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Dear Dr. Subrahmanyan:

I am embarrassed that I have been so long in replying and thanking you for your very kind note concerning the Osborne-Mendel Award. It was good of you to write me concerning this.

May I congratulate you on the receipt of the Babcock-Hart Award? Your selection for this had not come to my attention. It certainly was an excellent selection and represents a distinct honor.

I am sorry that you are retiring, but hope that this will mean that you will merely divert your energies toward other effective programs. I quite agree that there are a number of areas in which appropriate follow-up study should be made subsequent to ICNND surveys. Unfortunately, because of bureaucratic transfer and reorganization of ICNND, Doctor Schaefer probably has not been able to give as much attention to this matter as he would have liked. Hence, if you have not had as much encouragement from him on it as you may expect, it is because of his preoccupation with other matters at this moment.

In the meantime, certainly I shall give some additional thought to this matter and bear in mind the contribution which your very fine background and experience could make to such programs. I do hope that we shall have an opportunity during 1963 to meet somewhere in the interest of nutrition.

With my kindest personal regards and all good wishes for this year.

Sincerely,

William J. Darby

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