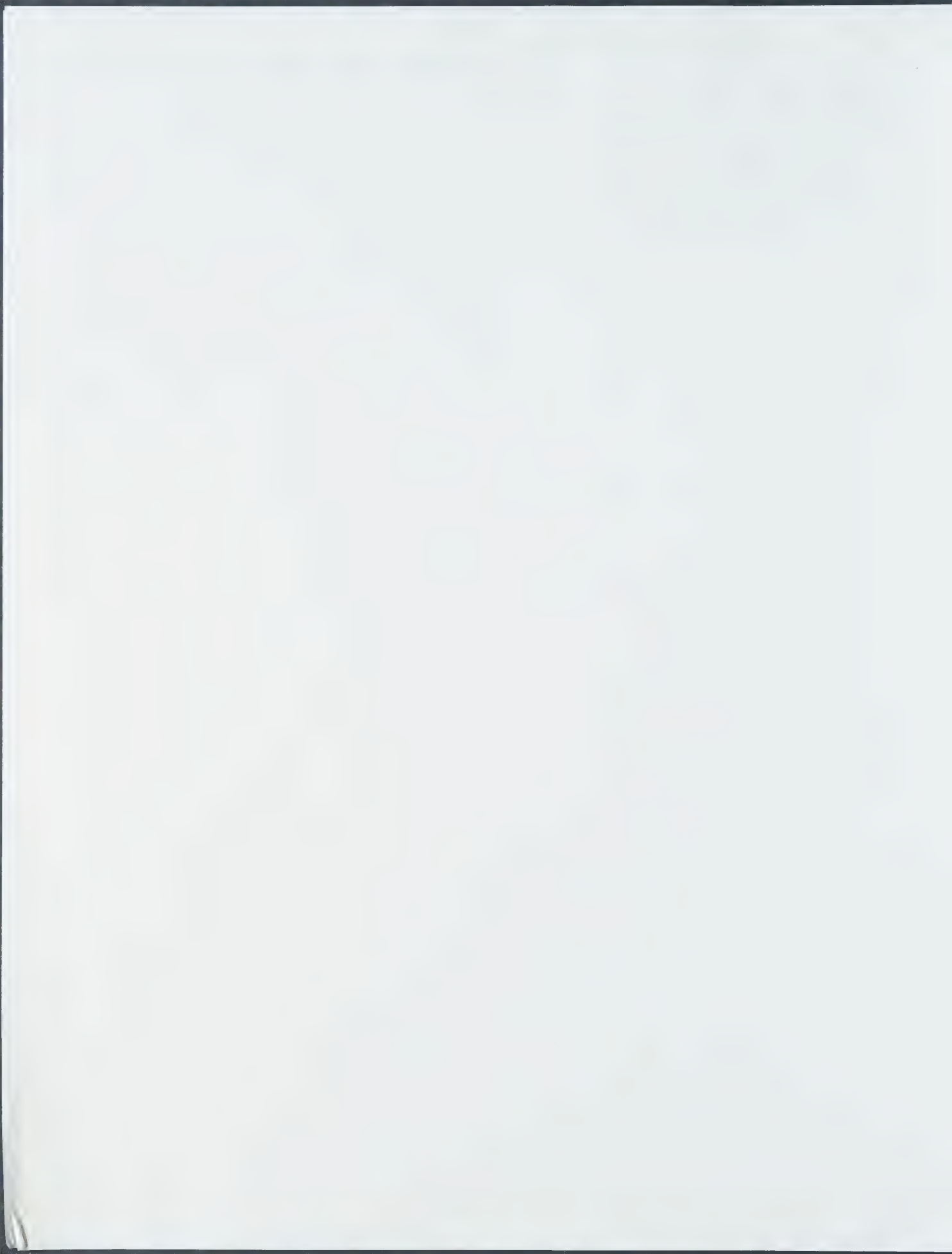
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A Chemist Helping Chemists

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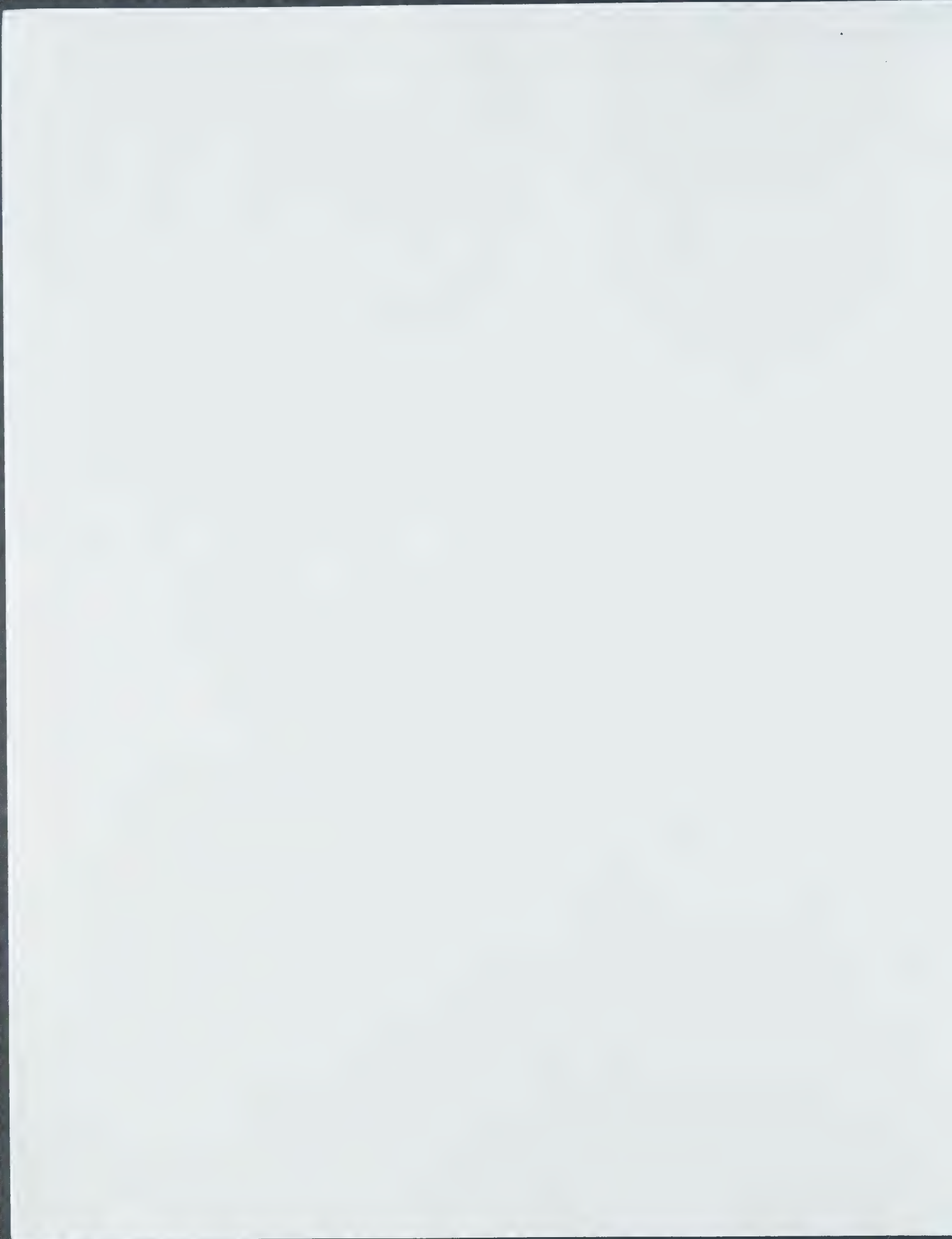
Dear Gillie,

Dr. Richard Meadows, the Dean of UWM, and Dr. Jennifer McKenzie-Flynn, the Director of International Studies there just visited me and told me that with our help UWM will be sending four students, two men and two women, to be at the ISC in January. There is a chance that two other students may also want to come.

With all good wishes I am

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az



Dear Professor Schwaeble,

I am happy that Ellen Bernt's daughters are now satisfied with the obituary. Please consider, however, whether this should not really come from you. Also I have no idea how to submit it to the WELTKUNST and the FAZ. May I leave this to you or to the daughters?

I very much hope that we can meet in London or in Sussex during our stay there between November 8th and December 20th. I have your phone number and will telephone you to discuss details of the meeting.

With best regards I am

Yours sincerely,
Alfred Bader

Wilhelm Schwaeble wrote:

Dear Dr. Bader,

I have spoken to Mrs Gangkofner (Tel: ++49-89-8111585) and the modification on the first draft for Ellen Bernt's obituary (I sent you a few days ago as a copy) was found to be as they consider it most appropriate. They will modify it slightly and then send it to you directly. I will of course be delighted to be of help in submitting it for publication in the WELTKUNST, the FAZ and wherever you think it might fit.

Many thanks for your patience and support. Best wishes

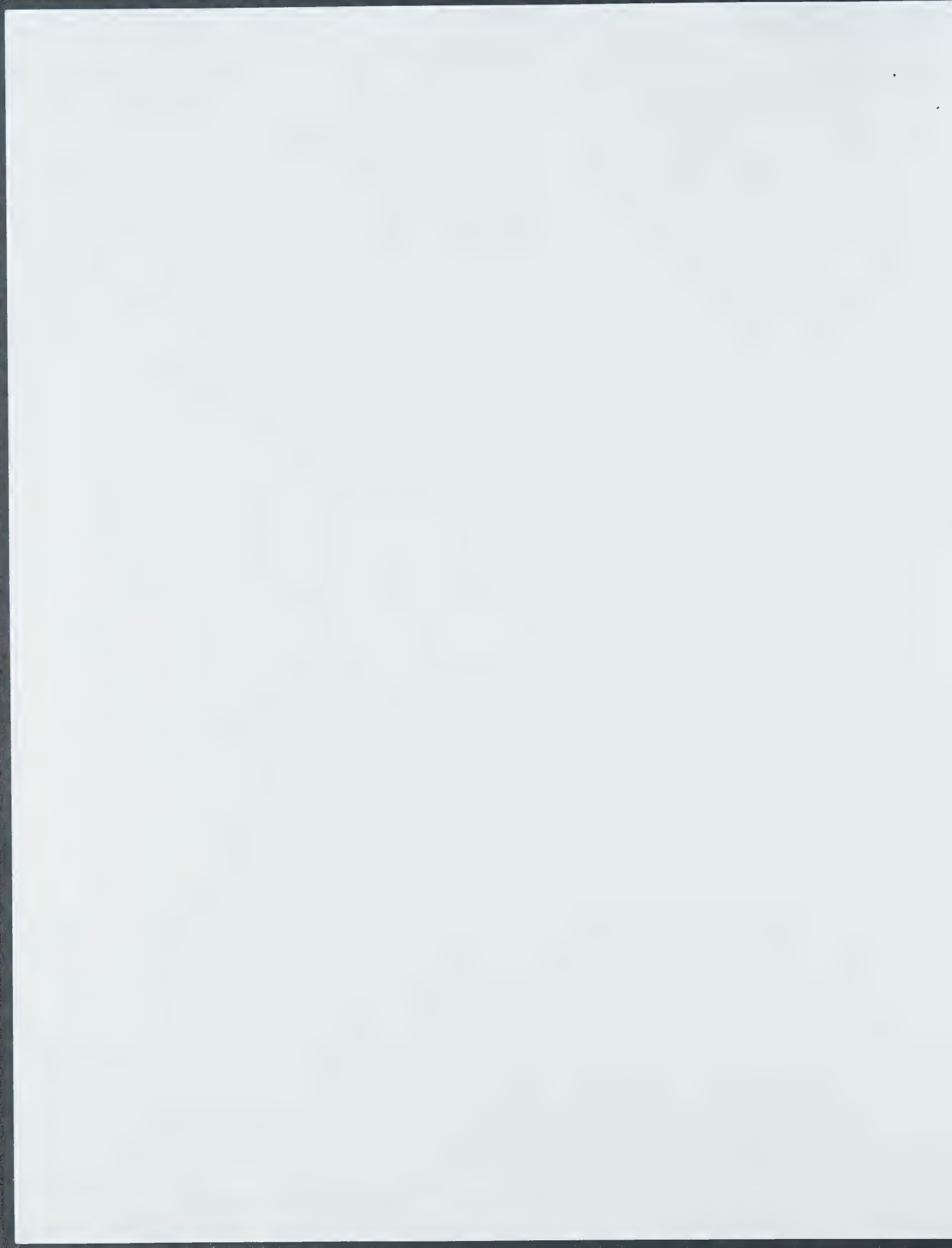
Yours

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Subject: Re: Ellen Bernt
From: Wilhelm Schwaeble <ws5@leicester.ac.uk>
Date: Tue, 22 Oct 2002 15:50:27 +0100
To: Alfred Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

Info +116-2525674

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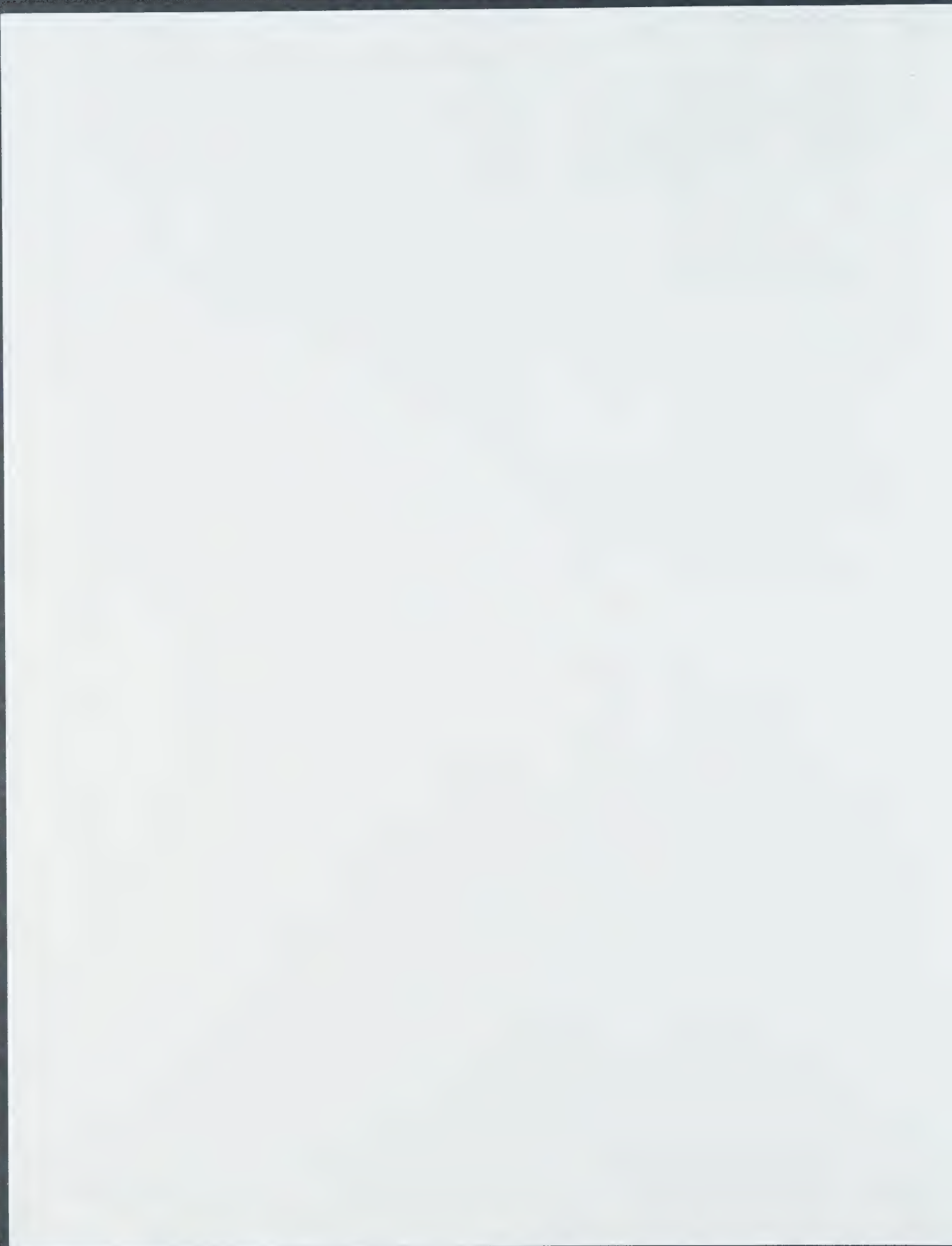
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Subject: Re: Ellen Bernt
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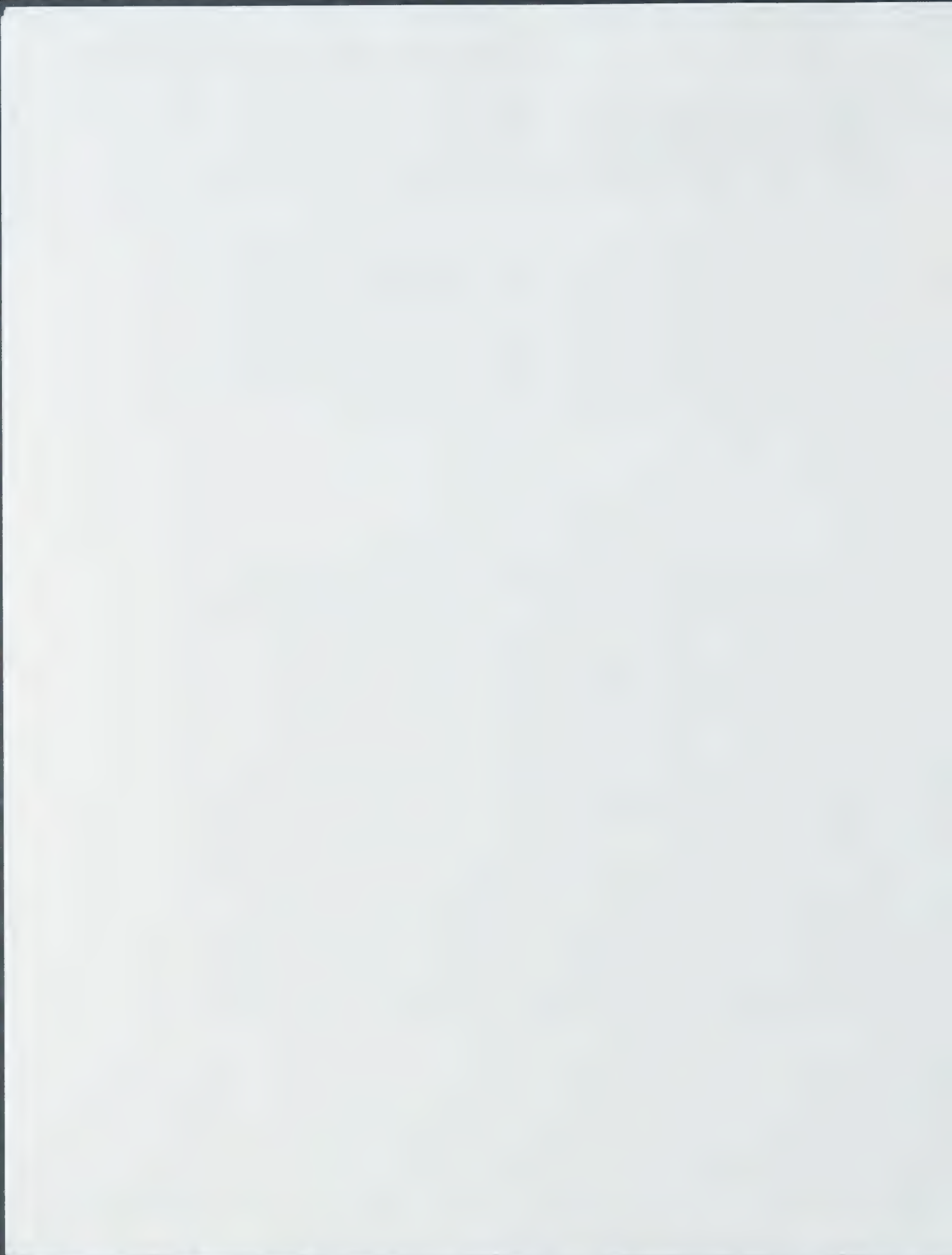
Sehr geehrter Herr Dr. Bader,

Bitte entschuldigen Sie, daß ich mich erst jetzt wieder bei Ihnen melde. Ich war regelrecht krank vor Trauer um Ellen Bernt und etwas verunsichert durch die wahrscheinlich verständlichen Vorbehalte der Bernt Töchter: Sie wollen den Besitzstand wahren und haben in einem rot/grünen Deutschland Angst vor grosser Erbschaftssteuer. Ich danke Ihnen sehr dafür, dass Sie nachwievor für Ellen einen Nachruf veröffentlichen. In Anbetracht der Bedenken der Bernt Töchter sende ich Ihnen einen wohl unbedenklichen Entwurf. Ich sende den gleichen Entwurf zu den Töchtern, die Sie dann direkt kontaktieren werden. Ich würde mich sehr freuen Sie und Ihre Frau als gute Freunde meiner Ellen Bernt kennenlernen zu dürfen. Mit allerliebten Wünschen
Ihr

Wilhelm Johannes Schwaeble

Am 7ten September verstarb in München die international ausgewiesene Kunstexpertin Ellen Bernt. Ihr Tod beschliesst ein wohl einzigartiges Kapitel in der Geschichte der Kennerschaft von Malerei und Zeichnungen des Nordeuropäischen Barock. Seit mehr als 50 Jahren waren das Ehepaar Ellen und Dr. Walther Bernt als ausgewiesene Kenner und Experten niederländischer und flämischer Maler und Zeichner bei Sammlern und dem Kunsthandel gleichfalls hoch angesehen. Die erste Ausgabe des dreibändigen Bernt: "Die niederländischen Maler und Zeichner des 17. Jahrhunderts" war mit 1042 Abbildungen 1948 beim Münchner Bruckmann Verlag unter großen Mühen erschienen. Ziel dieses Werkes war es, die Vielfalt und oft erstaunliche künstlerische Qualität der unter dem Begriff der "Kleinmeister" zusammengefassten niederländischen und flämischen Künstler des 17. Jahrhunderts darzustellen und Sammlern und Händlern ein möglichst repräsentatives Material (einschliesslich der Darstellung authentischer Bezeichnungen) bereitzustellen. Als Vorlage zu den Bänden diente ein von Walther und Ellen Bernt erstelltes und stets aktualisiertes Photo-Archiv, das Werke von mehr als 900 "Kleinmeistern" der Zeit beinhaltet und ein hilfreiches Werkzeug bei der Werkzuschreibung von Gemälden und Zeichnungen dieser Epoche bot.

Die letzte Auflage des "Bernt" erschien 1979 in fünf Bänden (drei Gemälde-, zwei Zeichnungsbände) mit 2280 Illustrationen. Das Ehepaar Bernt beriet Museen, private Sammler und den Kunsthandel und erstellte Expertisen für Gemälde und Zeichnungen hoher Qualität. Das "Bernt-Gutachten" wurde im Handel und bei Sammlern als Gütezeichen für Authentizität hoch bewertet. Nach dem Ableben von Dr. Walther Bernt in Jahr 1980 führte Ellen Bernt die beratende Tätigkeit mit grossem Erfolg fort. Sie war als eine große Persönlichkeit der Kunstexpertenszene und durch Ihre Kenntnis, Ihr untrügliches Qualitätsgefühl, und Ihren scharfen Verstand vielseitig geschätzt und verehrt. Ihr Tod hinterlässt eine große Lücke.





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The passing of Ellen Bernt in Munich on September 7, 2002 closes a most singular chapter in the history of connoisseurship of Northern Baroque paintings.

The daughter of a famous historian, Professor Fritz Rörig, Ellen was born in Lübeck in December 1913. Her parents divorced when she was five and her mother, who traveled with her a good deal, eventually settled in Seefeld im Tirol. Her father wanted her to go to university after her matriculation, but she disliked the idea of attending a Nazi dominated school. Instead she studied photography and opened her own studio.

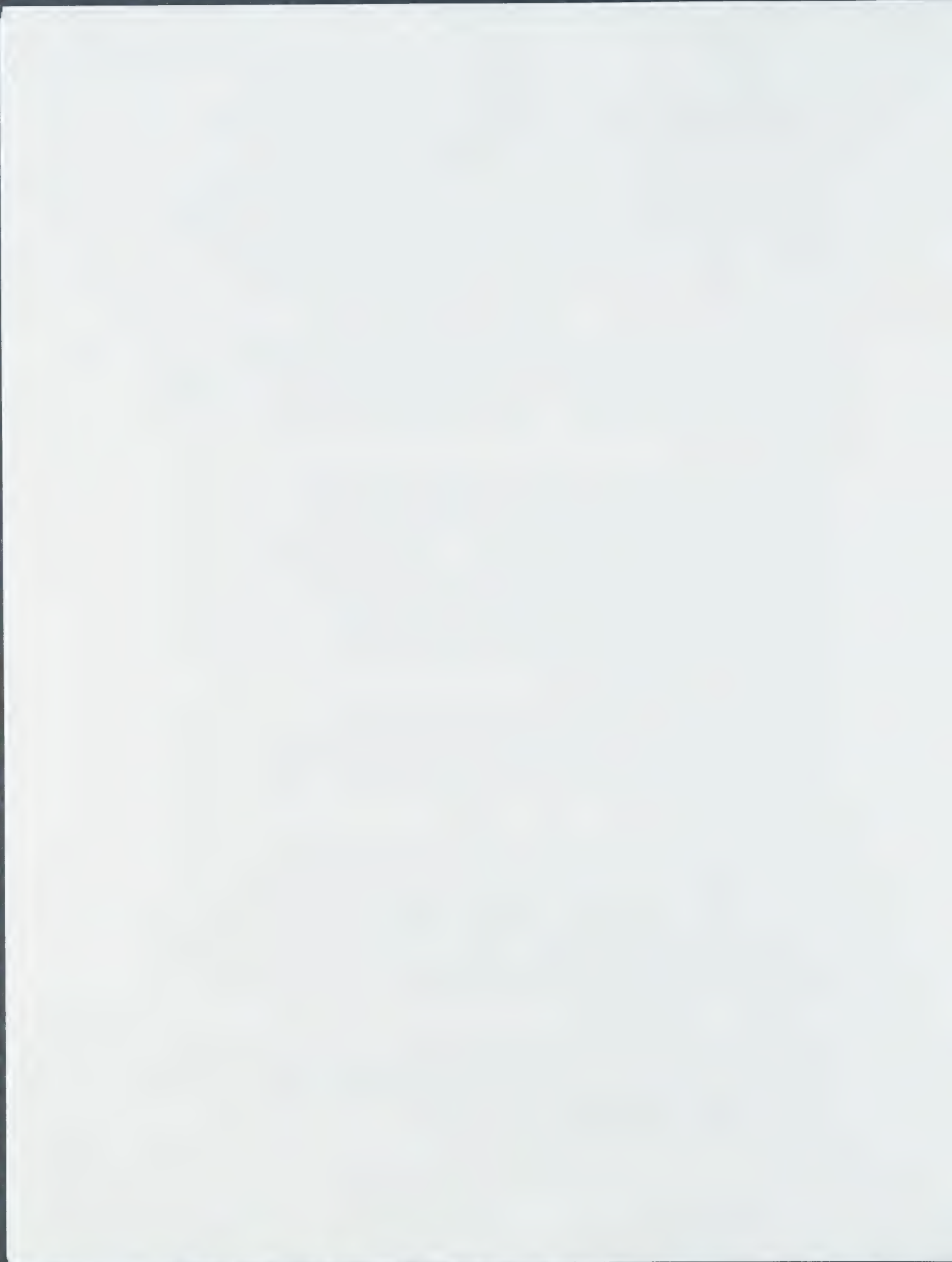
A chance encounter in a Munich streetcar on a winter evening in 1942 changed the lives of four people and began what became in time a unique chapter in the history of connoisseurship. There were only two passengers on that tram, Ellen and a 42 year old civil engineer, the Sudetendeutsche widower, Dr. Walther Bernt. He guided her through the dark wartime streets to her house and asked her to make photographic portraits of his two daughters, Ilsebill and Frauka.

Dr. Bernt and Ellen Rörig soon realized that they shared many interests, not only in photography, but also a love of northern 17th century paintings and a thorough dislike of National Socialism. Their friendship grew. Ellen helped him look after his daughters and joined him in his work. Walther was trying to make a compilation of Dutch and Flemish 'Kleinmeister' of whom some 3000 were known by name and 900 by specific works. Several dictionaries of these artists existed, but there was no illustrated handbook. The collecting of photographs and attempts to have material published was extremely difficult and frustrating during the last years of the war, but three volumes of "Die Niederländischen Maler des 17. Jahrhunderts" with 1042 illustrations were eventually produced by F. Bruckmann in Munich in 1948.

After well over a decade of working together, Ellen and Walther married in 1957 and settled in a beautiful home in the Mottlstrasse 13, near the Schwabinger Krankenhaus. Here they assembled a collection of many thousands of photographs of 17th century paintings, indexed alphabetically, with many auction catalogs, a fine library and a superb collection of paintings.

During their years together, Ellen developed from being his star pupil into a partner with great knowledge and an excellent eye. Through this passion for collecting, this 'Sammler-Leidenschaft', Ellen and Walther became the most knowledgeable and respected husband and wife team in the field of Netherlandish 'Kleinmeister'. Although personally they lived very private lives, they were gracious hosts, willing to help and share their knowledge with others. Many collectors, both young and old, visited them to talk about paintings in which they were interested and to compare works with the photographs in their enormous archive.

The Bernts knew more about Netherlandish paintings than most academics. Walther wrote expertises only for works of quality, always for the same fee regardless of the value of the painting, and he refused to write opinions on work by Rembrandt, Frans Hals, Vermeer, Rubens and Van Dyck.



Their connoisseurship and opinion was so well respected that few collectors in central Europe would buy Dutch paintings without a Bernt expertise. They published several further and enlarged editions of "Die Niederländischen Maler", one in English in 1969. The last, a five volume work, three of paintings and two of drawings, illustrating the works of 905 artists with 2280 illustrations, was produced in 1979, the year before Walther died of a stroke.

Ellen continued Walther's work writing expertises for many years until her eyesight failed. The recent decline in collecting Northern Baroque painting in central Europe now may well be due to the passing of the Bernt era.

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23 October 2002

Dear Dr. Bader:

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I am pleased to inform you that the Alfred Bader Scholarship in Chemistry has been awarded to Jamil Kanji for 2002/03.

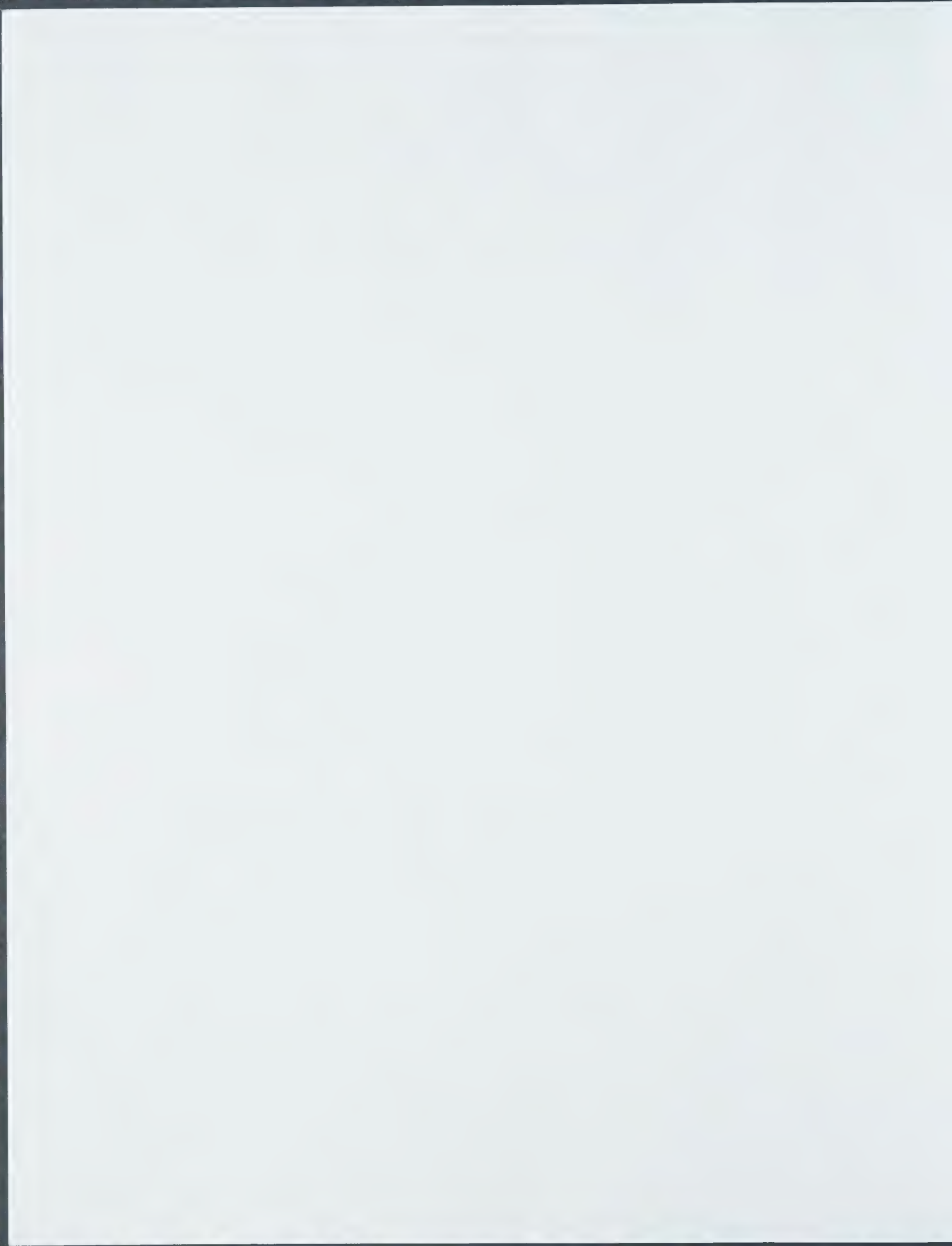
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On behalf of Queen's University, I extend to you our sincerest gratitude for providing this recognition of accomplishment.

Yours sincerely,

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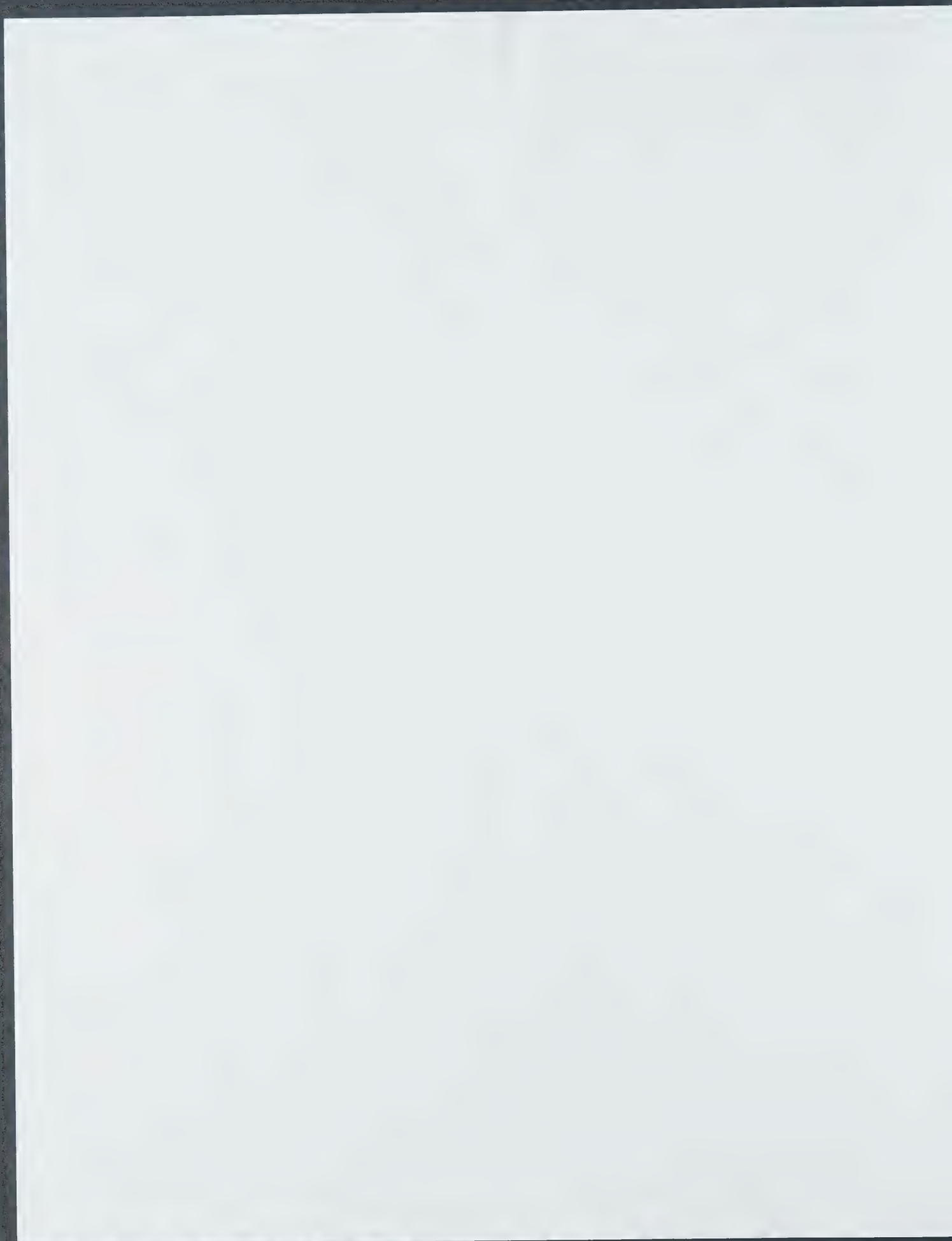
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Dear Isabel and Alfred,

I am writing to say a very warm thank you for your 'fishing' card of May and I do hope everything went well at the Rembrandt Symposium in Holland, which must have been a very exciting event. Now make the most of these glorious autumn colours - they are so stunning! We have a scarlet virginia creeper climbing from our neighbours garden, via a plum tree and in the sunlight, it is so vibrant with colour, it's almost on fire. You would have to go a long way to find something so beautiful and all for free. An amazing gift of Nature.

We are all well and working hard. Louise graduated this summer with a 2:1 degree in Music and is now back home, seeking a job in Music Management. For the moment, she is taking temporary jobs, as she waits for various applications to bear fruit. She has a job for December with the Spitalfields Music Festival but amazingly, it pays no salary at all. Still she is really glad to have it because it is a step onto the ladder. Oliver is in his second year of Medicine and works as a Care Assistant. Just records to turn his needs. Hannah is



... excellent artwork. As this is the Foundation Year (compulsory) and not yet the first year of the degree, she is not eligible for a Student Loan. She works on Saturdays teaching piano and in Debenhams restaurant later in the day but even so can't make enough to cover her daily train fares up to Winkedon, which are £45 per week. As for Rachel, she is working towards a Diploma in Music, even though she is still at school ^{but} and she can't get a weekend job, because she has lessons and sports matches on Saturdays. She is however, doing incredibly well with her music and got herself a "Distinguished" mark at Grade Eight Saxophone, even though she'd only had sight of the test pieces two weeks before!

Moving on down the line a bit, Sam at 13 has joined the Air Force Cadets and is utterly proud to belong, as he's hoping for a career eventually in the RAF. Alex auditioned this week for a place in the National Children's Orchestra (on trombone) and we are awaiting results. When he's 13, he can try for a Music Scholarship to Charterhouse School but that's 18 months away. As for Holly, bright as a button, nine years old but a tested reading age of 14 years and unfortunately bored silly in class because when a maths sum is set, she can do the answer immediately in her head and doesn't see why she has to write down how she arrived at the answer! Do you know, I'm not sure

because I'm not a particularly bright person myself but I've always told them to strive and "Learn All You Can" and perhaps they've taken it to heart as the years have rolled past. Anyway, this is where we are right now but we are running out of money and I wondered if you might still be able to help us? We have been living on money from the sale of our old home nearly 2 years ago but our resources are fast dwindling and if there is any way you could help us, we'd all be incredibly grateful. Jeff is still unemployed as far as I know and although he's been discharged from the psychiatric hospital where he lived for over a year, I do not think he will ever be active in banking again. He has wanted very little contact with the family and in the (almost) 6 years since leaving, has only seen the younger ones 4 times. Realistically speaking, I do not see any hope of support from him, either now or at a future date. It is indeed strange the twists that life can take, one minute up, the next down and out but I do believe you have to bend with the wind and always do your personal best to survive and bring everyone with you as well.

I hope everything is well with you both and with the whole family.
With the warmest of regards and wishes from us all,
Paula

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December 2, 2002

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Dear Alfred and Isabel Bader

I was pleased to hear from Brenda Bailey and Martin Wilkinson that you had a good meeting at Friends House on November 15th. Because of your continued interest in and support of our work in Uganda, I am pleased to invite you to an event at Friends House with our newly returned workers, Bryn Higgs and Eleanor Chowns. Bryn and Eleanor will be discussing their experience in Gulu over the past two years, including how the conflict has profoundly affected people's lives there. Their talk will be accompanied by photographs taken in Uganda in September, some of which I believe you saw the other week, and there will certainly be time for questions. I hope that you can attend and meet Bryn and Eleanor.

In the meantime, I will keep you in touch with the Uganda project and the Observers project by sending you the journal letters from each. I hope that you continue to find them informative.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Liz Cafferty'.

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