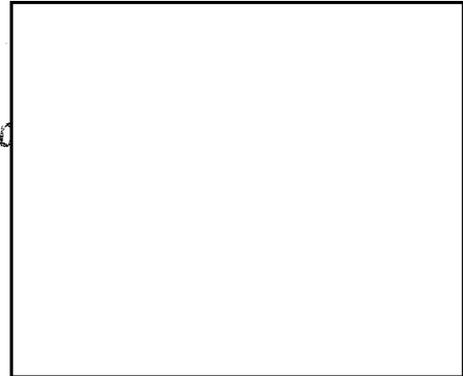


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John
Mr. Gailon C. Fordyce
Assistant Director of Purchases
American Cyanamid Company
30 Rockefeller Plaza
New York 20, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Fordyce:

Thank you very much for your letter of 26 January inviting me to speak before a meeting of the Purchasing Agents Association of New York on 19 April.

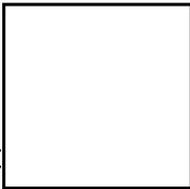
Because of my many official commitments and heavy work schedule, I have made it a policy to try to keep my speaking engagements to a minimum. Unfortunately, I cannot make an additional commitment at this time. However, your courtesy in asking me to join you is indeed appreciated, and I would like to take this opportunity to wish you every success in your meeting.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director



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