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April 17, 1972

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My dear J.P.,

I have to go to Delhi early morning on Wednesday the 19th and will not be able to see you till the weekend when I get back. I shall try and see you on the morning of Sunday the 23rd.

This is just a line to say that I got your telegram and have accordingly invited a few friends of yours and mine the following for dinner at my place at 8 p.m. on Tuesday the 25th:

Mr. Khushwant Singh
Mr. A. D. Gorwala
Mr. V. B. Karnik
Mr. J. B. H. Wadia
Mr. A. G. Noorani
Mr. S. V. Raju
Mr. Jehangir Patel (my young Associate Editor of Freedom First)

S. Narayana

Along with you and me, that makes nine. As you will notice, I have accepted your suggestion to keep it stag.

Yours sincerely,

[Handwritten signature]

(M. R. MASANI)

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