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Dear Norm:

In order to get some up-to-date information on Barrande's Silurian Pracostrea bohemica Barrande, 1881, I wrote Zaruba at the National Museum in Prague. His response was very good and I received plastic casts of good specimens. In order to reciprocate I sent him several Texas Cretaceous oyster specimens and wrote him a letter explaining their peculiarities. Now I notice from the Zoological Record (1965) that he has written an article on these Texas oysters. I hope has not anticipated me by giving them new generic names. I am terribly curious to see his article (he did not send me a separate). Of course, the journal is not in our library.

Would you have the kindness to arrange for a xerox copy of his articles?

I am sorry we did not have longer discussions at Atlantic City. I always learn important paleontological data when you talk to me.

With best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

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