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Dear Biographee:

A LETTER FROM THE HON. GENERAL EDITOR

Your name has been commended to me for biographical inclusion in the special Thirteenth Edition of the Dictionary of International Biography, to be published in October 1976. It is "special" - to me at any rate - because this new 1976-1977 Edition will be the tenth I have edited.

I am asking you to help me make it the best in the entire series and I will be personally grateful if you will kindly complete the enclosed biographical questionnaire and return it to me within the time specified on the front page. No obligation is incurred by so doing.

In accordance with policy over the last seven years, D.I.B. XIII will again be issued as a two-volume set - A to K and L to Z. Over the last few years the status of D.I.B. has steadily grown and many of the 120,000 men and women who have been listed in one or more Editions have become friends by correspondence and even by personal meeting as a direct result of their inclusion. The first Convention of biographees was held at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City, in July 1975, and some four hundred - from all six Continents - were in attendance.

D.I.B. XIII will again include some fifteen thousand biographies of people like yourself - men and women of achievement - from many countries: indeed, most nations will be represented within its pages. It is published from the International Biographical Centre, Cambridge, England, and the 1976-1977 Edition will maintain the high standards of D.I.B. XII.

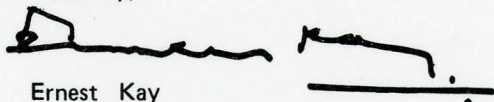
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There is no charge or fee of any kind for the publication of your biography nor are you under any obligation to purchase a copy. The completion of the enclosed questionnaire carries no further involvement unless, of course, you wish to order. In this event, there are most advantageous terms for biographees.

I am much looking forward to receiving your completed questionnaire.

With thanks and good wishes.

Sincerely,



Ernest Kay
Hon. General Editor

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