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Dr. Karel Absolon
2714 West 10th
Amarillo, Texas

Dear Karel:

I certainly was happy to hear from you the other day, and am happy that things are going along very well.

Listed below are the addresses and pertinent information that you asked for.

Magovern Valves are made by Surgitool, Inc., 529 Greenhurst Drive, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 12516. Their telephone number is 412-343-2654.

Star-Edwards Valves are made by the Edwards Laboratories, 624 Dyer Avenue, Santa Ana, California, 92705. Their telephone number is 714-546-0511. They also make the sizers and holders which we used here. The holders, of course, are modified. Phelan Manufacturing Co. makes one holder which will adapt to the Edwards Holder but this would not be entirely satisfactory for the technique that we have been using.

The arterial cannulas are *Mayo* femoral cannulas with lip, at \$23.50 each and are made by the Mark Co., 31 West Street, Randolph, Massachusetts, Attention: Mr. E. J. Finneran. The sizes that are available are 2.4, 3.0, 3.2, 3.4, 3.8, 4.4, 4.9, 5.4, 5.9, and 6.4 mm. in diameter.

I hope that this information is helpful to you. If there is anything else that I can do, please let me know. Be sure to give my regards to Mary and the children.

Most sincerely yours,

Bob
Robert D. Sellers, M. D.
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