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Dr. C. A. Fleming  
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Dear Mr. Fleming :

Please accept my thanks for the reprint entitled "Molluscan evidence of Pliocene climatic change in New Zealand" which arrived recently. I am always interested in reading your papers which have considerable bearing on the work I am doing here. I wonder whether it would be possible for you to send me a few specimens of the genotype species of Notostrea which occurs in your region. I have done considerable work with oysters lately and would like to get as comprehensive a picture as possible.

Perhaps you would like to join the Society of Economic Paleontologists and Mineralogists. If you do I have enclosed an application blank and shall be honored to act as sponsor for you and to obtain signatures of others.

Very sincerely yours,

H. B. Stenzel, Geologist

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Enclosure