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Dear Loring:

Of course, we know of Detry's work and much look forward to his visit. We will have him for a seminar here on May 15, hopefully on the subject you mentioned, the CV and ECG effects of training.

I envy your skiing. We had a poor year, but I had two brief hops to Alta.

Why don't you stop over on your many trips East and see the "new lab". and visit us? Things move along briskly.

Regards to Colleen and all,

Henry Blackburn, M.D.

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Dear Henry:

I missed seeing you at the last AHA meeting - hope you get out this way sometime so we can share a cup, a ski, etc., etc. (I could even soak you in another brook if you like.) Incredible ski season here this year, starting first week of November and now going strong with 25 feet of snow on the ground at the bottom of the ski areas. Skiing still excellent.

I am writing to pave the way for a visit to your lab by my former colleague, Dr. Jean-Marie Detry from Leuven, Belgium, on Monday or Tuesday, May 13-14 as nearly as I can tell. He would like to see you and the lab and if you are interested, he would be willing to give a seminar. He did not specify the topic, but it would most likely relate to his nice studies of those cardiovascular and ECG changes which accompany physical training in cardiac patients (see attached references).

It was good fortune to have Jean-Marie as a postdoctoral fellow here for two years. As you can see from his publications, he has done much. I think you will find it both pleasant and enlightening to talk with him. His English is good. In short, he is a very nice and a very smart guy. I hope you will be able to spend a little time with him. We would both be grateful.

Many thanks and kindest regards. Warmest regards to Nellie also.

Cordially,

Loring B. Rowell, Ph.D. Professor

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