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Summary of conversation with JAK regarding the Sardinia project:

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1) It is understood that the project shall be undertaken as an anopheles eradication project and shall be continued on that basis until such time as incontrovertible evidence may become available that anopheles eradication is not feasible.

2) In about one year the aim of the project may be reviewed in the light of the evidence brought forth by the entomological survey work which will be continued through the coming winter by Dr. Aitken.

3) As soon as possible after the arrival of JAK in Sardinia, the spray-painting of houses with DDT will be begun.

4) In March 1947 comprehensive anti-larva work will commence in the "Campidano" plain and in the isolated mountain mass to the south and west of the Campidano. The purpose of this work is to perfect the working methods necessary for comprehensive anti-larva work so that, if successful, they may be extended in the spring and summer of 1948 to all the rest of the island of Sardinia.

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JAK

The above conforms to my understanding of our conclusions.

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