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COMMUNICATIONS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM—Dr. P. H. Williams; Dr. Bannister; Mr. G. W. Talbot; Dr. E. F. Robinson; Dr. Ballantyne; Mr. W. A. Maclean; Dr. Thomas Williams; Mr. E. Macdermot; Mr. Stone; Mr. T. Holmes; Dr. J. G. Swain; Dr. Hayes Jackson; Mr. Edward Bannister; Dr. J. C. Hall; Dr. George MacRae; Dr. Burnton; Mr. Hume; Dr. Garrod; Dr. Edward Smith; Dr. Ratton; Mr. John Kinnon; Mr. Robert L. Bowles; Mr. W. W. Webster; Mr. R. Forsyth; Mr. McClelland; Mr. A. Cook; Mr. G. M. Hume; Dr. G. G. Rogers; and Mr. John Harrison.

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