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Dr. Julia Gardner  
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Washington, D. C.

Dear Dr. Gardner:

I believe it would be possible for Dr. Turner to join the Geological Society Of America now because his paper has been published by the Society. If the Society will publish his papers, it is logical to assume that the Society will also be glad to have him as a fellow. I am, therefore, including his nomination paper with this letter, and would like to ask you to join with me in his nomination. There is need for a third sponsor, and I believe his former teacher, Dr. Bruce Clarke, would be the logical person. Could you be so kind as to send the nomination paper on to Dr. Clarke together with a short statement from you about this nomination? Please do not overlook the necessity for writing a letter in quadruplicate to the G.S.A.

The making of the card catalogue of Eocene fossils has been very difficult, however, I hope to have the brachiopods and cephalopods finished by the end of August. At the same time, I am going to publish all the new species of these two groups which I have available. You might be interested to know that we have a new ratlaw locality which has yielded a new species of Aturia and Deltoidonau-tilus.

When are you going to be in our Gulf region this summer? I do not believe I will have much new material to show to you because I have not done much field work the last year. However, there is always something to show.

Best regards,

Sincerely yours,

H. B. Stensel

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