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Mr. Thomas Gatke, President
Gatke Corporation
163 West Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Tom:

I have finally heard from Mr. Vandiver Brown, regarding letter received from Dr. Gardner of The Searome Laboratory, apologizing again for the delay in getting through a complete report of his findings.

One of the statements in Dr. Gardner's letter is significant; "Therefore, I see little chance of my devoting the necessary two months to the preparation of your report until the winter."

This is certainly indefinite, and I have written Mr. Brown to see if Dr. Gardner could not give the industry some statement of his conclusions in advance of a complete report.

Yours very truly,

JDR:G.

Executive Vice President

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