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TO	DR. R. J. DUNHAM	DATE	OCTOBER 30	62
FROM	H. B. STENZEL	SUBJECT	FOSSIL CALICHE	
COPIES TO	B. J. FERRIS	REPLYING TO YOUR LETTER	FILE NO.	19

Your attention is called to the following article which is the first one
(as far as I can tell) to describe fossil caliche and to date it precisely:

Stenzel, Turner, & Hesse, 1944, Brackish and non-marine

Miocene in southeastern Texas: Am. Assoc. Petroleum

Geologists Bull., V. 28, no. 7, pp. 977-1011.

Perhaps a comparison of this Miocene caliche with that from West Texas
would be instructive. The place is easily reached from Houston, and I would be
glad to show it to you.

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