will last. We don't exactly know what England's attitude will be if the Labor Party should come into power in the next elections, because the public utterances of Mr. Hugh Wilson on this particular issue of the Common Market have been rather negative thus far. Perhaps once in power he will have a different view of things, but for the moment we don't know.

Also, we don't know exactly what will happen in Italy where the base of the government is very weak; it's a very uncertain one. And so, there are quite a number of uncertainties that we have to face. Yet, some of us believe that the basic idea of the Common Market as seen in the context of a wider Western organization with collective responsibilities toward themselves and the rest of the world, that it can be done and we should continue to strive in that direction. We need encouragement. We need encouragement from you, and so far you have given it to us.

Mr. Truman, General Eisenhower and Mr. Kennedy - all three - have at one time or another told us that they are in favor of European unity, although they must have realized that by uniting Europe it will provide a strong competitor in the world's markets. But, it seems that the political significance of a United Europe is so much more important than the economic risks that would be involved for you, that your government has thus far taken a very positive attitude, and I hope that it will continue.

I see that my time is up, and with your permission, sir, I will now conclude and declare myself open for and willing to answer questions. Thank you very much.

QUESTION: Sir, you mentioned the desirability of maintaining the