

January 29th, 1954
Wailuku, Maui, T.H.

Dear Schuyler:

It now seems quite certain that I'm going to Australia. Probably early in March. To this end I have been making arrangements as follows. I wrote to the postmaster at Wheaton and instructed him to deliver all mail for me to 212 W. Seminary Ave. Then I wrote to all my various investment companies and told them to send the checks directly to Harris Trust in Chicago and all other mail to Wheaton. Harris Trust will send receipts to Wheaton. All my various scientific societies and magazine publishers have been advised to send their literature to Wheaton. I suggest you get a good sized carton and put it in the attic. As this stuff comes in put it all in the carton. I can look at it when I get back in a year or so. When I leave here I will instruct the local postmaster to forward all first class mail to Wheaton. You can look at anything that seems interesting. If it needs attention you can send it on to me in Australia when I get an address there. Obviously I will be incommunicado with most of the world for some time. Actually I've observed that there is really very little mail which actually needs a reply.

I'm taking some small electronic apparatus with me and may want to ship that recorder which came while I was there. Presently I'm negotiating for an export license thru the customs department in Honolulu. When I get this I will send it on to you. Then you can callup Hahn and have him put it in a wooden case and turn it over to the express company, which can send it to San Francisco. The thing that bothers me a bit is what happens then. Please have Jean talk to the express company and find out if they have connections with some boat company operating from San Francisco to Sydney and how to go about this matter. As near as I can estimate it will cost about \$50 to get that thing to Sydney.

The other day I stopped at the A & B store and talked to the manager, a Mr. Prukop. He seemed much interested in your Vertiblinad and I gave him some literature which you had sent to me. I explained that if he wrote to you, he could find out what kind of a plan you had for merchandising the product. I don't know whether or not you heard from him, but he seems like a go getting fellow. Perhaps Maui is not the best place to introduce your product out here, but it is the best contact I have at the dealer level. If they take it up and it goes well I feel sure that they can get you further outlets in Honolulu as they have a big A & B building over there.

There is not much more for the present. I'll keep you advised of how things progress. Hope all the small fry are in good shape.

Best regards,