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*Attorney and Counsellor at Law*  
*Sunset, Maine*  
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November 19th, 1969

Mr. Albert Sandecki,  
50 Tanner Street,  
Haddonfield, N J 08033

Dear Albert:

Thank you for your letter of November 16th, 1969, received today. First, let me say that Callahan has sent me two copies of their October 29, 1969 Augusta water report, one copy of which I have sent to Mr. and Mrs. Farnham. As I think I told you, the chloride content is 75.

We will simply have to keep watching these weekly tests and hope that it will not increase. As to the other three parties involved, I would approve your writing them, stating that the temporary agreement has been signed. I am sure they already know that it provides for water for some parties and that they in time may be included.

As to explaining the permanent water supply negotiations, while I think you can tell them we will be discussing the matter with Callahan during the winter, I am reluctant to have you inform them of my position. First of all, all our conclusions depend upon further conferences with Professor Osberg in view of the present water situation. Moreover, I think we should talk with Mr. Snead after we have agreed among ourselves as to our position. Until something is worked out with him, I doubt that we should report to the other parties.

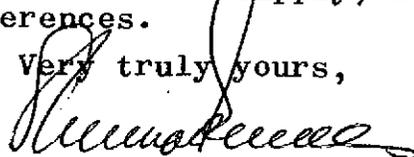
Incidentally, in time Mr. Veague may be asked to sign the temporary agreement also and perhaps the others.

I shall check my time records and let you know how we stand on the fee matter. It seems to me that at least Mr. Veague, Colonel Greene and Mr. Barthelman might be expected to pay something if they benefit from the temporary agreement and certainly if they participate in the final arrangements. We can discuss this later.

If you have any further thoughts as to these three parties, please let me know.

I suggest we await a few more water tests before starting a discussion as to the final agreement as well as any suggestions Professor Osberg may have concerning a permanent fresh well water supply, before we proceed with the final agreement conferences.

Very truly yours,

  
Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

24 November 69

Dear

This is somewhat of a summary of the water situation to date, enclosed is some material that pertains to the problem.

The letter from Professor Osberg, (the water expert retained by our attorney Sherman Greene in October) is part of the basis for our continued negotiations with the Callahan Corp. Most important was the need of getting a winterized water supply to Brainard and Marian Farnham.

This fall between October 29th and November 2nd the Callahan firm dug a ditch from the water tank on Dyer's Hill down to a line approximately 15' below the dam of my pond and then running along the Farnham's and our property line to about the cemetery. There a "T" joint was made and the line extended Northeasterly towards the Farnham house and Southwesterly towards our bungalow. Callahan had previously suggested extending the winterized line to the Cushing property (house we bought last year) and that I take this up with Jack Malcolm while the digging was in progress, I did so, offering to pay for the trenching and pipe-- Jack Malcolm would hear nothing of my offer to pay for this extension and had the line extended to the Cushing house. Along with this another "T" joint was installed and Malcolm & Mary Gray's house was included in the fully winterized line. After the trenching and the 2" line was put down there was a very long rainy spell causing a muddy shambles of our yards. The machine that did the work was a converted bulldozer, the rest you can imagine.

The inclusion of the Grays onto the waterline caused a rather bad reaction on the part of the Farnhams. As best I can understand the reasons go back into personal family history. The situation has eased a bit with the help of Reta & Bill Hunter and Sherman Greene.

Keep in mind that the document enclosed and signed by my wife and I has only to do with the past summer water supply and easement for Callahan to come onto our property to install a winterized water line. The Farnhams have signed one of these too at the direction of our attorney and he has assured us that this paper is in no way to be considered as an agreement or release in regard to the "Permanent" water supply or the loss of the original wells. (refer to page 3, nos. 6,7 of Snead's letter.

This about sums up the situation to date, please pardon the delay in sending you this information. If there is any question about these goings on please do not hesitate to write and either Mr. Greene or I will try to answer.

Mr. Greene has been very efficient in handling the matter and is aware of your concerns on the point of a final understanding of the water problem. (When and if there is ever to be one.) He has been in touch with Callahan's attorney (Snead) in regard to to your inclusion in any and all further negotiations, which probably will not be firmed up until next summer.

I am no expert in these matters and if you have any ideas that may have been overlooked please write.

Sincerely,

Albert E. Sandeckl  
50 Tanner Street  
Haddonfield,  
New Jersey 08033

P.S.

Have a good Thanksgiving.

*Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.*  
*Attorney and Counsellor at Law*  
*Sunset, Maine*  
*207-848-2881*

November 25, 1969

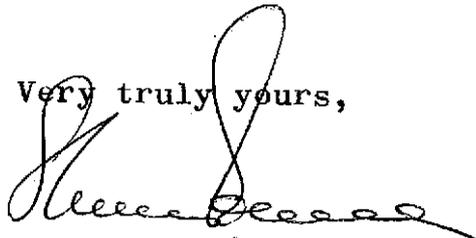
Mr. Albert E. Sandecki,  
50 Tanner Street  
Haddonfield, N J 08033

Dear Albert:

Thank you for your report of  
November 21st, 1969.

Please let me know what you hear  
from the water test you are having made in  
New Jersey.

Very truly yours,



Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

WSG:RL

Date Nov 28 '69

MEMO TO: Mr. & Mrs. Brainerd Farnham ✓  
Mr. & Mrs. Albert Sandecki ✓

Copies to: Mr. Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.  
Mr. Charles Snead, Jr.

FROM: J. B. Malcolm

SUBJECT: Chloride Content of Water from Callahan well

<u>Date</u>	<u>Sample Taken From</u>	<u>Chlorides p.p.m.</u>
<u>11/19</u>	<u>Callahan Well</u>	<u>70</u>
<u>11/19</u>	<u>Callahan Water at Farnham's</u>	<u>70</u>

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<u>11/25</u>	<u>Callahan Water at Farnham's</u>	<u>75</u>

Mr. Albert Sandecki:

MEMORANDUM FROM:

JACK MALCOLM  
HARBORSIDE, MAINE

12/4/69

Albert:

Believe this copy  
from Mr Greene is  
for you as our  
forwarding.

Hope all is well  
with you and yours!

Best regards

Jack



December 1st, 1969

Mr. John B. Malcolm,  
Callahan Mining Corporation,  
Harborside, Maine

Dear Jack:

Thank you for sending me the water tests dated November 28, 1969 showing chloride content on November 19th of 70 and November 28th of 75.

It is most important that we continue to check each week to be sure that the chloride is not increasing, and I am hopeful that the quantity of fresh water used by the mine has not increased to the extent that the chloride content is rising because of this.

There are various possible solutions to take care of the increase of chloride content, such as additional fresh water wells and limitation of the mine use of the well water. However, we can discuss such matters when future tests are obtained.

We appreciate your cooperation in taking care of the driveway at the Farnhams, and I hope that continued satisfactory distribution of the water in cold weather can be maintained.

Please keep me informed of all developments, and I shall look forward to receiving tests from both Augusta and Callahan regularly.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

WSG:RL

cc: Mr. Albert E. Sandecki

*Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.*  
*Attorney and Counsellor at Law*  
*Sunset, Maine*  
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50 Tanner Street  
Haddonfield, N J 08033

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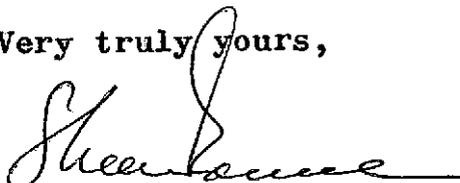
This will acknowledge your letter of November 24, 1969 to the various parties at Harborside concerning the Callahan agreement. It will be interesting to learn what they have to suggest, if anything. You have explained the situation very well.

I have just received the two reports dated November 28, 1969 as to the water, copies of which were also sent to you. I am also enclosing a copy of a letter just received from Professor Osberg, which is of interest.

We shall continue to watch these tests, as they are taken each week, and will then be in a position to decide what should be done. I am hopeful that these last two tests indicate the situation is under control.

Hope you had a good Thanksgiving.

Very truly yours,

  
Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

WSG:RL  
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UNIVERSITY OF MAINE      ORONO, MAINE 04473

Department of Geological Sciences  
137 Boardman Hall

November 25, 1969

Mr. William Sherman Greene, Sr.,  
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,  
Sunset, Maine 04682

Dear Mr. Greene:

I shall attempt to answer your various questions. We have only four readings on the Callahan well, dated June, August, October, and the recent one. These data do suggest a trend toward high chloride concentrations, but we do not have enough information to determine whether there is seasonal fluctuation or an irreversible trend toward higher chloride values. It is important to obtain monthly water analyses.

In the meantime, on the strength of the reports in hand, you might sound out the people at Callahan as to whether or not they would entertain alternatives. A separate well for your clients might be an easy solution. In any event you should reach an agreement requiring the Callahan Mining Company to find a new source of water if the chloride content increases to 150 ppm.

I cannot really say why the chloride content of the Callahan well appears to increase. It may be that the water table has not completed its adjustment to the draining of the estuary, or it may be due to an increase in water useage at the plant.

I hope this will answer some of your questions.

Sincerely yours,

Philip H. Osberg

PHO/t1

December 8, 1969

Mr. John B. Malcolm,  
Callahan Mining Corporation  
Harborside, Maine

Dear Jack:

Thank you for sending me the chloride test report dated December 2, 1969. As you know since June, 1969, the tests show an increase from 24 to 85.

After the next report is received, I shall arrange to discuss the situation with you and we can consider various steps to be taken, seeking to maintain a uniform report on the fresh well water, during the winter. I mentioned some of these in my letter to you dated December 1, 1969.

With Best Season's Wishes,

Very truly yours,

Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

WSG:HL

cc: Charles D. Snead, Jr., Esq.  
Mr. Albert E. Sandeck  
Mr. and Mrs. Brainard Farnham

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STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04330

PLEASE CAREFULLY FILL OUT THIS INFORMATION FORM, AS IT WILL BE USED AS PART OF YOUR REPORT.

Bottle Number K 71 Date of Collection 12/11/69 Time of Collection 9:10 AM  
 Source of Water  Well,  Spring,  Other Steel casing Located on Property of Callahan Mining Corp.  
 Well or spring, how lined?  rock,  concrete,  tile,  other Steel casing How covered?  boards,  concrete,  
 other \_\_\_\_\_ Is top elevated above ground?  Yes,  No

NAME AND ADDRESS TO WHOM REPORT IS TO BE SENT

Kind of pipe used  plastic  galvanized  
 copper  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Length 90 ft.  
 If a well, was it  dug,  driven,  drilled?  
 How long ago? Jan. 1967  
 Depth? 265'

PLEASE  
PRINT

Name Callahan Mining Corp.  
 Street or RFD \_\_\_\_\_  
 Post Office Harborside Maine 04642  
 Zip Code

Distance from nearest privy 2000 ft.; stable \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; barnyard \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; sinkdrain \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; public or private  
 sewer 110 ft.; septic tank and laterals \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; garden \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; manure pile \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; cesspool \_\_\_\_\_ ft.;  
 other \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Nature of soil  clay  sand  gravel  other \_\_\_\_\_ Does the water have an unpleasant  
 odor or taste?  Yes  No How is water drawn  pail  faucet  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method of purification  boiling  chlorination  other \_\_\_\_\_ Is water used by city or town?  Yes  No  
 If yes, give name of water company \_\_\_\_\_ Any change to supply since last analysis?  
 Yes  No If Yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_ Is water used by a  School  Private Home  
 VA  FHA  Other \_\_\_\_\_ or by a licensed establishment such as:  Swimming Area  
 Boarding Home  Eating Place  Lodging Place  Motel  Rec. Camp (Adults)  Rec. Camp (Boys' and Girls')  
 Nursing Home  Other \_\_\_\_\_ Located in city or town of Brooksville, Maine

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

*Any Fe & Pb*

WATER ANALYSIS REPORT

Serial Number 383060

Date DEC 29 1969

SATISFACTORY

QUESTIONABLE

UNSATISFACTORY

(Indicates sample unsafe at time of collection. The supply is considered capable of being made safe with proper corrections.)

(Indicates continuing unsafe conditions.)

An X in the respective squares furnishes an interpretation of this analysis.

1.  The bacteriological examination showed the presence of a  small,  large, number of dangerous bacteria (Coliform Group).
2.  This is apparently a naturally good water, but the supply needs proper protection and sterilization. (See diagram and paragraph No. 2 on reverse side). After the supply is protected, another sample may be submitted for analysis.
3.  The supply needs proper protection (See diagrams on reverse side).
4.  If the supply is protected with a tight metal or concrete cover and wall so that water, light or dust may not enter, as shown on the reverse side, we suggest that another sample be submitted for analysis, carefully following collection directions to prevent contamination of the sample.
5.  The chemical examination showed a higher salt content than normal for the section of the State in which the supply is located.
6.  The chemical examination indicates a  small, a  large amount of decomposing organic matter, which may be caused by contact with drainage from a sewer, cesspool, privy, septic tank system or similar type, stable, garden, heavily fertilized land, or similar source of pollution.
7.  Location and removal of the sources of pollution, listed in 5 and/or 6, and adequate protection of the supply may correct the unfavorable condition. The amount of the above pollution although abnormal and therefore somewhat detrimental does not appear at this time to be in sufficient amounts to completely prohibit the use of this water. There is a possibility, however, as long as the sources of pollution remain, that this pollution may increase sufficiently to make the water unsafe for use. For this reason, if the water is to be used for domestic purposes, samples should be submitted at intervals of not more than six months to determine whether or not the water is deteriorating or improving in quality.
8.  Locating and removing the sources of pollution, listed in 5 and/or 6, and adequate protection of the supply may correct the unfavorable condition. After the sources of pollution are eliminated a considerable period of time, estimated from 2-5 years, will elapse before the ground surrounding this water supply may be expected to return to normal and the water become safe for domestic consumption.
9.  This water is not satisfactory for use in a  School, a  Boarding Home, or a  Licensed Establishment until necessary corrections have been made and additional tests indicate that it is safe.
10.  Lake, pond or stream water used for drinking or cooking purposes needs to be constantly and efficiently sterilized at all times.
11.  The examination for lead (use of lead pipe having been declared) showed the presence of a  trace,  small,  large amount. (See lead paragraph on reverse side.)
12.  \_\_\_\_\_

BACTERIA COLIFORM GROUP

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Serial No. 383060

Start of Analysis DEC 12 1969

Bottle No. K71

Sequence No. 8

Truck No. 17

LABORATORY ANALYSES

Results in parts per million.  
To change into grains per U.S. gallon,  
multiply by 0.058.

Bottle # K71	
10-ml	DGLB
1	✓
2	
3	
4	
5	

TURBIDITY

_____	S
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	0

COLOR

_____	S
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	0

NITRITES

_____	S
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	.001

FREE AMMONIA

_____	a
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	0

ALBUM. AMMONIA

_____	a
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	.004

12.216 ✓

NITRATES

_____	A, a
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RESULTS	11

pH

_____	S
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	7.7

CHLORIDES

_____	a
_____	
_____	
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_____	
RESULTS	95

1000 ml 50 cc  
46.5  
44.2  
2.1  
1.5 x 5  
7.5

HARDNESS

Bottle # K71	8
_____	S
_____	
_____	
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_____	
Result	10

SEDIMENT AND ODOR

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RESULTS	0

COPPER

Bottle #	16
_____	S
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Result	Neg

IRON

Bottle #	12
_____	D-G
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Result	0

MANGANESE

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RESULTS	

HARDNESS

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STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04330

DEC 9 1969  
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Callahan water

PLEASE CAREFULLY FILL OUT THIS INFORMATION FORM, AS IT WILL BE USED AS PART OF YOUR REPORT.

Bottle Number V-39 Date of Collection 12/10/69 Time of Collection 2:00 PM  
 Source of Water  Well,  Spring,  Other Located on Property of Callahan Mining Corp.  
 Well or spring, how lined?  rock,  concrete,  tile,  other Steel casing How covered?  boards,  concrete,  
 other Is top elevated above ground?  Yes,  No

NAME AND ADDRESS TO WHOM REPORT IS TO BE SENT

Name Callahan Mining Corp.  
 Street or RFD \_\_\_\_\_  
 Post Office Harborside, Maine 04642  
 Zip Code

Kind of pipe used  plastic  galvanized  
 copper  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Length 90 ft.  
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 How long ago? Jan. 1967  
 Depth? 265'

PLEASE PRINT

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 water \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Nature of soil  clay  sand  gravel  other Does the water have an unpleasant  
 odor or taste?  Yes  No How is water drawn  pail  faucet  other  
 Method of purification  boiling  chlorination  other Is water used by city or town?  Yes  No  
 If yes, give name of water company \_\_\_\_\_ Any change to supply since last analysis?  
 Yes  No If Yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_ Is water used by a  School  Private Home  
 VA  FHA  Other \_\_\_\_\_ or by a licensed establishment such as:  Swimming Area  
 Boarding Home  Eating Place  Lodging Place  Motel  Rec. Camp (Adults)  Rec. Camp (Boys' and Girls')  
 Nursing Home  Other Located in city or town of Brooksville, Maine

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

Ch, Fe & Pb

WATER ANALYSIS REPORT

Serial Number 383061

Date DEC 29 1969

SATISFACTORY  QUESTIONABLE  UNSATISFACTORY

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12.

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Serial No. 383061

Start of Analysis DEC 12 1969

Bottle No. V39

Sequence No. 9

Truck No. 17

LABORATORY ANALYSES

Results in parts per million.  
To change into grains per U.S. gallon,  
multiply by 0.058.

Bottle # V39		BGLB
1	[Handwritten scribble]	
2		
3		
4		
5		

TURBIDITY

_____	S
_____	
_____	
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_____	
RESULTS	0

COLOR

_____	S
_____	
_____	
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RESULTS	0

NITRITES

_____	S
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RESULTS	T

FREE AMMONIA

_____	a
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	0

ALBUM. AMMONIA

_____	a
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	0

NITRATES

_____	H, a
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	0.08

pH

_____	S
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
RESULTS	7.1

CHLORIDES

_____	a
7.8	
5.7	
2.1	
1.3 x 5	
RESULTS	35

HARDNESS

Bottle # V39	9
_____	S
43.2	
35.0	
8.0	
16.4	
Result	16.4

SEDIMENT AND ODOR

_____	G	
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T V		
Mm		

COPPER

Bottle #	17
_____	0
_____	
_____	
_____	
_____	
Result	7/20

IRON

Bottle # V39	13
_____	D.C.
_____	
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Result	0

MANGANESE

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RESULTS	

10 December 1969

Mr. Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.  
Attorney & Counsellor at Law  
Sunset, Maine 04683

Dear Mr. Greene:

I am sending you a copy of this request made by the Audubon Magazine which includes my answer to them.

As you stated the situation requires thoughtful consideration. It is a tempting request considering my convictions in regard to the open-pit mining business.

I have talked with the chairman of the town of Brooksville's Planning Board (newly formed) and we had some rather good understandings. There are a lot of horns in the fire just now and I would not want to jeopardize the chances of cooperation.

Hopefully your meeting with Jack Malcolm will produce some light on the Callahan attitude on this increasing Chloride count.

Have an enjoyable holiday season.

Sincerely,

Albert E. Sandeck

*P.S. I have contacted a member of the Hancock County TAP  
in an effort to get back the set of photographs that  
they have of the Callahan operation*

*Q.S.  
All keep you posted of any reply from the magazine*

December 11, 1969

Mr. John B. Malcolm,  
Callahan Mining Corporation  
Harborside, Maine

Dear Jack Malcolm:

Thank you very much for your report of December 12, 1969, showing that chloride content on December 9, 1969 was 85. It will be interesting to see what the next State report shows, and I hope you will receive bottles soon.

It is my opinion, from my talks with Professor Osberg, that one reason the chloride content may increase is that Callahan's use of the fresh well water may have been great enough to permit an excessive chloride content. It is for this reason that I have discussed with you before the limitation of the mine's use of the well. Consequently I am pleased to note that you have limited your consumption and hope that you will continue to do so.

It would seem to me that such procedure would be much more economical and satisfactory under all of the circumstances than finding it eventually necessary to drill another well.

Please keep me informed of developments.

Best Season's Wishes.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

WSG:RL

cc: Mr. and Mrs. Brainard Farnham  
Mr. Albert E. Sandeck

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December 15, 1969

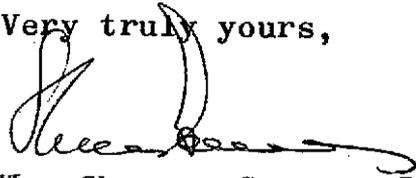
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Haddonfield, N J 08033

Dear Albert:

Thank you for your letter of December 10, 1969.  
It will be interesting to know the answer of the  
Audubon Magazine people.

We shall continue to compare water tests, and I  
hope that they show no change as to chloride  
content.

Very truly yours,



Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

WSG:RL  
(encl)

December 15, 1969

Charles D. Snead, Jr., Esq.,  
Callahan Mining Corporation  
277 Park Avenue,  
New York, N Y 10017

Dear Mr. Snead:

On December 11, 1969, I received a chloride report from Jack Malcolm, showing that on December 9, 1969 the chloride content was 85 at the Callahan faucet and at the Farnhams. This was the same amount as shown in the December 2 test.

Jack tells me they hoped to have another State test soon, making one the first of each month.

Jack indicates that they have cut down on the mine consumption from the well. As you will note from my letter of December 11, 1969, this may be the one means of keeping the chloride content down, and I hope that it will be possible to discontinue the use of Callahan's well water in its processing.

We shall continue to watch all tests with interest.

Best Wishes for the Season.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

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cc: Albert E. Sandecki

December 19, 1969

Mr. John D. Malcolm,  
Callahan Mining Corporation  
Harborside, Maine 04642

Dear Jack Malcolm:

Thank you for the Callahan report for the test of December 16th, 1969, showing chloride content 90. I shall be in New Jersey and Pennsylvania over the holidays, but I am arranging for my secretary to send me any reports you mail in in my absence.

If possible, I shall try to see Mr. Snead in New York City to discuss the reports, as it is most important that we do what can be done now to stabilize the chloride content of your well.

After my return, I shall arrange to talk with you and go over the records.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Sherman Greene, Jr.

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