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Mr. Jack Matthews
Dean of Students
University of Missouri
Columbia, Missouri

Dear Dean Matthews:

I am honored that you have considered me as a possible speaker in the University of Missouri "Union Presents" Series.

Since returning to my office, I have reviewed my schedule and I am sorry to say that I cannot at this time accept your kind invitation.

My duties will keep me close to Washington for the foreseeable future, and, in any event I find it necessary to keep my public speaking engagements at a minimum.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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Per our telecon. What are your recommendations?

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Remarks: <p>Recommend that DCI consider favorably this speaking invitation from U. of Missouri, leaving topic and time open (preferably perhaps in the spring semester) and waiving the honorarium, as per his custom. The U. of Missouri would provide a good forum from which to speak in the Middle West: the Director's last public appearance at a Middle West ^{of a nature} institution was in April 1956, at the U. of Cincinnati.</p> <p><i>Will speak in K.C. on 11 Nov. jre</i></p>					
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles:

Dean Matthews is one of the Personnel consultants with whom you had luncheon the other day. If you will let us know whether you want to accept or decline this invitation, we will prepare a letter accordingly.


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UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI
COLUMBIA

OFFICE OF
DEAN OF STUDENTS

October 4, 1960

Mr. Allen Dulles
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

With the completion of a new Student Union Building on the University of Missouri campus several years ago, one of the programs of the Union has been known as the "Union Presents" Series.

This program has featured such speakers in the past as President Truman, Mrs. Roosevelt, the late Senator Barkley, Justice Douglas and, on September 22th, General Maxwell Taylor.

As I recall, the honorarium has varied from \$500.00 to \$1200.00 and I believe, in one instance, \$1500.00.

I wonder if it would be possible for you to appear as a speaker on the Series sometime during the present academic year?

If it is possible for you to make an appearance on the University of Missouri campus, travel would probably not be too much of an obstacle because connections between Washington and St. Louis are good and, although we do have air connections on the feeder line from St. Louis to Columbia, it would probably be better if you were met in St. Louis with the University plane.

I have already conferred with President Elmer Ellis regarding an invitation for you to speak to our students, and I sincerely hope if you are planning on making any talks away from Washington, you will give us serious consideration.

Very truly yours,



Jack Matthews
Dean of Students

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