

Dear Alec,

your letter of 19th February, 1992 was a nice and happy surprise for me. Thank you very much for it. I am now really curious about the photos taken in Sydney on 17th, 18th and 19th February this ~~year~~ year. And thank you very much for telling Barbara Winter that we had not machine-gunned lifeboats of the BRITISH UNION. She sent me a copy of " Corrections and Additions" to her first paper back edition of F F F, and as you tell me in your letter, all the amendments are published now in the paper back edition. What a nice idea of Barbara Winter to " apologize for having killed you in her first book ! "

Dear Alec, you tell me that you purchased a shark 's yaw and ask me whether it will be of any use to us. Certainly, it will. We caught sharks when our ship lay stopped for repair works or for camouflage reasons and in the end every man of the crew wore a clip with five shark teeth at his cap. But, please, let me know what I can send you in return for all your kindness to us men of KORMORAN.

I had sent my speech to one of my Australian friends (ex-SYDNEY - CPO) who had stayed with his wife at our home for some time in 1984. He gave the text to the President of the Sydney Association for being read to the assembly. The president read it himself but gave it then back to my friend, without saying a single word! I know he is not a friend of KORMORAN. Then my friend gave the letter to comrades who were sitting nearby. They, too, read it and answered in a positive, friendly way.

We survivors of KORMORAN must live with the fact that in Australia there are men who believe our statements - and others who are either unwilling or too stupid to give up their wrong ideas, their inventions and lies. But it is nice to have true friends!

Dear Alec,

Auf Wiedersehen

one day in Hamburg,

yours very sincerely

