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Dear Dr. Couture:

Mrs. Norman has forwarded to me your letter of July 9. I am very pleased that you will be in Cuba in 1956. I hope that we can see each other at that time.

With reference to the honorary degree, there are only two times during the year when such a degree may be awarded. One is at the graduation exercises which occur in June; the other is at the time of the fall convocation which usually occurs in October or November. I do not believe there is any ceremony which occurs in January or February which would be appropriate for the awarding of an honorary degree. I will write you again concerning this matter when I return to my office in New Orleans and look into the situation further.

Again, let me thank you for your generous donations of books. They are most helpful and it is very kind of you to enrich our collection of materials from Uruguay.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely,



Ray Forrester, Dean
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