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TO: Lt. Gen. Jim  
Abrahamson.

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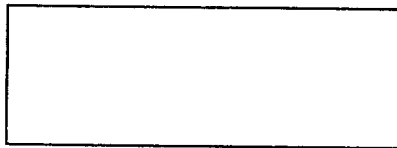
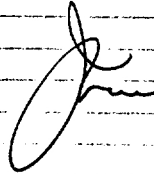
*Sputnik*

Dear Gen Abrahamson -

I enjoyed our discussion at the  
DSB dinner last week.

When you mentioned Sputnik  
as Oct. 23 1957, one of my circuits  
flashed; but memory is unreliable  
so I waited to check the history. It  
was Oct. 4, as I remember very  
well. I was in Melbourne; and Sputnik  
was visible to the eye in the Southern  
hemisphere a couple of days before the  
northern.

Sincerely,



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