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Dear Peter:

I am fascinated by your new title and hope that the NCI will become actively involved with community prevention activities. You will hear eventually of the anticipated merger of the Laboratory of Physiological Hygiene with Epidemiology on the retirement of Len Schuman in 1983. We anticipate becoming a more "balanced" academic division to include work in cancer and other chronic disease epidemiology at that time.

Cordially,

Henry Blackburn, M.D. Professor and Director

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