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250 BARRINGTON STREET
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

G. N. HANCOCK
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

October 6, 1955.

Dr. Thomas H. Raddall,
Liverpool, N.S.

Dear Dr. Raddall -

Your letter advising me that you had been to Bridgewater and made a tape recording of the Haliburton talk arrived just as I was talking to Mr. MacLeod about it. He thought you did a really fine job, and we will certainly take his word for it until we hear the talk ourselves.

Our plans for distribution have already gone into effect and within the next fortnight it is likely that all listening areas in the Maritime provinces will have heard what you have said about Haliburton.

I am still trying to get down your way, but in lieu of that in the near future perhaps we could talk about remuneration. In the meantime, however, thanks again for your co-operation.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely yours,



Glen N. Hancock.

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November 1, 1955

Mr. Glen N. Hancock,
Imperial Oil Limited,
250 Barrington Street,
Halifax, N.S.

Dear Mr. Hancock,

I'm sorry you couldn't get away, for I'd looked forward to meeting you. My fee is \$100.

I haven't read Stuart Trueman's book but I must get "Cousin Elva". Humor, the genuine article, has been rather scarce on our side of the border since Leacock died, and we can all do with a native Canadian smile.

I finished a novel in the summer, too late for Fall publication. (The period of gestation in the publishing business, for novels anyway, is now approximately that of the human species. It used to be two or three months.) Hence it will be published in 1956. And now I am up to my ears in straight Canadian history, period 1774-1854, with the tentative title "Destiny on the North". It will be published by Doubleday in 1957 as part of the Canadian series begun by Tom Costain with his "The White and The Gold."

Sincerely,

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HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

G. N. HANCOCK
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

November 16, 1955.

Dr. Thomas Raddall,
Liverpool, N.S.

Dear Dr. Raddall -

Enclosed you will find a money order for the amount of \$100.00 in payment of professional fees.

Again, we would like to thank you for your co-operation and your fine talk.

Best regards,

Sincerely,



Glen N. Hancock.

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GEORGE A. LAWRENCE, MANAGER
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December 6, 1955

Mr. Thomas R. Raddall,
Liverpool,
Nova Scotia.

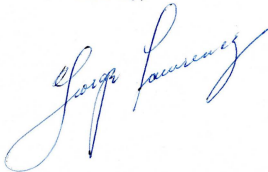
Dear Mr. Raddall:

May I congratulate you upon the excellence of your recording on the "Sam Slick" series and Judge Haliburton? Naturally, the fact that you are favorably impressed by the "Sam Slick" drawings by Jefferys, Judge Haliburton's works, and our action in bringing the drawings back to Canada may cause an Imperial person to be somewhat prejudiced! Nevertheless, we thought that you gave an excellent report and, in addition, we were particularly impressed with your excellent radio voice.

Glen Hancock sent us a copy of the recording and you may be interested to know that we played it in our board room for the company's directors, and they were equally impressed.

May I express our sincere appreciation for the interest you have shown in the acquisition of the drawings and the presentation to Clifton House.

Sincerely,



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December 12th, 1955

Mr. George Lawrence,
Public Relations Dept.,
Imperial Oil Limited,
Toronto, Canada.

Dear Mr. Lawrence,

It was very good of you to write, and I'm glad that you liked my Haliburton piece. I enjoyed doing it, not least because I still get a kick out of Haliburton's writings and because I have always admired Jefferys' work. In fact when my Canadian publishers brought out a book of my historical short stories some years ago I persuaded Jefferys to illustrate it.

Imperial's decision to rescue the Jefferys drawings and make them available to the Canadian public was a wise and generous one, and as a Nova Scotian I'm particularly happy that the Sam Slick drawings are to be preserved in Haliburton's old home. He would have been proud of them himself.

With the compliments of the season,

Sincerely,

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

250 Barrington Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia

G. N. HANCOCK, field representative

May 1, 1959.

Dr. Thomas Raddall,
Liverpool, N.S.

Dear Dr. Raddall:

Under separate cover we are sending you a copy of the February issue of the Imperial Oil Review in which there is an article entitled "The Tempestuous Earl of Dundonald". We are pleased that you found this of interest.

It seems obvious that you do not receive the Review at your home, so we thought that you might like to have your name placed on the distribution list. We have taken the liberty of doing this and the magazine will go to you regularly from now on. I hope that you will find something of interest in each issue.

Sincerely yours,

Glen Hancock

Glen N. Hancock.

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May 2/59*