1155 East 57th Street Chicago 37, Illinois January 19, 1951

Mr. Carl Eckart
The Scripps Oceanographic Institute
La Jolla, California

Dear Eckart:

Enclosed you will find a paper which might perhaps interest you or perhaps some of your biologists. I plan to go out to the Coast sometime in February, and I would be happy to come down to La Jolla and give a seminar provided you think your biologists would be interested in hearing about this kind of work.

With best wishes --

Sincerely,

Leo Szilard

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## UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

MARINE PHYSICAL LABORATORY AT THE U. S. NAVY ELECTRONICS LABORATORY SAN DIEGO 52, CALIFORNIA

2 February 1951

Dr. Leo Szilard University of Chicago Institute of Radiobiology and Biophysics 1155 East 57th Street Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Leo:

I have shown the paper on the hemostat to several of our staff. They without exception expressed an extreme interest in hearing more about your work and were very anxious that you be invited to give a seminar during your trip to this coast.

I join them in hoping that you will be able to come; I shall be away from February 6 to 15. While this should not prevent your coming during that time, I would be very pleased to talk with you about your work.

A more cogent reason why it would be desirable for you to come sometime between the 15th and 21st is that Dr. Carl Pantin, of the University of Cambridge, will be here then. He is much interested in the nervous systems of elementary animals, and in the possibility of constructing models (either actual or mathematical) of their action. It seems to me that he should certainly contact you and von Neumann before leaving this country.

Very sincerely yours,

Carl Eckart Director

CE:fs cc: Dr. Pantin

1155 East 57th Street Chicago 37, Illinois February 13, 1951

Dr. Carl Eckart Marine Physical Laboratory at the U.S. Navy Electronics Laboratory San Diego 52, California

Dear Eckart:

Many thanks for your very kind letter of February 2. It seems that I will not get to the West Coast until sometime between the 1st and 15th of March so that I shall miss Dr. Pantin.

I am considerably confused by your letterhead. I wrote you to the Spripps Institute at La Jolla. Is the Marine Physical Laboratory at La Jolla or have you moved away from La Jolla?

And if you did, why should anyone at the Marine Laboratory be interested in biology?

When I get to Pasadena I propose to call you over the telephone and we can then arrange a date convenient to all for a
seminar if the interest of the laboratory continues to exist.

With kind regards-

Very sincerely yours,

Leo Szilard

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MARINE PHYSICAL LABORATORY AT THE U. S. NAVY ELECTRONICS LABORATORY SAN DIEGO 52, CALIFORNIA

19 February 1951

Professor Leo Szilard 1155 East 57th Street Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Szilard:

First to straighten out the matter of our letterhead, the Marine Physical Laboratory is part of the Scripps Institution of Oceanography. It is located at the Navy Electronics Laboratory in San Diego. Our letterhead became quite complicated as it is without making reference to the Scripps Institution of Oceanography. I was formerly director of the whole institution but asked to be relieved of that some time ago.

I shall look forward to hearing from you in March. Our phone number here is Bayview 3218.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Carl Eckart

Professor of Geophysics

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1155 East 57th Street Chicago 37, Illinois March 15, 1951

Dr. Carl Eckart
Marine Physical Laboratory
at the U.S. Navy Electronics Laboratory
San Diego 52, California

Dear Eckart:

Many thanks for your informative letter of February 19.
Unfortunately I had to postpone my trip sine die, but I still hope that I will get there before long, and when I do I shall call your office.

With kind regards --

Sincerely yours,

Leo Szilard

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both on the scientific and social swels.
With all good wishes,

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