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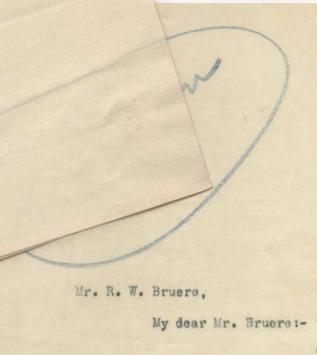
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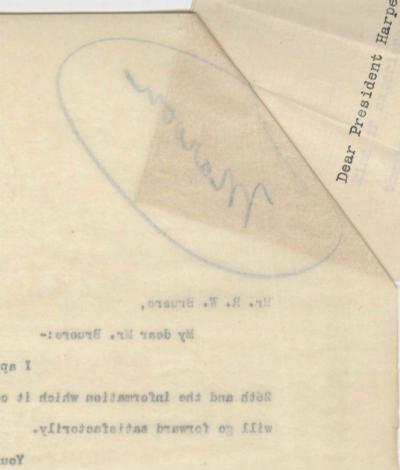


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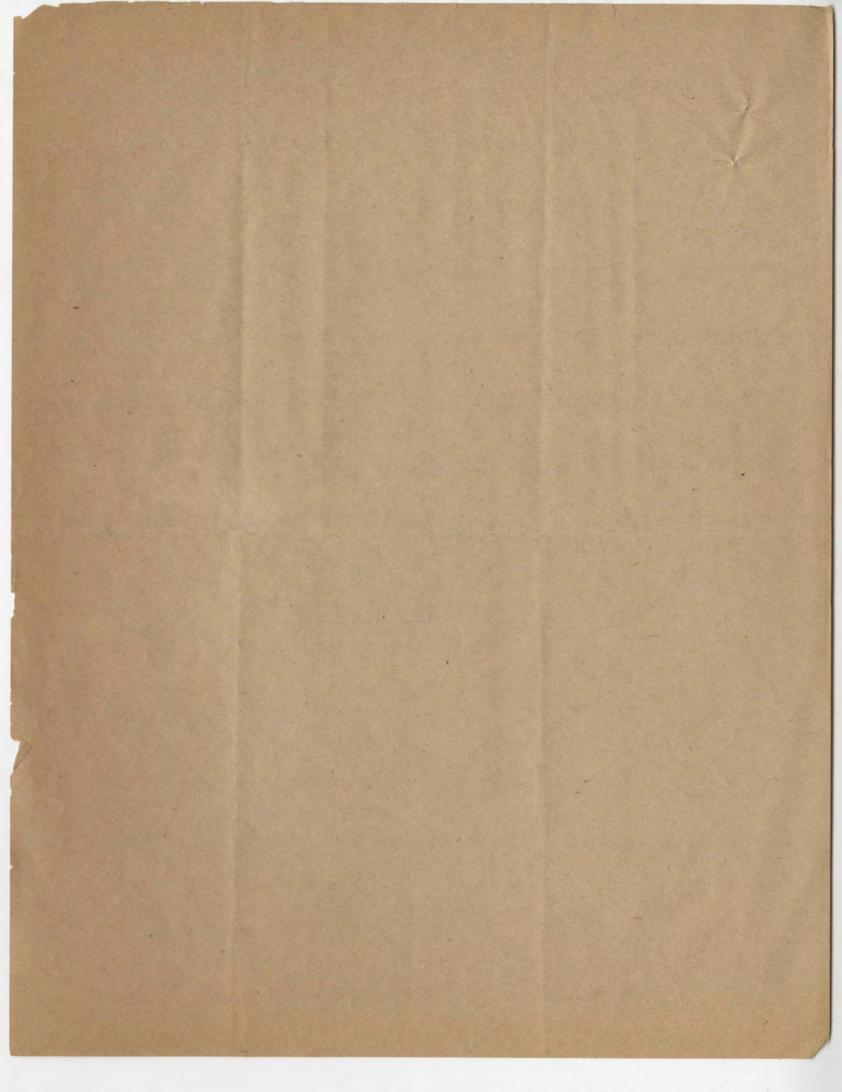
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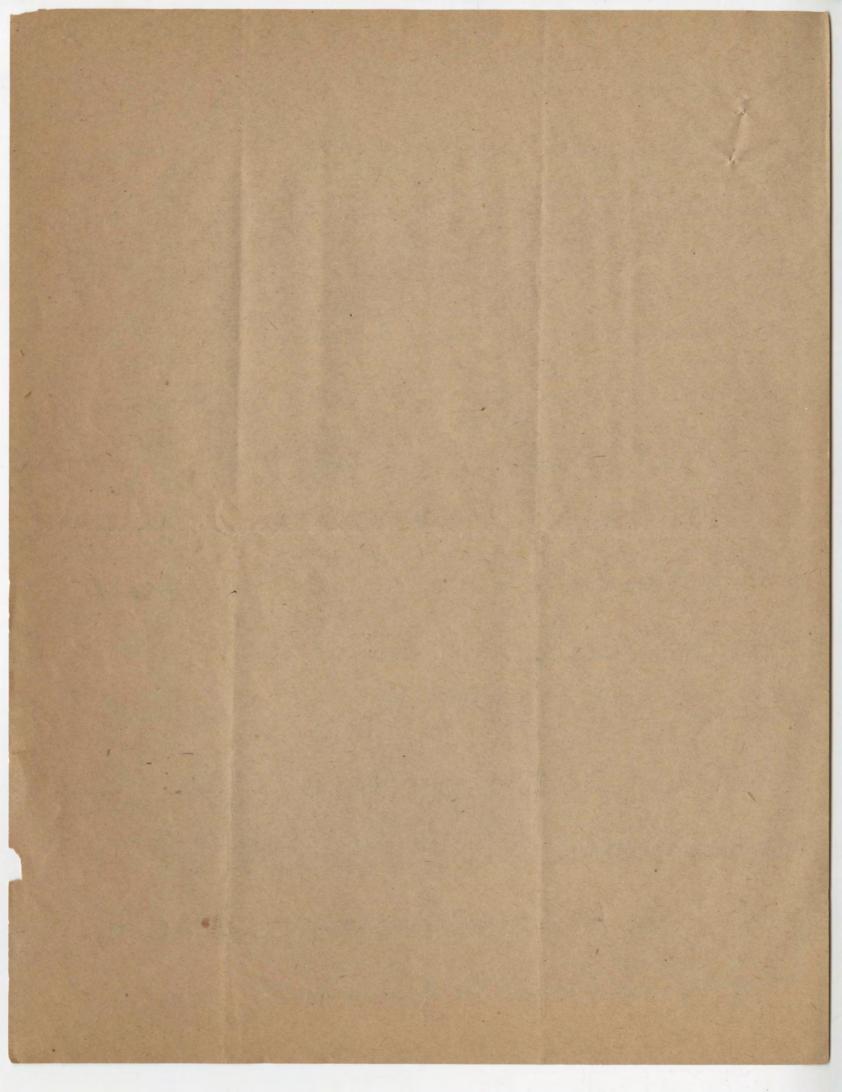
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The president said that all figures will be open to any who wish to make themselves more familian with the financial side of the Univer Continuing his figures de said that the invastments were divided in the following way: Real Estate - 4,000,000. Bonds - 4,500,000. Stocks - 310.000 Uf the real estate, the most is downtown property, but there is some on the west side although it is being disposed of as rapidly as possible. The president here took occasion to characterize the statements made in a recent magazine about the university's control of



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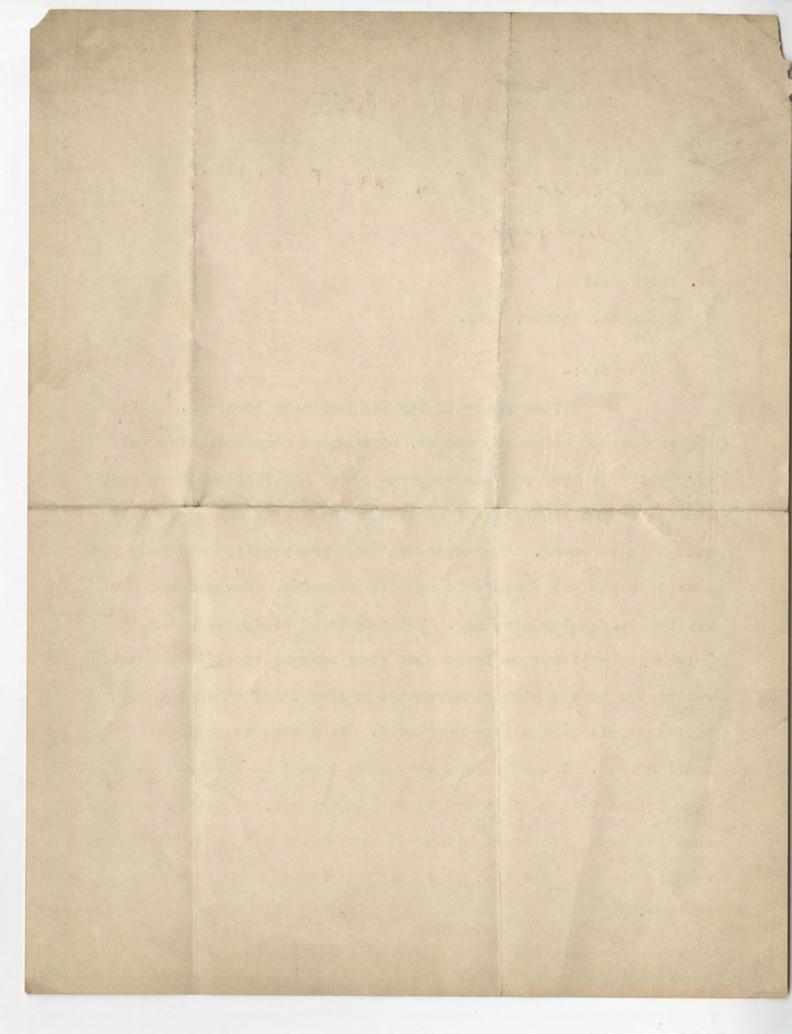
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My dear Sir:-

Your favor of May 9th has been received. I like the suggestion which you and Mr. Durno have proposed. The only difficulty is that so many men from other institutions have made similar propositions, that I am afraid there will not be constituency enough to go round. Arrangements have practically been made for a daily paper and also for a monthly magazine. Several men have written concerning a weekly. The number of students in the University will not be large next year because it will be greatly restricted by the high requirements and by the fact that our buildings will not all be completed. We desire to begin with a small number. I should like very much indeed to have you and your friend with us in the Graduate department, and it seems to me that you might find work either in connection with the University or with the city dailies. I should be glad to hear from you further.

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Yours very truly, M. C. Harper



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It has been suggested by a member of the faculty that University credit be allowed to editors, based on the real work done.

This might be considered when the proposed School of Journalism is organized. For the present, I should like to be able to assure my subordinates that the matter of schoolarships will be considered on its merits by the authorities, thus furnishing an immediate inducement to able men.

I should also like to ask, in addition to the office room, that the "Marcon" be given a box in the Kaculty Exchange and also the use of the telephone for sending late copy to the printer.

That the papeer may acquire momentum sufficient to carry it through the Summer Quarter, and that the edvertising business which is placed the first of May can be bid for, it is advisable to hasten its establishment and ge out the first issue as near the first of May as possible. Therefore I urge upon your Board immediate action. for I shall not proceed any further in the matter until I receive your sanction. Earl D. Howard, '01

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The heroine of the play, a charming, coquettish miss, with whom, of course, half of the boys in college are more or less smitten, is played by Willette Kershaw. Important parts are played by J. Heron Miller, son of Henry Miller, and Arthur Shaw, son of Mary Shaw both of whom are college graduates. The production is remarkably complete in letail and characteristic- in atmosphere, facts due very largely to



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ARTICLE VII. FINANCE.

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When the aforesaid sum in transfer shall have been reduced below hundred (500) dollars each Business Manager shall, before assuming his duties, deposit with the Board of Directors his personal note, satisfactorily endorsed, for amount of the difference between the sum in transfer and five hundred (500) dollars. When the sum in transfer shall have been extinguished the aforesaid note shall be for five fundred (500) dollars and shall continue permanently at this amount The aforesaid note shall stand as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the Business Manager, and it shall be held in trust by the University Registrar, to be drawn out only upon the joint order of the President of e Board of Trustees and a member of the University Board of Student zan zations, Publications and Exbitions, and it shall be drawn only pry the debts of the paper or to he returned to the Business Manager upon his retirement and the deposit of a similar note by his succes-

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charge employees of the paper and of the net receipts shall be divided among the executive editors as follows: Managing Editor, twenty-five per cent (25%); News Editor, fifteen per cent (15%); Athletic Editor, ten per cent (10%). Losses shall be divided among the Business Manager and Editors in the same proportion as the profits. Settlement of profits shall be made by the Business Manager quarterly on the basis of his reports, these settlements to be made before the fifteenth (15) day of the first month of the succeeding quarter. The assistant business managers shall receive as remuneration commissions on advertising solicited by them, these commissions to be determined by the Business Manager, subject to the approval of the Board of Direc-

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This constitution shall be published in THE DAILY MAROON once during the first month of the autumn quarter of each year.

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Adopted this twenty-eighth day of May, nineteen hundred and seven, by the Board of Editors and the Business Manager of THE DAILY MA-ROON, of the University of Chicago, Signed:

R. EDDY MATHEWS, Managing Editor. GEORGE E. FULLER, Business Manager.

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PINKERTON, '08, HAS PART IN "BROWN OF HARVARD"

Plays "Thompson Coyne" in College Play at Studebaker—Varsity Night Tonight.

P. Whittier Pinkerton, '08, is taking the part of Thompson Coyne in "Brown of Harvard," which is now being acted at the Studebaker. Pinkerton is a member of the Blackfriars, and has shown his histrionic ability in several dramatic performances given at the University.

The management of Studebaker have set tonight as "University of Chicago night," when special varsity features are expected to draw a large University attendance.

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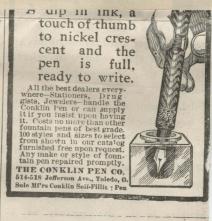
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- B. The News Editor shall have general supervision over the news department of the paper, giving assignments to reporters, arranging for copy-readers and make-up, and shall be responsible to the Managing Editor. He may call meetings of the reporters and candidates for the staff at any time. He shall act as secretary at all meetings of the Board of Directors and the Board of Editors. In case of the temporary absence or inability of the Managing Editor, the News Editor shall perform the duties of Managing Editor.

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- A. The qualifications, election and term of the Athletic Editor shall be the same as those of the Managing Editor.
- E. The Athletic Editor shall have general supverision over the athletic department of the paper, and shall be resposible to the News Editor.

Section 6. THE ASSOCIATE EDITORS.

- A. The Associate Editors shall be bons fide students in the University of Chicago, who shall have served on the staff of reporters for at least two quarters. In case of especial merit, a reporter may be made an Associate Editor after one quarter's service as a reporter. On a two-thirds(8/3) vote of the entire Board of Editors.
- B. Associate Editors may be elected by the Board of Editors at any regularly delled meeting. A member of the Associate Board, shall be necessary to an election. A member of the Associate Board, having been out of residence for more than one quarter of publication, may be reinstated to the Board upon his return to residence, on a majority wote of the Board. An absence from residence of one quarter or less shall not deprive an Associate Editor of his position on the Board.

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Section 3. The Business Manager shall be elected by the Board of Directors at the annual meeting, for a term of one year. The retiring Business Manager shall nominate his successor. If the candidate is rejected he shall have the privilege of nominating not more than two other candidates, who shall be named within a week after the rejection of the first. In event of the rejection of the Business Manager's nominee, the Board of Directors shall nominate further candidates.

Any Business Manager may, for neglect, inefficiency or dishonesty in the performance of his duties, be forced to retire by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the entire Board of Directors, on one month's official notice in writing. No Business Manager may retire before the expiration of his term, without one month's formal notice to the Board of Directors or before his successor is duly elected.

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ARTICLE VII. FINANCE.

Section 1. The present Business Manager shall be allowed to collect from his successor the sum of eight hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty cents (\$846.50). This sum in transfer shall be reduced by not less than one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty cents (\$169.30) each year hereafter until it shall have been extinguished, after which time, which shall be not later than the end of the fifth year after the adoption of this constitution, there shall be no compensation or renumeration passing between the retiring and incoming Business Managers. The amount of reduction of the aforesaid sum in transfer shall be paid to each Business Manager as an expense on the paper.

The Board of Directors shall have the right at any time to borrow, on reasonable interest, money to reduce or eliminate the aforesaid sum in transfer and pay principal and interest on the loan in installments of not less than one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty cents (\$169.30) a year from the gross receipts of the paper.

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This constitution shall be published in THE DAILY MAROON once during the first month of the autumn quarter of each year.

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This Constitution shall be construed as superseding and and overruling any and all previous agreements and instruments bearing on the management and operation of THE DAILY MAROON.

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All powers not herein expressly provided for are reserved to the Board of Directors.

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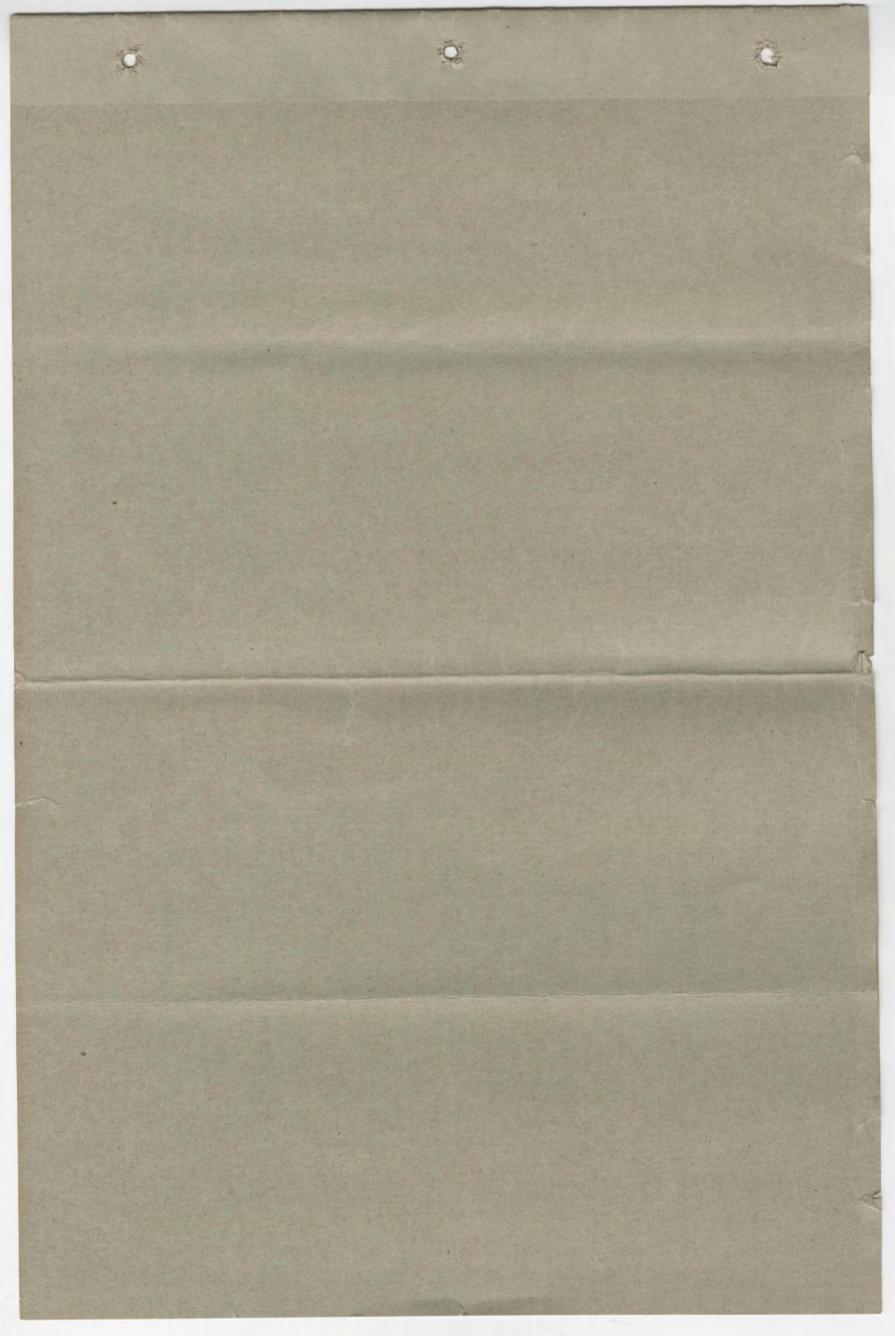
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President Ernest D. Burton Harper Library

My dear President Burton:

Some time ago you asked me to report upon the enclosed request from the Business Manager and Editor-in-Chief of the Marton for an increase in the subsidy paid to the Marton. I have delayed my reply in order to acquaint myself thoroughly with the facts and conditions involved, and am now ready heartily to recommend that for the rest of the present school year full tuition be granted to six members of the staff - namely, the two News Editors, the Sports' Editor, the Women's Editor, the Circulation Manager, and the Advertising Manager. It means a total increase in subsidy for the two quarters from \$560 to \$750.

It means also that the Editor-in-Chief and Business Manager, to whom part tuition has been granted heretofore, cancel their request for such part tuition upon the understanding that full tuition be granted to their six associates, being willing to take their chance of compensation from the profits which they hope to make.

I do not recommend (as they request) the grant of tuition to the "Whistle" writer, for I think that his department has been distinctly inferior to the high standard maintained by the rest of the paper, and that it is not essential to the semi-official service which the Maroon as a whole renders and renders very well.

It is indeed the excellence of the standard maintained by the Maroon through the Autumn that leads me to favor, in general, the grant of what they ask. For the Maroon this Autumn has not only been far better than ever before in the years of my connection with the University - more complete, more accurate, more discriminating, and more dignified - but it has been an invaluable help to me by its constant and intellectual support both in news articles and in editorials of what I have tried to do. And this support has been given, I believe, simply and solely because the editors desire, just as truly as we do, the development of healthy and improved conditions of life and work among the undergraduates of the University of Chicago. Furthermore, the editors are planning certain new experiments which I regard as very promising.

Before the end of the year, I hope a proposal looking toward the establishment of the Maroon upon a sounder official and financial basis may be laid before you. For the time being I hope very much that you may find it possible to provide for the increase in subsidy herein recommended.

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