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Dear Mr. Shiner, Sir:

Herewith I submit to you for possible publication a solution which very well could solve the problems of future food supplies for the world. Or it may not.

I would like to compliment you on your February issue, particularly the intriguing report on the Miller Bros. and the 101 Ranch. The author, whom you listed as "F.J. Deering," has a nice writing style and showed the patience to do the research necessary to present facts needed to completely tear down the image I had of this early day Oklahoma institution.

While I have no idea of who F.J. may be, I would suggest you sign him up for future reports. With a little guidance, he could someday become quite an accomplished writer and member of your staff.

Samples of assignments I feel he might do well with include:

"The shady past of the Pioneer Woman."

"The Texas Connection--The real reason Alfalfa Bill Murray closed the Red River Bridge."

And "Gotebo--Sin City of the Southwest."

I believe, in time, F.J. could well become the Jack Taylor of farm publications. The least you can do is give him a chance.

Best regards,

Jack Drummond OSU Ag Information