

December 16, 1948

Mr. G. W. Schneider
Assistant to the Division Manager
The Texas Company
New Orleans 9, La.

Dear Mr. Schneider:

Mr. Joe Crawford Kitchens was in my field class mapping Tertiary formations in the past summer. He was by far the best and ablest student in that group of 46. He has a good sense of values and knows independently how to proceed in solving geological problems. I was very much struck with the aptitude of this young man and I believe you are having a rare opportunity in obtaining a first class person. Normally, I am not enthusiastic about my students.

Sincerely yours,

H. B. Stenzel, Geologist.

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