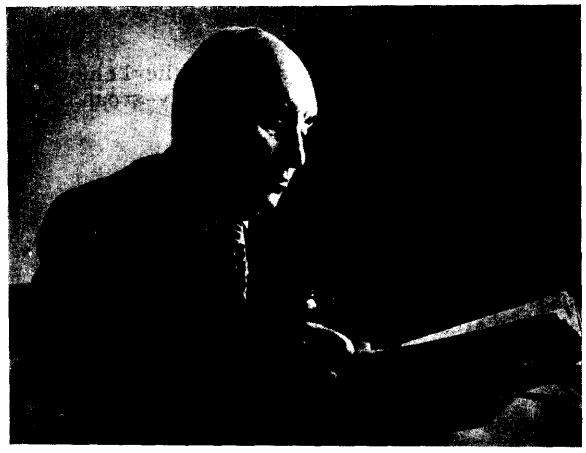
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Dear Aleksandr Nikolaevich,

The Editorial Staff and the Editorial Board of the journal "Uspekhi Khimii" convey to you their heartfelt greetings on your 75th birthday and the 50th anniversary of your fruitful scientific and teaching activity and your work for the community. You are the founder of the chemistry of organometallic compounds and of organic derivatives of the elements in the Soviet Union and your outstanding research has gained deserved recognition both in our country and abroad. By your brilliant studies, you have significantly enriched theoretical and experimental organic chemistry. A fundamentally new and extremely important branch of chemistry—the chemistry of synthetic and artificial food—was created in recent years in the Soviet Union on your initiative and under your supervision. Your scientific activity embraces profound theoretical research, involving the synthesis of preparations important in practice, which are of great value for our nation and the economy of the country.

We wish you, dear Aleksandr Nikolaevich, health, happiness, and further fruitful scientific activity and work in the community for the benefit of our Motherland and Soviet science.

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