June 1, 1965.

Dear Albert:

The other day, Mr. Frajermauer, the Honorary Secretary of the Argentine Friends of the Hebrew University visited me here in Montreal and we discussed the Hebrew University progress being made there, and in particular the activities of the Family Endowment Committee of leading citizens, which I was able to organize when my wife and I visited Buenos Aires for three weeks last August, in the interest of the Hebrew University.

Frajermauer spoke of their plans for an Argentine meeting sometime in August and said that his Committee was most anxious to have you come to Buenos Aires as Guest of Honour and Guest Speaker on that occasion. I told him how busy you are and that I knew from your letter of April 24th that you were actually away on a trip to Denmark, Italy, the Soviet Union and England, and would not be back until June 3rd, when I would comply with the request to invite you on their behalf.

In the course of conversation, Frajermauer told me that the Sabin vaccine is now being used virtually exclusively in the Argentine, and he also suggested that if you would consent to come, it would be highly desirable that you remain there some three or four days in order to address two or three gatherings which would be specially convened in your honour by the University of Buenos Aires. In view of this I felt more encouraged to get in touch with you to make the request, and although I am aware of how preoccupied you are, I hope nevertheless that you would find it possible to accept the invitation, and if you would let me know by telegram or telephone, indicating the number of days and dates, you would be prepared to remain there, I would send a cable off so that a specific and concrete program may be worked out and submitted for your approval.
Now, I may mention another important factor, namely that following a discussion I had with Eliahu Elath and Bernard Cherrick, a Latin American tour by Bernard Cherrick was decided upon, and it turns out that Cherrick's visit to Buenos Aires will take place from August 8th to 23rd, and it was agreed between Ignace Frajermanu and myself that it would be highly desirable that your visit to Buenos Aires take place during the period of Cherrick's stay there.

I feel strongly that this would be of great added importance to the Hebrew University and that the combination of Sabin and Cherrick would be of most significant advantage from the point of view of the immediate practical results hoped for from Cherrick's visit.

I hope your visits to the four countries named were both successful and enjoyable and I look forward to hearing from you when you have received this letter.

With kind personal regards and best wishes, I am,

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