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TO : Dr. John Z. Bowers, Deputy Director, Division of Biology & Medicine, Washington
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FROM : W. K. Crane, Chief, Industrial Health & Instrumentation Branch, Hanford Operations Office, Richland, Wash.

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This will confirm our telephone conversation of November 10, 1949.

Prior to Dr. Donaldson's last Bikini expedition, he obtained the impression from the Division of Biology and Medicine that a real effort should be made to tell the Bikini story in layman language. The University then assigned one of its best public information specialists, Mr. Neal O. Hines, to this work and he accompanied Dr. Donaldson on the 1949 expedition.

Enclosed herewith is one copy of a proposed article intended for publication in one of the national magazines, provided the Division of Biology and Medicine is able to clear this material from a policy standpoint with the Navy, Division of Military Application, and the Division of Public and Technical Information Service.

As further indicated in our telephone conversation, Dr. Donaldson has several reels of colored film, showing in some detail the activities of the last Bikini expedition. Most of this material indicates methods of collecting, processing, and counting fish samples taken at Bikini. There are also other shots of the general Bikini locale. If you were to authorize an expenditure of approximately \$2,500, which could be covered under Dr. Donaldson's present budget, a very creditable job of adding a sound commentary to the film could be accomplished. It is then considered that this material would make an excellent training film for unclassified research investigators and AEC fellows located at other Commission facilities.

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