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I REGRET EXCEEDINGLY THAT IMPORTANT BUSINESS OF CONCLUDING SALE OF THE MERCHANDISE MART TODAY PREVENGED MY JOINING YOU AND OTHER MEMBERS 25 YEAR CLUB AT YOUR THIRD ANUAL BANQUET THIS EVENING. IT WAS MY GOOD FORTUNE TO BE WITH YOU ON OCCASION OF THE FIRST BANQUET ANDTHE SECOND ONE AND I HAD HOPED TO KEP THAT RECORD INTACT. PLEASE CONVEY MY HEARTY CONGRATULATIONSAND BEST WISHES TO THE OLD MEMBERSOF THE CLUB AND ALSO MY ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME, AND GREETINGS TO NEW MEMBERS JOINING THIS YEAR. THESE FINE MEN AND WOMEN ARE THR BACKBONE OF THE MANUFACUTRING DIVISION OF MARSHALL FIELD AND COMPANY AND I AM PROUD OF EVERYONE OF THEM=

HUGHSTON M MCBAIN PRESIDENT
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