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Professor Emmett L. Bennett, Jr  
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Dear Professor Bennett:

Mr Bernard Bloch has sent me a copy of your fine Ventris & Chadwick review, which we have been expecting, in Language — in fact, he has sent me two copies. I have written to try to secure the third, as we need one for the author, one for our London office, and one for our own files, but Mr Bloch does not have an extra one to offer us. He suggested our writing to you, asking for an offprint when one is available. Will you be so kind as to send us one, noting on it "Extra copy requested by American Branch for Mr Chadwick." We will then pass this along.

I am sure that you will be interested to know that we plan to publish, perhaps later this year, a book by John Chadwick entitled "The Decipherment of Linear B", which gives the background of Mr Ventris's decipherment, an account of his argument, a brief survey of the significance of the material made available by the discovery.

Yours sincerely,

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