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Dear Bob:

By way of completing the record, here are copies of a letter
and enclosure just sent to Jack Bloomfield.

I hope that I may presently hear from you in response to my
recent letter concerning the 1945 place of meeting.

Sincerely,

Manfred Bowditch
Director

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August 5, 1944

Mr. J. J. Bloomfield, Chief
Field Operations Section
Industrial Hygiene Division
U. S. Public Health Service
National Institute of Health
Bethesda 14, Maryland

Dear Jack,

This will acknowledge your circular of August 2, with regard to the Cummings Memorial Lecture of the A. I. H. A.

You will observe from the enclosed copy of a recent letter to Phil Drinker that I have not slipped up on this item.

The two Boston beans will doubtless go into a huddle on the subject on Phil's return.

Sincerely,

Manfred Bowditch
Director

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Professor Philip Drinker
Harvard School of Public Health
55 Shattuck Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Phil:

I realize that this will not reach you for a space, but I might as well get it off my chest.

It seems to me very important that the speaker and subject of the Cummings Memorial Lecture should every year be most carefully selected and I would like to do my bit to this end in 1945. My only thought thus far is to the effect that a paper on the place of industrial hygiene in the post-war era would certainly be timely, though I would not wish to see it given unless the right person could be found to make it really thought-provoking. In general, it is my feeling that these annual lectures should be on subjects of broad administrative interest, rather than on technical problems, provided that they are kept carefully out of the "droll" classification.

I would welcome your comments on the above.

Sincerely,

Manfred Bowditch
Director

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