

A former General Motors executive tonight
said the ^{European} ~~European~~ Common Market countries and the
United States have committed themselves to trade
liberalization. (Start film)

Cyrus Osborn, the retired executive vice president
of General Motors spoke tonight at the annual meeting of
the Roanoke Chamber of Commerce. (Show film)

In a ~~statistic~~ statistic-filled talk, done mostly on
slides, Osborn told his audience that we should have
an objective of putting the promises of trade liberalization
into effect. He cited figures on both the Common Market,
the European Free Trade Association and the gross national
product of the United States to buttress his points.

Stuart Saunders, the president of the Norfolk and Western
Railway, was given a special meritorious award by outgoing
Chamber President Bolling Izard for Saunders contributions to
the N&W and the Roanoke Valley.

At the end of the meeting at Hotel Roanoke Izard turned the
gavel over to Roy Herrenkohl, incoming Chamber President. A
crowd of about 650 or 700 persons attended.