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Dr. Harry Woodburn Chase, Chancellor
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My dear Dr. Chase:

I knew that there had been some discussion with Dr. Lanza on the subject of your letter of the 21st but have had no opportunity of talking with him.

Just now, he is at our Pacific Coast Head Office and in all probability will return in a comparatively short time.

In the circumstances, I think we should defer further consideration of the matter until we have an opportunity of conferring with the Doctor. It is my understanding that Dr. Lanza desires to retire from active service, which he may do by the end of 1948, and my present view is that arrangements may be made for his continuing with full salary with this Company for the year 1948, giving half-time to this Company and half-time to the project in question, if it is desired that he should do so. Being on the Company's payroll, of course he would not receive other compensation. It is suggested, therefore, that we take the matter up with him upon his return.

I trust this will be helpfully satisfactory.

Faithfully yours,

F. EL ECKHART

Chairman of the Board.