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Mr. Bob Hulbrock
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Dear Mr. Hulbrock:

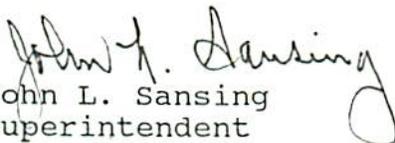
Thank you for your letter refining the substance of the agreement reached regarding operations of Johnson Oyster Company in Drake's Estero. Although our notes of the January 15 meeting indicate that the western channel was to be closed during the pupping season, it may have been recorded in error.

We do recall that Johnson agreed not to use the lateral channel while planting beds #1, #2 and #3, but to service these beds on foot, planting from north to south. Accomplishing the seeding in this manner would require use of the western channel to which we agree if it is done with minimum disturbance. We would concur with your wording regarding the timing of this operation.

Since we seem to have made substantial progress toward reaching an agreement between all parties on this subject, we would not object to the deletion of the word "restrictions" from the first paragraph of the proposed agreement, and to the other changes you have proposed.

Thank you for your interest and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,


John L. Sansing
Superintendent