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Greetings Jennie:

Two envelopes of annual reports, bulletins, etc. arrived in good shape. Some were found interesting. Thanks. The patents have not turned up yet.

An interesting book review has appeared in Science, 10th April, p 164-5. Please order and have sent one copy of "Self-Renewal: The Individual and the Innovative Society", by John W. Gardner, published by Harper & Row, N.Y.C., 1964, \$3.50 It seems to be an analysis of the rise and fall of civilizations.

My ad has appeared four times in Castanea during 1963. No replies have been received. Please cancel it. Some other approach will be more rewarding.

The packet in Mr. Schauers safe has some envelopes. One should be marked with a variety of items including my voting registration card. It has a blue border and is about two by three inches. Please try to find it. If you can, please enclose it with your next letter.

Observing conditions during May were good. It seems probable that this year I can fill in most of the gaps in my observations last year. The data should then be sufficient to draw up a celestial map. The undertaking may then be assessed in some reasonable manner.

My own data comes in rather slowly, so I've undertaken to analyse some cosmic ray data from the University. It is taken in an old railway tunnel a dozen miles east of town across the river. Initial results look interesting.

Most of my beans have been harvested. I may be able to get the remainder in this afternoon if it doesn't rain. This year I'm saving the vines as Dr. Martin (in charge here) has had a bright idea to try on the dried stalks.

Cool weather has set in. At Hobart it never freezes but Bothwell frequently encounters early morning temperatures in the 20s. Zero is unknown except on mountain peaks. We continue to have visitors, but this will probably die out as winter comes on.

Best regards,

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