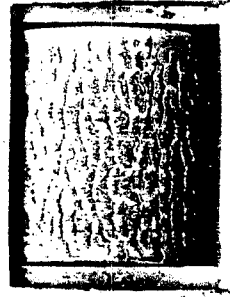


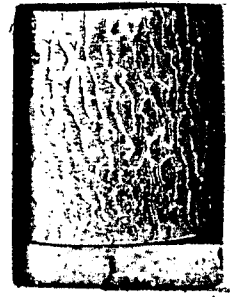
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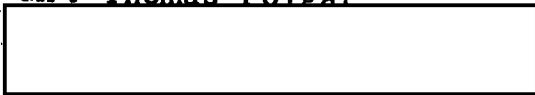
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Mr. Thomas Polgar



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Dear Tom:

Many of the concerns that you raised in your 3 September letter were addressed, specifically, in our current long-range planning sessions. They are, for the most part, intractable problems, not easily resolved -- some require considerable further study. We may find that we need to turn to outside groups, such as the "Planning Board" you propose, or to experienced individuals, such as yourself, who have the background and time to consider specific issues. In the short term, however, I believe that we will need to see where our present in-house planning process takes us by the end of the year and then see what specific assistance we need to study particular issues.

I appreciate your interest and value your counsel. If I may, I will take a raincheck on your offer until we have gone through our cycle.

Until then, please stay in touch.

Sincerely,

John N. McMahon

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