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Mr. Gilbert Darlington, Chairman
Distinguished Visitors Committee
Union Club
450 Park Avenue
New York 22, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Darlington:

Thank you very much for your thoughtful letter of 22 October concerning the talk that I made at the Union Club.

I sincerely appreciate your kind comments and want you to know that I thoroughly enjoyed the occasion. There were no expenses incurred on this trip and it was most considerate of you to offer to take care of any such items for me.

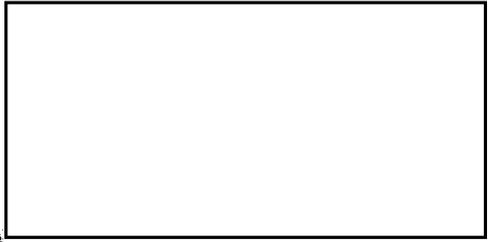
With kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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NEW YORK

450 Park Avenue
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October 22, 1959

The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

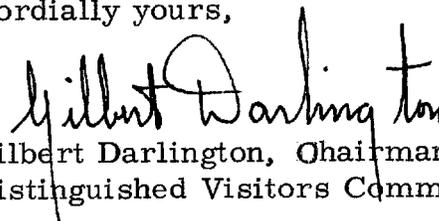
Dear Mr. Dulles:

On behalf of the members of the Union Club I would like to thank you for the most interesting and informative address on Tuesday night. You were most generous with the amount of time that you gave and in addition with the time given to answering questions. One of our members told me how much he enjoyed it and said he could listen to you all night.

Thank you again. Our members are unanimous in saying that it was a most successful evening.

If you had any expense at the Drake or while you were in New York, I hope you will let me know. Next time that you come to New York and wish to stay at the Club or to make use of it in any way, please let me know as it will be a pleasure to extend to you every possible courtesy.

Cordially yours,


Gilbert Darlington, Chairman
Distinguished Visitors Committee

P, S. It was stupid of me not to recall that Hap Arnold was the only Air Force General with five stars. Admiral Nimitz is the only surviving Fleet Admiral. General Douglas MacArthur and General Omar N. Bradley are both five-star generals.

G. D.