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March 14, 1941.

Dr. Karl Compton, President,
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Dr. Compton:

This Association importantly represents the pharmaceutical manufacturing industry serving the medical profession. It will hold its annual meeting at the New Ocean House in Swampscott, Mass., during the week of June 23. There should be a representative attendance approaching 200 or more, of chief executives; and the proceedings are publicized in the trade and general press. The annual banquet is the climactic occasion, probably on Tuesday or Wednesday evening. In behalf of President Ascher I am honored to invite you to address the association at this banquet session. This address will bring your Institute into contact with an important manufacturing industry, principally interested in scientific research; and it presents a real opportunity for you authoritatively to emphasize the fundamental need of such research, as a matter of industry policy and public health improvement. Therefore we very sincerely hope that you can and will accept this invitation.

I remain, with esteem,

Cordially and faithfully yours,

CHARLES WESLEY DUNN

March 17, 1941 Mr. Charles Wesley Dunn Amer. Pharmaceutical Mfgrs. Assoc. 608 Fifth Avenue
New York City Dear Mr. Dunn: I appreciate your invitation to address the Association when it meets at Swampscott, Massachusetts, during the week of June 23. However, it is impossible for me to accept the invitation since I shall have to be absent to attend and address another association to which I have somewhat intimate obligations during the same week. Very sincerely yours KTC/L President

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PRESIDENT K. T. COMPTON
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear Compton:

Dean Pegram and I are asking the members of the Council to dinner at the Columbia University Faculty Club at 6:45 PM on Thursday, January 21. The Council meeting will begin after or perhaps during the dinner. I hardly dare to hope that you will be able to come, but it will give us great pleasure if you can. Please let me know if this is possible. Sincerely yours,

K. K. Darrow

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February 26, 1958

Dr. John C. Slater Room 6-320, M.I.T.

Dear John:

This morning I received a very warm letter from Karl Darrow accepting our invitation for the March meeting of 1959, and I see that you have been sent a copy.

May I now count on you and Ned to let me know when and how we can be of help in making this meeting a success.

Sincerely,

J. A. Stratton

JAS/E cc: Mr. Kelso

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April 10, 1958



Mr. James G. Kelso President's Office M. I. T.

Dear Mr. Kelso:

I am writing you about a meeting which will occur almost a year from now. The Institute has invited the American Physical Society to meet here on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, March 30, 31 and April 1, 1959, during our spring vacation. This will be a large meeting, with perhaps 1300 registered, and we shall need a good many facilities, in the way of class rooms, space for registration, etc. I believe that we should reserve at least the following facilities for the three days:

Kresge Auditorium, and the small auditorium
10-250
Compton Lecture Room
6-120
plus several other rooms--perhaps 4-270, 2-390, or other equivalent ones

In addition, the registration problem will be large enough so that I believe that the registration desks should be set up in the Building 7 lobby. This means that no exhibits should be scheduled for that lobby during the days of the meeting.

We shall also need to have places where the people can eat lunch. This means that the dining halls should be ready to serve a considerable number of people in Walker and in the Graduate House Cafeteria.

I am writing Mr. Morrison about the functions which we hope to hold at the Faculty Club on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

2 April 10, 1958 Mr. James G. Kelso Could you please see that the necessary offices at M. I. T. are alerted regarding this meeting, so that there will not be competing calls for our facilities? Sincerely yours John C. Slater Institute Professor JCS:sl cc: J. A. Stratton Schedules Office Dining Service G. G. Harvey K. K. Darrow

af - amer Physical Sec. April 15, 1958 Professor John C. Slater Room 6-320 Dear Professor Slater: Thank you for your letter of April 10th, outlining the proposed meeting of the American Physical Society next spring. I should like to make the following suggestion concerning arrangements. I do not believe it is at all necessary that the President's Office enter into notifying the various services of the Institute as to time and details of the meeting. This, as a rule, can best be done by the group at the Institute most familiar with the details of the proposed meeting. I would suggest that Professor George Harvey or some other member of the Department of Physics complete this part of the arrangements rather than myself, thereby eliminating another middleman. If there should be any question of competing call for the Institute facilities, I should be very happy to be of service. Sincerely yours, James G. Kelso Executive Assistant JGK: 1mc cc: Professor George Harvey

bcc: W. H. Gale

Mr. Peter Colefax, President American Potash & Chemical Corporation 3030 West Sixth Street Los Angeles 54, California

Dear Mr. Colefax:

For some time I have been hoping to have the pleasure of meeting with you to discuss the M.I.T. Industrial Liaison Program. This collaborative arrangement has been most effective in keeping industry in direct touch with the broad program of fundamental research under way here at the Institute. I feel certain that you would be interested in hearing about it.

My associate, Professor Walter H. Gale, will be in Los Angeles on Tuesday, January 8, and I am wondering if it would be convenient for you to see him any time that afternoon. Professor Gale has been representing me in our contacts with the eighty companies now associated with us in this program, a list of which is attached. Any courtesies extended to him will be greatly appreciated.

Cordially yours,

J. R. Killian, Jr. President

Enclosure

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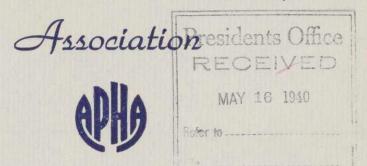
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May 13, 1940

Dr. Karl T. Compton, President
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Cambridge, Massachusetts

My dear Dr. Compton:

The American Protestant Hospital Association will hold its 1940 convention in Boston September 13-15, with headquarters at the Copley Plaza Hotel.

Our annual banquet will be on Saturday evening, September 14. We would like for you to address our association at our banquet and will be honored to have your acceptance.

Our association is not a large one because it is made up only of the Protestant church hospitals and their administrators but it does represent a group of non-profit, voluntary hospitals with like problems and many difficult ones.

You may choose your own subject, one which you feel would be of interest to our group and one which will challenge these men and women for the future.

We will be so pleased to have you as our guest speaker and will appreciate an early reply as we are so anxious to complete our program.

Sincerely yours,

AMER. PROTESTANT HOSPITAL ASSN.

Albert G. Hahn Executive Secretary

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May 23, 1940

Mr. Albert G. Hahn
Executive Secretary
American Protestant Hospital Assn.
Deaconess Hospital
Evansville, Indiana

Dear Sir:

Dr. Compton very much appreciates your letter of May 13, and has given careful consideration to your request that he speak at the meeting of the American Protestant Hospital Association in September. Since your meeting takes place just before the opening of our school year, which is an extremely busy time, and since Dr. Compton has already made as many commitments for next fall as he can conveniently take care of, he has asked me to advise you that it will be impossible for him to accept your kind invitation.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

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Protestant Association Represented at National Capital

Representatives of the American, the Catholic, and the Protestant Hospital Associations appeared before a Special Committee in Washington on March 18 to present to this Senate Committee the viewpoints of the hospital associations on the National Hospital Act of 1940.

The Protestant Association was represented by Mr. Arthur M. Calvin, chairman of our Legislative Committee who submitted the following statement to the Senate Committee in behalf of the Protestant Association:

"To the members of the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Education and Labor, considering health legislation, providing for the construction of small hospitals by the Federal Government as defined in Senate Bill 3230, Hon. James E. Murray, Chairman:

Due to the inability of the President, Rev. P. R. Zwilling of the American Protestant Hospital Association, to be present at this hearing, he has appointed the speaker, Arthur M. Calvin, Chairman of the Legislative Committee and a past president of the Association, to represent him and the Association.

The American Protestant Hospital Association represents the major portion of the protestant church hospitals of America, and it has been their desire at all times to cooperate with all health organizations and government bodies in promoting better health to the people of our country. To further illustrate this fact would only be a matter of repetition of facts which has been supplied this Committee at previous hearings.

It is our purpose to point out that if there is a need for the construction of small hospitals, as proposed in the bill S. 3230, that you should not overlook the fact that all who champion the cause of church hospitals must continue to insist that these voluntary institutions and agencies which have been set up, and whose functions have been carried on for many decades by heroic efforts of self-sacrificing individuals and organizations-their freedom of action must not be interfered with, their further expansion and future development must not be impeded and the American people must not be deprived of the ultimate benefits that flow from them.

We are in accord that in some areas and groups they are best served by gov-(Continued on page 3, column 1)

Bishop to Speak

The Rt. Rev. Henry Knox Sherrill, Bishop of the Diocese of Massachusetts of the Protestant Episcopal Church, will be the speaker at the annual luncheon of the association which will be held during the Boston convention on Saturday noon, September 14.

Bishop Sherrill's ministerial service has included the rectorship of the Church of our Saviour in Brookline, Massachusetts, and later of Trinity Church, Boston, from which he was called to election to be Bishop of Massachusetts.

He was a Chaplain during the World War, having served in France with Base Hospital No. 6 and was attached to headquarters of the First Army.

While Rector of Trinity Church he received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Yale in 1929; was president of the Greater Boston Federation of Churches in 1928 to 1930, and was a member of the Board of Preachers of Harvard University 1928 to 1932.

His directorates include Fellow of the Corporation of Yale University to which he was elected in December, 1934; President of the Board of Trustees of St. Mark's School, Southboro, Mass.; Trustee of Groton School, Brooks School, General Theological Seminary, Boston University, Wellesley College, Chairman of the Board of the Massachusetts General Hospital, Member National Council Protestant Episcopal Church, Director of New England Grenfell Association, Fellow American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

His degrees are: B.D. from Episcopal Theological School, D.D. from Yale, LL.D. from Boston University.

In 1931 he received the first annual award presented by the Hotchkiss Alumni Association "to the alumnus who through his own efforts has brough the greatest honor and distinction to himself and to Hotchkiss."

You can't afford to miss hearing Bishop Sherrill. If you have not made your reservations for the Boston convention, do not delay another day. The headquarters hotel is the COPLEY PLAZA.

The sooner you make your reservations for the Boston convention, the better reservations you will be able to obtain. The Copley Plaza is most conveniently located for all meetings as it is so near the Exhibition Hall in which the meetings of the A.H.A. will be held the following week.

A Message from Our Treasurer

To the Superintendents of the Protestant Hospitals of North America:

Your hospital should be a member of the American Protestant Hospital Association. You should also be interested in urging other Protestant Hospitals to become affiliated. These statements are based on many years of experience with hospital associations and the specific functions of such associations.

We are all aware that our local and state associations are essential. There is also no question in anyone's mind about the value of a membership in the American Hospital Association. Many hospital superintendents, however, are confused about the value of both the American Protestant Hospital Association Membership and the American Hospital Association Membership. I believe this confusion has arisen because of their inability to evaluate the work of the two Associations. May I, therefore, emphasize one key point in evaluating the benefits to your hospital in belonging to the American Protestant Hospital Association.

- 1. This Association represents the Protestant Church Hospitals. They are therefore, all classified as non-profit institutions. Thus, there can be only one objective of the Officers and that is to properly represent the Church non-profit institutions.
- 2. Many legislative issues at Washington, D.C., are controversial issues between profit and non-profit hospitals. Therefore, our Association, representing only one group, can have more positive statements and influence. Our Officers in representing Protestant hospitals indirectly represent millions of church members. I believe as far as present and future legislation is concerned, the greatest influence in such legislation will come from Protestant and Catholic Hospitals.
- 3. This essential key point is not overshadowed by many other advantages produced by an organization thinking along the same lines; that is for church non-profit institutions. This thinking effects every program and plan in the hospital, including public relations, spirit of service, personnel relationship, etc.

May I, therefore, emphasize to you your responsibility as an administrator (Continued on page 2, column 3)

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April 2, 1940

Mr. Albert G. Hahn, Ex. Sec'y. American Protestant Hospital Assn. Deaconess Hospital Evansville, Indiana

My dear Mr. Hahn:

Your letter, offering the assistance of the American Protestant Hospital Association, which came the day after our catastrophe, is greatly appreciated.

You will be glad to know that the damage to the building is about repaired. Unfortunately, we had no explosion insurance, and can only hope for assistance from our friends.

The injuries, with the exception of those suffered by one of our workers, were all minor. The one who was critically injured is progressing nicely.

Again we thank you for your interest, and your kind letter.

Sincerely,

ALVENA H. WOOD, Major

Copies of Bulletin May be Obtained for Distribution

If any of the hospitals would like to have additional copies of the APHA Bulletin for distribution through their churches or to be mailed to a special list of friends by the hospital, we can furnish them for \$10.00 per thousand plus shipping charges. Send your order to Albert G. Hahn, executive secretary, Deaconess Hospital, Evansville, Indiana.

Mr. T. J. McGinty assumed his duties

on February 15 as administrator of the

new Helena Hospital, Helena, Arkansas.

Advisory Council Adopts Resolutions

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Advisory Council on Medical Education in February 1940.

Inasmuch as the internship is now universally regarded as a part of the basic preparation for the practice of medicine and to be fully satisfactory must be integrated with the medical course proper, the Advisory Council on Medical Education recommends that the Association of American Medical Colleges in cooperation with national medical and hospital organizations and the Federation of State Medical Boards and state licensing bodies and after consultation with the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association should formulate minimum educational standards for the internship and should prepare a list of hospitals in this country which meet these standards.

Inasmuch as the internship is now universally regarded as a part of the basic preparation for the practice of medicine, the Advisory Council on Medical Education recommends to the Federation of State Medical Boards that an internship of not less than twelve months and of satisfactory educational content be required for admission to the state licensing board examinations in all states.

Basic Principles of the Internship

- 1. The internship should be regarded as a part of the basic preparation for either beginning the general practice of medicine or undertaking advanced training in a specialty.
- 2. The internship should provide a real educational experience and a period of clinical responsibility under supervision which aims to complete the clinical clerkship of the medical course.
- 3. The internship should be an important responsibility of the staff and be under the direction of those members who are competent to provide the necessary instruction.
- 4. The internship should be a joint responsibility of the medical schools and of those hospitals which can provide a satisfactory completion of the fundamental preparation for medical practice.

Believing that the public interest as well as that of the medical profession and of medical education would be served by a satisfactory method of interstate endorsement of licensure, the Advisory Council on Medical Education recommends to the Federation of State Medical Boards that all state licensing boards endorse without further examination the licensure of an applicant previously obtained by examination in another state whose standards of education and examination are not lower than their own. provided that the applicant is a graduate of a medical school in the United States and its possessions which at the time of

his graduation was on the list of approved medical schools.

Recognizing the widening public, cultural and educational interests of medicine, the Advisory Council on Medical Education recommends to the Association of American Medical Colleges, the Association of American Universities and the Association of American Colleges that the college preparation for medical studies above the necessary grasp of the fundamental principles of biology, physics and chemistry should be devoted to general education rather than additional forms of preprofessional education.

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A Message from Our Treasurer

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in bringing this Association Membership to the attention of your Board. I believe many boards could criticize the superintendents who decided against such affiliation without board action.

The Association needs your support not only from the standpoint of establishing numerical strength in backing up our representatives but in order to provide the small amount of overhead funds necessary to carry on the Association's activities and broaden its scope of work. Your Association is operated on a very economical budget, which budget is only made possible by the unselfish work of the members of the Board. May I, therefore, solicit your earnest consideration.

Very truly yours,

Mr. R. E. Heerman, Superintendent, The California Hospital

One of our members, Miss Edna Potthoff, who is connected with the Sanatorio Palmore, Chihuahua, Chihuahua, Mexico writes "I have always enjoyed attending the conventions while in the U.S.A. and am sorry that I have not been able to attend them every year. We feel that we have been blessed in our work as we are growing every year and our School of Nursing has been recognized by the University of Mexico. We are the only private School which has this recognition. Although our School is small our purposes and aims have been high."

The new Doctor's Hospital, Washington, D.C., of which Mr. Chas. A. Vadakin is administrator, was officially opened on March 6, 1940.

Rev. R. V. Johnson, superintendent of the Flower Hospital, Toledo, Ohio, was chosen president of the National Methodist Hospitals and Homes Association at their meeting on February 15 held in Chicago.

SEE YOU IN BOSTON

Copley Plaza Sept. 13-15

Protestant Association Represented at National Capital

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ernmental agencies, however, it is apparent from all indication that the uncertainties of the untried field of general governmental hospitalization are not adequate substitute for the splendid present and past contributions of the volunteer church hospitals and their activities.

The intentions of this Act, as is our general understanding, is not to destroy the voluntary initiative of church organizations or individuals and establish a vast system of governmental controlled and operated general hospitals, but to enter the field of hospitalization in poor rural areas and for the permanently unemployables where hospitals are to be supplemented, not superseded.

Therefore, it appears that this program should not be extended for more than one year, at which time the experience of such may be reviewed.

As in education, so in health, private initiative should be encouraged where citizens are able to provide for their own health and well-being. And in our democracy we concur with this Committee that government action should only be a last resort.

We further submit the following recommendations which we desire written into the bill:

1. That the National Advisory Hospital Council should be composed of a fair proportion of hospital administrators.

2. That the National Advisory Hospital Council should take under consideration for approval of application for hospitals that such institutions shall maintain the standards which the American College of Surgeons, the American Medical Association, and the hospital associations regard as minimal for rendering such service.

Conclusion

Agreeing as we do to the purpose of the bill, we are mindful of the importance of the selection of the members of the Advisory Council who will be given the responsibility of carrying out the intent of the bill. We desire that such advisory council be as receptive in accepting counsel from this association from time to time as has been the consideration shown us by the committee and other governmental officials."

Report of the Hearing

* * *

March 18, 1940 8:00 p.m.

Senate Bill 3230

National Hospital Act of 1940

The three National Hospital Associations were represented at Washington on March 18, 1940 to represent to the Committee the benefits of the views of the various Hospital organizations regarding the Bill S 3230 which provides for the building of hospitals by the Federal Government and for which an appropria-

tion is to be made in the amount of \$10,000,000.

William F. Montavon, who represented the Catholic Hospital Association, also read a letter addressed to Senator James E. Murray, Chairman of the Committee, from Father Alphonse Schwitalla, President of the Catholic Hospital Association.

The American Hospital Association was represented by Dr. Fred G. Carter, President of the American Hospital Association, and the American Protestant Hospital Association was represented by Mr. Arthur M. Calvin, Chairman of the Legislative Committee, who represented Rev. Paul R. Zwilling the President of that Association. Also, in attendance at the gathering and who gave counsel and the gathering and who gave counsel and advice was Dr. Bert W. Caldwell, the Executive Secretary of the American Hospital Association.

The three presentations were made in order named and during and after the presentations several questions were asked by members of the Sub-Committee which were satisfactorily answered. After the meeting with the Sub-Committee, we were called into conference by the United States Surgeon General, Dr. Parran and Dr. Mountain the Assistant United States Surgeon General. purpose of this conference was of a friendly nature and with the idea of trying to work out between the three national hospital associations and the Surgeon General, who will be responsible for the carrying out of the act, some of the differences that appeared to be on the horizon especially as presented before the Senate Sub-Committee since reference was made in the presentations before the Senate Sub-Committee. Mr. Montavon of the Catholic Hospital Association suggested several changes in the bill. The purpose of the changes was that Mr. Montavon wanted to clarify it and make it conform with the recommendations that were made by the President at the conference held with him and the three National Hospital Associations, the American Medical Association and others on January 10, 1940.

Dr. Carter from the American Hospital Association and Mr. Calvin from the American Protestant Hospital Association stressed, and which was agreed upon with the Catholic Hospital Association, that this act should not provide for more than just an experiment and that it should extend for the period of one year. At this conference, we also stressed that at least a fair proportion of the Advisory Committee, which will be appointed to advise the United States Surgeon General regarding the construction and the review of applications of hospitals submitted for consideration of building, the formulation of standards which are necessary to insure proper conduct of the hospital and care of persons served by the hospital, the formulation of rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of the act, the

review of reports and inspection with reference to professional service, standards of maintenance of a hospital, et cetera, should consist of at least two capable hospital administrators who have had administrative experience for it was the concern of all that the failure or the success of the experiment will depend to a great extent upon the personnel of that Advisory Council.

The presentations made by the three National Hospital Associations will give you a definite opinion relative to the objections that were made to the bill as it is at present. It is without a question of doubt that this Bill will receive a great deal of support. It is in a sense a modification of a former national health act which made provision for the appropriation of \$850,000,000 and provided for other things than merely the building of a few Federal hospitals in needed rural areas. If the bill is re-written or amended with the recommendations made by those who represented the hospital associations in Washington on March 18th, there should be little or no objection to this program. Our lack of any hostile attitude towards this bill is due to the understanding that it is only an experiment. If this were not the case, it would have all the earmarks of another Pork Barrel for the establishment of hospitals in practically every congressional district throughout the United States. However, I am sincere in my belief that the officials in Washington and with whom we have had direct contact are sincere in their statements that this is only an experiment and that they are not desirous of building up a vast system of governmental controlled and operated general hospitals. If this Bill passes congress this year, it will be one to watch with a great deal of interest. The requirements of the act place a great responsibility upon the Surgeon General of the United States and his Advisory Committee. The Bill does not stipulate the size of the hospital but it does provide that the community in which the hospital is built must sustain and support that institution for it is a well known fact that the maintenance of an institution is far more important to consider than the amount of money needed for the contraction of an institution.

ARTHUR M. CALVIN, Chairman, Legislative Committee

The Board of Directors of the Evangelical Hospital of Chicago honored their administrator Rev. Joseph A. George on the occasion of the Twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination with a special service at the Salem Evangelical Church, Chicago, on Sunday evening, March 31.

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Memorial to National Heroine



The above is an artist's drawing of the monument to be erected at the grave of Jane Todd Crawford in Johnson cemetery, Sullivan, Indiana, and dedicated on Saturday preceding National Hospital Day at 2:30 P.M. by the Indiana Hospital Association.

Jane Todd Crawford taking her life into her own hands submitted to the first abdominal operation ever performed in the United States and thus became the pioneer of modern surgery. Her physician, Dr. Ephraim McDowell, suspecting an abdominal tumor explained to her in detail the dangers of the operation. Willing to submit to the ordeal, anesthesia being still unknown, she rode fifty miles on horseback to the home of McDowell where on Sunday, December 25, 1873, with only her Bible to comfort her during the operation, Dr. McDowell removed the large ovarian tumor. The doctor cared for her in his home until

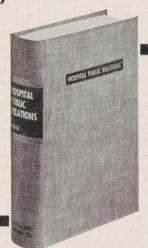
she was well enough to again ride the sixty miles to her own home over what is now known as the Jane Todd Crawford Trail.

The operation was performed at Danville, Kentucky, but the Crawford's later moved to Indiana where Mrs. Crawford died and was buried.

The Kentucky Medical Association has honored the doctor but no recognition has ever been given the patient. The Indiana Hospital Association believing that Mrs. Crawford should share in the honor are erecting this beautiful stone which is six feet in height as a part of the state wide observance of National Hospital Day.

The Indiana Hospital Association invites all who can to attend the dedication services. Sullivan is only twenty five miles south of Terre Haute on U. S. Highway 41.

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A Word of Greeting from the President

PAUL R. ZWILLING

It is said that in an old French church in Berne, Switzerland, many years ago, the choir was having a final rehearsal under the famous leader, Father Reichel, for the production of the Messiah. The music had been well practiced, and the chorus went on grandly to the place where the soprano solo was to take up the refrain: "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." Her voice was so beautiful, her technique so perfect that even the other members of the chorus marvelled at her beautiful rendering of the wonderful strains. But the conductor was not satisfied. A sharp tap of the baton called for silence and then, bending a sorrowful look on the singer, he said: "My daughter, you do not really believe that your Redeemer lives, do you?" Almost tearfully, she assured him that she did. "Then sing as if you did!" he said, inspiringly, and motioned for the orchestra to go over it again. This is an illustra-tion with many bearings—but surely we cannot escape this one: When our Redeemer, the subject of the Messiah, speaks words that are like music to our hearts, we are to show by our actions that we believe them. Only so can we experience the full beauty and power of that which has been spoken.

Who is there in the American Protestant Hospital field who has not revelled in the beauty and power of the spoken word of our Lord? Likewise, there are few, surely, who have not at one time or another listened to some word spoken by a fellow-worker, whether for good or bad. Whoever may reach our hearts, we will show by our actions whether we believe them. Your officers cannot lay claim to perfection; they realize their limitations and would not demand totalitarian obedience. But we do not hesitate to claim that every member of the official American Protestant Hospital Association family is not only interested because he has been chosen as a leader of the American Protestant Hospital Association but he is sincerely striving to make some helpful contribution to the Hospital cause as it finds expression in the American Protestant Hospital Association.

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The Copley-Plaza Hotel has been selected as the headquarters hotel for the 1940 convention of the American Protestant Hospital Association to be held in Boston from September 13 to 15. We suggest that you make your reservations early.

The Copley-Plaza which overlooks Copley Square is within walking distance of the Mechanics Arts Building which will be the Exhibit Hall for the convention. It is convenient to shops, theatres, business district, railroad and steamship terminals.

Local Arrangements Committee

The Local Arrangements Committee is already at work arranging details for a successful and pleasant convention. The chairman of the committee is Miss Amy M. Clark, administrator of the New England Baptist Hospital, and she is ably assisted by: Miss Sadie Hagen, New England Deaconess Hospital; Mrs. Blanche Burgess, New England Deaconess Hospital; Miss Georgia Boulter, New England Baptist Hospital; and Miss Nellie Pekrul, New England Baptist Hospital.

APHA to Study and Formulate Set of Standards

This contribution is sorely needed by the hospital field

A group of our members have been giving considerable thought to a set of standards for the work of a chaplain in a general hospital against which such work can be examined.

The aim is to set up a definite set of standards which will be elastic and at the same time rather specific and which will guide the hospital administrator in meeting this side of the patient's needs.

He would also be given something against which he could examine the religious work which is already going on in his hospital, which he may have inherited from his predecessor, which may or may not be effective, but which he hesitates to judge or criticize. There are many instances of work under the head of 'religion' which is little short of criminal. It is unnecessary for administrators to tolerate such practices.

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The Work of the Chaplain in a General Hospital

Presented at the 19th Annual Convention of the American Protestant Hospital Association, by

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In the past it has been customary for the chaplain of the general hospital to work somewhat independently of the other members of the personnel including the medical staff. What could matters of the soul have to do with matters of the body? Now we find the physician beginning to talk about "rehabilitation of the whole person." Investigations carried on by the psychiatrist since the advent of the new psychology are exerting influence upon the average physician. Between the body and the soul, as an entity for treatment, has arisen the mind. Some fifty per cent of the people who come to his office, the general practitioner tells us, come with complaints which have their origin on a non-physical basis. The percentage is considerably smaller among those who are admitted to the hospital but it is commonly recognized that worry, fears, and maladjustments of one sort and another, not only contribute to the onset of illness but delay recovery in many instances.

In the face of these trends in the medical field the chaplain can no longer wander from bed to bed, chatting agreeably, relieving distress occassionally as he discovers it, while down the hall behind a door upon which there is a "no visitors" sign is a patient over which the doctor is scratching his head, wondering how to deal with the man's story of disloyalty to his wife which seems to be causing the patient more distress than is the pain in his back. True, the pain in his back was what brought him to the hospital but every time the doctor comes into the room the patient breaks into tears and begins to talk about his wife. My point simply is that the chaplain, turned lose in a hospital where there is a constantly shifting population, is not apt to get to the patients he most needs to see and whom he is equipped to help unless someone tells him about them.

The first requirement for effective work of a chaplain, then, is that he

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A Word of Greeting from the President

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The members of the American Protestant Hospital Association family are of one mind in their conviction that "there is nothing in the world worth doing wrong." In looking over the list of his fellow-officers, your president counts himself singularly blessed to be associated with such outstanding women and men, who go about doing good in the name and in the spirit of the Minister of Healing, whose birthday Christendom observed in the recent Yuletide.

Were your president to express a wish in behalf of the American Protestant Hospital Association, it would be something like this: "Every Protestant Hospital and every administrator of all Protestant Hospitals is actively engaged in the earnest work of the American Protestant Hospital Association." According to a statement of your Executive Secretary, Albert G. Hahn, there are one hundred and fifty-four personal and one hundred and twenty-four institutional members associated with the American Protestant Hospital Association today. Two hundred and fifty copies of "Church Hospitals and Legislation" by Arthur M. Calvin were sent to two hundred and fifty nonmembers from the office of the Executive Secretary immediately following the Toronto Convention, with a presidential appeal to all non-members to unite with our cause. The Executive Secretary recently wrote the president that he had not received one response to the helpful paper and the appeal. May we ask kindly why our friends have failed to respond? Is there no interest or are we just a bit indifferent? Is there no way of arousing interest in the hearts of our non-members? The information contained in the paper of Mr. Calvin made the long journey to the Province of Ontario well worth the effort of all who were present. Our Past President, Bryce Twitty, Messrs. Edgar Blake and Arthur Calvin made two journeys to Washington, D. C., where they studied with the members of the American Hospital Association and the Catholic Hospital Association the socio-political problems which have stirred and troubled the hearts of the healthworkers of the United States as they manifested themselves in the Wagner Health Program Bill S. 1620. Undoubtedly the Joint Committee did much to prevent legislation that would have done untold harm to the health field had this bill become a law. The members of the Joint Committee deserve the support of every hospital worker regardless of race or color, creed or religion. When the next Congress meets, the Joint Committee will again be called to Washington, when once more the cause of the hospitals will have to be presented to the House Committee and new efforts will have to be made to keep harmful legislation and regulations from creeping into the legislative records. Many things might be added here concerning this troublesome bill; however, we should like to urge our friends once more to read Mr. Calvin's paper, "Church Hospitals and Legislation" so that all of us might once more refresh our minds concerning the dangers lurking in the paths of all hospital administrators.

That leads me to my concluding thought. For some reason your president has written for the American Protestant Hospital Association Bulletin on several occasions; in every contribution, without exception, I have made a plea for united effort. That the American Hospital Association has grown in the esteem of all the health agencies in the United States and Canada was once more demonstrated by the enormous enrollment in Toronto. The Catholic Hospital Association has become influential and strong on the American Continent because these people have united their forces and are putting on a united front. As president of the American Protestant Hospital Association, I want to present to all Protestant Hospitals a plea to unite with us in making this organization one of the forces for good in the health field. There can be no argument that except for the united front of the Joint Committee every hospital in our beloved country would today be in distress. There have been inimical forces at work which, without regard for all past efforts, would have federalized the health service so that every hospital would today be in sore need, if not, indeed, bankrupt. With political and social pressure brought to bear from all sides, our one salvation is to unite our forces and pool our strength.

It is simply a physical impossibility for your president personally to solicit your membership in our organization. However, the American Protestant Hospital Association Convention will be held September 13-15, 1940, in Boston, Mass. The American Hospital Association will follow September 16-20, 1940. May I extend a sincere invitation to all Protestant Hospital Administrators, not now members of our Association, to attend this meeting? And may I express the sincere hope that I shall have the pleasure of meeting all my Protestant friends at this meeting?

Dr. G. Campbell Morgan once said: "It is in the sanctification of the small that the hallowing of the large is secured." When the American Protestant Hospital Association Bulletin will reach our many friends, we will have passed over the threshold of another year of grace. Shall we sanctify our efforts, great or small, so that the hallowing of the larger effort may be secured? It was the beautiful custom of a certain king to head every letter and every new page of his journal with the words, "In nomine Jesu, Amen!" Let us write this in holy faith and consecrated purpose at the top of the year-page we have just turned. Finally, L. Gray in "New Year's Thoughts" gave some helpful expressions which should aid us in all our endeavors and purposes:

"Let us walk softly, friends;
For strange paths lie before us all
untrod,
The New Year, spotless from the
hand of God,
Is thine and mine, O friend.

Let us walk straightly, friend;
Forget the crooked paths behind us
now,
Press on with steadier purpose on
our brow,
To better deeds, O friend.

Let us walk gladly, friend;
Perchance some greater good than we
have known
Is waiting for us, or some fair hope
flown
Shall yet return, O friend.

Joint Meeting Held

On December 8 a Joint Meeting of representatives of the American Hospital Association, American Medical Association, Catholic Hospital Association, and Protestant Hospital Association was held at the A. M. A. headquarters in Chicago.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the eight point health plan of the American Medical Association and proposed legislation affecting the above mentioned organizations.

The platform adopted by the trustees of the American Medical Association is as follows:

1: The establishment of an agency to co-ordinate and administer all medical and health functions of the federal gov-

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should be in touch with other personnel which is working in behalf of a given patient. The chaplain is a member of the hospital "team", along with the nurse, the dietitian, the social worker, the occupational therapist, the librarian, with the physician as head and director of the team. Only as he can adjust to this working relationship has he any place in the hospital of today, regardless of what may have been true in the past.

The chaplain will see many people who are called to his attention by others than the physician in charge and he will likewise see many concerning whom he will not consult with anyone, but as significant problems arise he will be able to consult with the doctor and the doctor with him.

The second requirement for the chaplain in the hospital is that he shall have a plan whereby he selects the patients he is to call upon. The patients I see come to my attention through five major sources: The first and most significant group I see at the request of the staff on the basis of the patient's needs. That does not mean I am able to work effectively with all these patients for they are called to my attention on the basis of acute need, which usually means they are getting along badly. By acute need I mean persons that are worried or afraid or who face adjustment to a physical handicap or persons whose families are apprehensive; any of which may or may not be patients who are facing death.

A second group of persons come to my attention through their own requests to see a clergyman. Because the patients I see are Protestant this is not a large group but it is a significant group. These patients have analyzed their needs and they tell the chaplain, rather easily when he arrives, just why they have called him and what they want him to do. Such calls come mostly from patients facing serious surgical operations or long convalescence which they are having difficulty accepting emotionally. Sometimes the call comes from a member of the family.

A third group of patients, rather a large group, comes to my attention through their own clergyman. These requests may or may not lead to acute need but they are seldom difficult calls. Because I am in the hospital every day and in touch with the doctors I am often able to interpret the patient's condition to his minister and sometimes to the doctor as well, from information I receive from the minister. Also I am able to put the social worker in touch with the minister when the time comes for making plans for convalescent care of the patient.

A fourth group of patients come to my attention through other patients,

particularly in the wards and semi-private rooms. There is one patient who has been in our hospital for some months with Addison's disease who, almost every time I see her, has some one for me to call upon because, as she puts it, "She's too hard for me to handle". What she means by "hard" is that the patient has some question in the face of which she feels uncomfortable. Actually, she usually helps these persons far more than I do for she herself is a living example of triumphant living in the face of severe odds. I remember another instance of a patient calling after she had returned home to tell me of a girl who had been in the bed next to hers and the problems the girl was facing which had been told her one night after the lights were out. Would I see what I could do to help the girl as the patient who had returned home could not rest for thinking about

The fifth way in which I select patients to see is by watching the admission slips daily in the admission office. Admission slips vary from one hospital to another in the information they list. Most slips list the patient's religion as Protestant, Catholic, or Jewish. Some even list denominational preference. At the Massachusetts General Hospital we found that only approximately one person in a hundred objected to giving their denomination choice, but that many object even to giving their age, so that we felt the objection was not serious. Some hospital admission slips carry an admission diagnosis. That information is useful to the chaplain to this extent: he is able to select those who on the basis of their illness are facing serious stress. I recognize that persons vary a great deal in the way they handle stress, still the choice of a person with Ulcerative Colitis is a better choice than one who is to have an Appendectomy, for while the second person may be acutely afraid, his fear passes quickly.

Again, from the admission slips I pick up the names of persons who come from out of town; by inquiring from the head nurse concerning their condition and the callers they have I am able to discover people I should call upon; especially I am alert to instances of serious illness where one member of the family is present; in a strange city and alone they are eager to see the chaplain, but they seldom will ask for him. Some of the most significant contacts I have had in six years as a chaplain have been with just such persons.

As a chaplain demonstrates his usefulness in a general hospital he will come to draw his patients more and more from the suggestions and requests of the staff. If after two or three years in a hospital the chaplain is still finding his patients as best he can one may be certain he is not working effectively.

The third requirement for the chaplain in the general hospital is that he shall be responsible to someone in the hospital regardless of who appoints him and pays his salary. He may be selected and supported by a church group or federation of churches; the superintendent of the hospital may welcome such an appointee not because he is interested in what the chaplain will do, but because he recognizes the church group as influencial and he thinks this courtesy may gain their interest in the hospital. And the superintendent is satisfied so long as he receives no complaints concerning the chaplain's work. Such an attitude is a doubtful compliment to the chaplain.

I have indicated the superintendent is the natural person for the chaplain to be responsible to, but it may be desirable in some institutions for him to be responsible to the chief of staff or the executive committee or the chief of the social service department. In this connection it should be recognized that while his work may sometimes overlap the social worker's his interests and his contribution to the patient's welfare are different from the social worker's.

The advantage of having the chaplain responsible to someone in the hospital is that it makes him more intimately a part of the hospital family and places him on an equal status with other personnel. It also disciplines him to work with the other members of the team. His immediate loyalties are made the same as others who work in the hospital, and such responsibility has a tendency to cause him to check his work more carefully. Finally, in case some question concerning his work with a given patient arises the question can be handled more simply and tactfully by one person within the hospital family than by a committee outside the institution.

The fourth requirement which the chaplain must meet, if his work is to be consistently effective, is that he must keep some kind of record concerning his work. The mere listing of the number of calls he makes during a day or a month is not sufficient. As Dr. Richard Cabot and I said in our book, The Art of Ministering to the Sick, under the chapter called Note Writing, there is no method which the minister can impose upon himself which will help him more than that of recording what happens when he calls upon the sick. There are always some persons who are less interesting and attractive than others; there are always some persons who make the chaplain work harder than others; they are antagonistic, aggressive, critical, abusive. Unless one has a way of searching into the minds of these persons it is difficult to know why they act as they do. It is also easy to forget to see such persons unless there is an objective check, such as a notebook or a card index, by which one checks his memory. To depend only upon one's memory is to tax it far beyond justification.

The complaint is often made by ministers and chaplains when they are faced with the question of records, that they

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are too busy and that such a system takes time. That is an admission of inexperience rather than a real objection. Do you know of a first rate physician who does not keep records? Do you know of a first rate social worker who does not? In my mind there is just one reason why Medical social workers are recognized as a necessary part of a well staffed hospital today while chaplains are not, irrespective of the difference of opinions within the religious group, and that is that medical social workers have kept careful record of their work while chaplains have not. As a result they have been able to know why they have difficulty with some patients and why they failed with others. Medical Science has gone forward by leaps and bounds since it began checking its failures at the post mortem table. Records for the chaplain, in a sense, are what the post mortem table is for the doctor.

I cannot close this discussion without giving attention to the fundamental question: what is the purpose of the chaplain as he calls upon persons who are ill, who represent various religious affiliations and backgrounds? How can the chaplain, who represents one point of view, work with persons representing many points of view?

The chaplain is interested in the patients recovery of physical health, and he will do anything he can to aid that recovery, but his interest does not stop there, as the doctor's is inclined to do. He is further interested in the "spiritual growth" of the patient: he knows that in suffering and stress people are either thrown back or else they gain confidence in the fundamental nature of things and it is the chaplain's hope to steady and aid them in any way that he can during such stress.

There are three general groups of persons in the hospital from the chaplain's point of view. First, there are those who suffer acute need; someone must help them or they will lose ground physically and spiritually: they are afraid, they feel guilty, they are worried, they are lonely and bored, but those with general emotional and spiritual needs: these persons are quite capable of making their own way although they get along better if someone helps them. They are the ones who make friends, read, say their own prayers, ask for a Bible, send for the beauty operator, the librarian, the nurse, the interne, or the chaplain, as they desire. They make up the great majority of the hospital's population as they do the world outside. Then there is the third group which the chaplain comes across who are inaccessible, some are inaccessible to anyone, some just to the chaplain because he is chaplain. Regardless of what he does or regardless of what anyone else does their illness and their lives will run their course and they will die as they have lived, unknown, misunderstood, and generally unloved.

The difficulty of this three fold spiritual

diagnosis is that we never know when a person is going to shift from one group to another so that we must constantly be alert, but then that is true of the physician's work as well as the chaplain's.

I have said nothing of the chaplain's contribution to the general morale or esprit de corps" of the hospital where the strengths and evils of a compact community group play back and forth. It is impossible to list or to observe what his presence in the institution means. A nurse says, "I'm the one you should call on today instead of the patient." doctor says, "How about doing a little marrying job for me?" The watchman stops to tell you about his grandson, the bellboy to tell about his school. It all adds up to the job of living and working but it all effects, directly and indirectly; those strangers who come daily seeking the aid of the hospital in their efforts to regain health.

Joint Meeting Held

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ernment exclusive of those of the Army and Navy.

- 2: The allotment of such funds as Congress may make available to any state in actual need for the prevention of disease, the promotion of health and the care of the sick on proof of such need.
- 3: The principle that the care of the public health and the provision of medical service to the sick is primarily a local responsibility.
- 4: The development of a mechanism for meeting the needs of expansion of preventive medical services with local determination of needs and local control of administration.
- 5: The extension of medical care for the indigent and the medically-indigent with local determination of needs and local control of administration.
- 6: In the extension of medical services to all the people, the utmost utilization of qualified medical and hospital facilities already established.
- 7: The continued development of the private practice of medicine, subject to such changes as may be necessary to maintain the quality of medical services and to increase their availability.
- 8: Expansion of public health and medical services consistent with the American system of democracy.

APHA to Study and Formulate Set of Standards

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Those who are alert to the needs of our patients as well as alert to some of the practices which carry the name of religion have a definite responsibility to furnish some leadership in this field; therefore, a committee has been appointed to study and formulate what might be called "Standards for Work of the Chaplain in the General Hospital." The committee through its chairman, Rev. Russell L. Dicks, will report at the Boston convention its findings and recommendations. Rev. Dicks who is the chaplain of the Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago, is the co-author of "The Art of Ministering to the Sick" and the author "Meditations for the Sick."

The other members of the committee are as follow:

Asa Bacon, Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago, Illinois

Rev. John G. Benson, Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis, Indiana

Edgar Blake, Jr., Methodist Hospital, Gary, Indiana

Rev. Louis J. Bristow, Southern Baptist Hospital, New Orleans, La.

Rev. Herman L. Fritschel, Milwaukee Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Rev. Philip Guiles, professor at Andover Newton Theological Seminary, near Boston, Massachusetts

Albert G. Hahn, Deaconess Hospital, Evansville, Indiana

Rev. Seward Hiltner, secretary of the Committee on Religion and Health under the Council of Churches, New York

Rev. John G. Martin, Hospital of St. Barnabas and for Women and Children, Newark, New Jersey

Rev. O. B. Maphis, Bethany Hospital, Chicago, Illinois

Rev. Walter Morley, executive of the Episcopal Social Service Work, Chicago, Illinois

Rev. Otis Rice, Chaplain, St. Luke's Hospital, New York City

Rev. Paul R. Zwilling, Evangelical Deaconess Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.

A meeting of this committee will be held at the Stevens Hotel, Chicago, Sunday, February 11, with luncheon at 12:45, and with Rev. Russell L. Dicks presiding.

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Presented at the 19th Annual Convention of the American Protestant Hospital Association, by

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I hope I can convince you that nursing education is designed, ideally at least, to produce a type of nurse bearing the stamp of modernism, not unlike her sisters in college, business, industry and other professions, and who with similar habits and attitudes has the frank, fearless, and honest approach to the problems of today. And yet, though they may be affected by conditions and reactions that are very different from the pupil nurses of fifty years ago, these streamlined moderns are refreshingly sincere, intelligently aware of their own motives, abilities and faults. They still want to do nursing because the challenge of doing things, sometimes difficult and unpleasant, but which makes people comfortable and happier, is the one which appeals to them above all else.

Principles of education today emphasize the importance of introducing the student to life situations, where actual problem solving develops in the learner experience and skill in choosing the correct solution. Life is largely a matter of making decisions, and it is the formation of habits of making the best choices which leads to character building and to the development of leadership. Emphasis and reiteration of this fact appear again and again in the philosophy of nursing education and in the practical suggestions brought to us by "The Curriculum Guide for Schools of Nursing" prepared and published by the National League of Nursing Education.

When you wish to build a structure that is both beautiful and strong, you select building materials suited to your purpose. Thus it is of greatest importance that this future nurse be carefully selected and her potentialities determined by the best scientific tests which modern psychology has placed at our disposal. We know that nurses have to make many and difficult adjustments and that they need to have better than average intelligence and personality, as well as the ability to assimilate the experiences which will enable them to adjust to the situations they are likely to meet in the practice of their profession. * "The function of nursing schools is to select students who show particular aptitude for nursing, to provide suitable opportunities for them to learn how to make these adjustments, also to guide their learning in such a way that they will be able to give efficient service to society as professional nurses, enjoy the satisfactions that come from such service, and attain the fullest growth of which they are capable."

An analysis of the activities in which the professional nurse engages reveals that she should be able to give expert bedside care, she should be able to observe and interpret physical manifestations of the patient's condition, as well as the psychological, social and environmental factors. She should possess the special knowledge and skill required to deal with situations peculiar to common types of illness; she should have the knowledge and skill required to promote, conserve and restore health and to prevent illness; being able to cooperate effectively with all individuals and with community and social agencies which will promote the interests of the patient and the community. We have by careful study tried to determine the traits and abilities of the person who is expected to do and know the things listed. * "She is healthy, mentally and physically; she is mentally alert; she is technically competent; she is dependable; she inspires confidence; she is resourceful; she is well poised; she is considerate of others; she is cooperative; she is agreeable; she is cultured; she derives personal satisfaction from her work; she has a sense of social and professional responsibility." Not all the students will possess these characteristics in the same degree, nor can they, without the proper environment and personal guidance, be expected to give them fullest development and exercise. Let me list some of the conditions provided by the school of nursing which are favorable to such learning. It is the function of the school to supply guidance, stimulation and a certain measure of control by means of environmental influences, physical, personal, intellectual and spiritual. The selection of the faculty of the school is of utmost importance. Included in the faculty are all those persons with executive and teaching responsibilities who guide the student's learning and practice of nursing in classroom, laboratory and hospital. No argument is needed to convince you that these should be of highest caliber available, who by their personal example, conduct and attitudes can serve as fine sources of inspiration to the students and graduate staff nurses as well. The formidable disciplinarian, so familiar in our nursing schools of the past with their traditions of military training, is gradually yielding to the teacher and supervisor who understands and exemplifies principles of direction more in keeping with our democratic type of education as offered in schools of nursing today. * "It is an accepted principle of democracy that all individuals must contribute to the service and welfare of society, but they must also have the largest possible means of freedom and initiative compatible with the welfare of the group. Moreover, it is

generally agreed, that society is best served when individuals have the best possible opportunity for development. There is nothing incompatible in this ideal with the idea of discipline and self-sacrificing service providing the discipline is self-imposed and the self-sacrifice does not cripple but rather stimulates the growth of the individual."

There still exists the idea that respect for authority must be based on fear and reverence for rank of superior officers, and it is frequently the person who has had least experience in being invested with such authority who wields it most offensively and assumes a superiority which she does not possess. This type of imposed authority does not engender relations and attitudes most conducive to learning and growth. There should be on the part of the learner, a felt need for help and supervision, so that she gladly and willingly turns to the supervisor for aid in the solution of her problems. The truly inspired teacher may be dignified and reserved and still have pleasing and happy relations with her students and co-workers. More and far reaching results in character development in a student can be thus achieved, because young people everywhere are most favorably responsive to teachers who are genuinely interested in their progress and welfare, and especially when their respect contains a mixture of affection and admiration.

Another group, not often regarded as teachers, the graduate staff nurses, exert a great influence on the students in a hospital school of nursing. In daily contacts with the staff nurse, the student constantly observes the quality of nursing care she gives the patient, and is clearly aware of her conduct and character. Is not the implication clear? We should select our graduate personnel with just as great care as we select our students. Through wise supervision and a continuous program of staff education, the staff nurse should be encouraged and required to maintain acceptable standards of performance and behavior.

We have referred previously to the physical and cultural environment to be furnished by the hospital and school. The wise use of leisure time-of which today's world has a greater amount than ever before—has a tremendous effect in determining a person's character and social acceptability. At no time this of greater importance than during the three impressionable years of training when the student nurse's character is being shaped by those influences and experiences to which she is exposed. The curriculum of the school of nursing should be one of the most beneficial and constructive of these forces, but we have another powerful instrument. This is the extra-curricular—the preferred term is extra professional-program which, by introducing varied, cultural interests, is designed to produce a well rounded individual, one who has a background of

^{*}A Curriculum Guide for Schools of Nursing—1937 Edition.

^{*&}quot;A Curriculum Guide for Schools of Nursing."

culture and a knowledge of how to choose constructively her recreational activities. A school program of this sort includes facilities for physical education and play. If advantage is taken of resources offered by the community, it is not necessary that the hospital provide a swimming pool and a gymnasium with extensive equipment. There should be opportunity for the student who has musical, literary or artistic interests to contribute to and participate in programs of this nature.

One often hears the statement that the strenuous and irregular hours of duty required of student nurses have the effect of weakening the ties of religion and of causing her to break regular habits of church attendance. This is not necessarily true, if her convictions are strong enough. If attendance at church services is a fundamental act of faith as it is in some people's religion, the nurse will not permit any interference with regular attendance. I do not believe that the compelling of religious devotion will bring the desired development of Christian spirit, but some provision should and can be made to allow the student to continue the practice of her religious exercises and waning interest can be kept alive by specially planned programs appealing to the students who need encouragement. There is room in such a scheme for religious instruction, for chapel and vesper services, planned and carried out by leaders in the community and members of the student group who thereby give expression to their interests and abilities. These can be prevented from becoming mechanical and routine by the actual appeal and value of the programs, and because they give opportunity to certain students for self-expression.

Much of the environment of the student nurse is provided by the hospital personnel and this we must not minimize. The accumulation of attitudes and methods of dealing with patients, their friends, their relatives and the general public are what the trained observer senses immediately when he enters the front door of the hospital and traverses its wards and corridors. All departments, especially the nursing department, which has the closest of personal relationships with the public express this intangible spirit—the morale of an institution. If there is too much emphasis in our business and administrative offices on the classification of the patients into private or pay and "out patient department" or free patients, there is danger of discrimination between the quality of service rendered. One of the worst and most insidious of demoralizing influences to be combatted is the gossip and scandal mongering to which the personnel of the hospital sometimes descends. This may result from prolonged imbreeding; people become too well acquainted with each other's private and personal affairs. Clannishness resents the intrusion of "outsiders" and prevents the introduction of progressive new ideas and per-

sonnel. Self righteousness and complacency develop a defensive attitude which is impervious to healthy criticism, selfanalysis and growth. Within the hospital itself there occasionally arises interdepartmental animosities, professional jealousy, bigotry and failure to appreciate the functions and standards of other departments, all of which results in a lack of harmony and cooperation. These matters are specifically mentioned because one of the essentials in good hospital service is that its staff recognize and fulfill, among other stated objectives, that of serving the community. This must be the unifying principle welding the organization into a firm and closely knit whole, with similar ideals, standards and performance. Nurses as well as other employees of the hospital are not donating their services—theirs is a "labor of love" it is true, but it is usually materially rewarded, and given at no sacrifice of self beyond what is seen in other professions. It is often in such groups where there is frequent reference to the humanitarian nature of the work done and services rendered, that self satisfaction and self righteousness prevail and too little thought is given to responsibilities and obligations in support of community welfare. Consequently, we turn a deaf and indifferent ear to pleas and campaigns for fund raising for religious, philanthropic and civic enter-

In conclusion let me add that none of us can be content with ourselves. Developing the true spirit of Christianity does not mean simply the introduction of formal courses of ethics or other types of religious teaching. "By their fruits ye shall know them", and that means we find it in the daily performance of tasks well done, in the courtesy and kindliness that is shown in the treatment of every person who comes to the hospital in a generous outpouring of spirit, service and material gifts. This spirit is as a seed planted by the family, which given favorable environment in the school of nursing and hospital, will flower and bear fruit. But we, who are hospital and nursing administrators, are the gardeners who must give care and nurture to the plant.

Good Response

1940 statements were mailed on December 15 and the response from our members has been excellent. A large number of remittances have already been received as the *Bulletin* goes to press and we sincerely hope our other members will respond accordingly.

Elsewhere in the *Bulletin* are listed the names of five new personal members and one new institutional member. If you or your institution is not a member, we sincerely invite you to join with us in presenting a united Protestant front.

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bcc: W. H. Gale

November 30, 1956

Mr. Joseph A. Grazier, President American Radiator & Standard Sanitary Corporation 40 West Fortieth Street New York 18, New York

Dear Mr. Grazier:

For some time I have been hoping to have the pleasure of meeting with you to discuss the M.I.T. Industrial Liaison Program. This collaborative arrangement has been most effective in keeping industry in direct touch with the broad program of fundamental research under way here at the Institute. I feel certain that you would be interested in hearing about it.

My associate, Professor Walter H. Gale, will be in New York City this Tuesday, December 4, and I am wondering whether or not it would be convenient for you to see him for a few minutes. Professor Gale has been representing me in our contacts with the eighty companies now associated with us in this program, a list of which is attached. Any courtesies extended to him will be greatly appreciated.

In view of the short notice, I will ask Professor Gale to telephone your secretary Monday afternoon to see whether or not an appointment can be arranged.

Cordially yours,

J. R. Killian, Jr. President

Enclosure

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Corres. dated January 1957 between Mr. Hedges, Pres. of American-Standard,
JRK, and Mr. Snyder re. American-Standard's gift of \$5,000 to the
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MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY CAMBRIDGE 39, MASSACHUSETTS JOSEPH J. SNYDER Vice-President and Treasurer January 25, 1957 Dr. James R. Killian, Jr. 3-208 M.I.T. Dear Jim: In accordance with your. note of January 23rd we will set aside the \$5,000 gift from American Radiator & Standard Sanitary Corporation for the Salary Fund. Yours sincerely, Jauperpanyeer JJS:vm

UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION WASHINGTON 25, D. C. January 7, 1949 Prof. Jerrold Zacharias Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear Prof. Zacharias: of the Atomic Energy Program.

The American Railway Association has made a strong appeal to Mr. Lilienthal to find out about the peacetime potential

Mr. Bruce Gunnell of the Southern Railway Company has been appointed to advise on the status of the program and to recommend how best the Association might keep abreast of the progress. As I believe I mentioned over the telephone, one possible way for the Association to keep in touch might be to support a research program.

In any event, it would be most helpful if you could see Mr. Gunnell on his proposed tour. I believe he plans to be in Boston on about January 17-19th and will make his own arrangements with you for an appointment.

Since we are arranging to provide Mr. Gunnell with every chance to size up the problem to his own satisfaction, he has received "Q" clearance, #WA-453, and understands that his reports are subject to security limitations under the Atomic Energy Act.

Roger S. Warner, Jr. Director of Engineering

cc: W. E. Kelley, AEC, NYC Bruce Gunnell, SRR

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January 11, 1949

TO:

J. R. Killian, Jr.

FROM:

J. R. Zacharias

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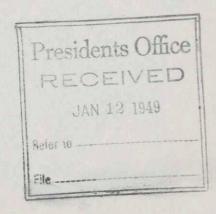
The American Railway Association

Railway Association may have some money for the support of a research program associated with nuclear power. I enclose a letter from Roger, which is self-explanatory.

J. R. Zacharias

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amer Failway our January 12, 1949 Memorandum to Professor Zacharias: Thanks for the information about the American Railway Association. I hope that we may follow through on this. Yours sincerely, K: McM J. R. Killian, Jr. Copy to Prof. Snyder

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Notification of Appointment

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Cambridge,

Dear Sir:
I take pleasure in informing you that at the last meeting of the
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Very truly yours,
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April 5, 1945

Mr. Ralph H. Blanchard, Executive Director,

Community Chests and Councils, Inc.,
155 East 44th Street,

New York 17, New York.

Dear Ralph:

American Relief for India was approved by the Board on January 25, 1945 as the successor of the India Famine Relief Committee. The latter organization was established late in 1943. It helped to secure support for an excellent program initiated in India early in 1944 through the facilities of the American Friends Service Committee. The purpose of the new organization is to provide support for continuing that program.

When the new organization was established the Board certified it for participation in the National War Fund with a budget of \$700,000 for the seven months period then remaining in the current fiscal year of the Fund. The War Fund considered the application and concluded that the agency could not be admitted at this time.

In notifying the agency of this action the Fund expressed the hope that other means could be found to continue the program.

After learning of this the President's War Relief Control Board again reviewed the situation and authorized American Relief for India to undertake independent solicitation by appealing to community chests and to a select list of persons known to be interested in Indian relief. The Board reviewed in detail the agency budget for projected operations during a period of twelve months. This was approved in the amount of \$1,200,000 for the purchase of relief supplies, for the financing of emergency projects, and for meeting the cost of field operations (\$60,000) and general administration (\$30,000). The Board requested and has now received a detailed justification of additional expenditures for fund-raising costs. This item totals \$50,000 and the approved budget therefore totals \$1,250,000.

In approving the plan for seeking support of the American Relief for India program outside of the National War Fund the

Board acted upon a number of important considerations. First, it affirmed its belief that the program proposed by American Relief for India must be construed as a war relief measure. The famine conditions, whose aftermath the present program is helping to correct, clearly were attributable in large part to conditions arising directly out of the war. Second, the increasing importance of military operations in the China-Burma-India theater and the continued presence of American forces in India make it desirable to express American interest in conditions in the areas where American men are stationed. Third, the program is important not only from the point of view of the war effort but also because it serves a significant humanitarian objective. The British and Indian authorities have expressed their approval and appreciation of the program. The American Minister in New Delhi has strongly urged its continuation.

Obviously it is desirable that solicitation for American Relief for India be coordinated as closely as possible with that for other war relief purposes. The most advantageous way of avoiding the extra cost and the possible confusion which might arise from independent solicitation would be to secure a considerable part of the budget through allocations from community chests.

Sincerely yours,

James Brunot

Executive Director

AMERICAN RELIEF FOR INDIA, INC. 41 Park Row, New York 7, New York TELEPHONE: RECTOR 2-6937 BOARD OF DIRECTORS RUFUS M. JONES, Honorary Chairman HENRY F. GRADY, Chairman J. EDGAR RHOADS, President WILLIAM PHILLIPS, Vice-President April 24, 1945 GUY EMERSON, Treasurer GILBERT F. WHITE, Secretary FRANK AYDELOTTE WILLIAM GREEN DAVID HINSHAW JOHN HAYNES HOLMES M. ALBERT LINTON HENRY R. LUCE GEORGE MEDALIE PHILIP MURRAY VICTOR F. RIDDER REQUEST FOR AN ALLOCATION FROM YOUR CONTINGENCY FUND AND/OR SUMNER WELLES INCLUSION AS A PARTICIPATING AGENCY IN YOUR NEXT DRIVE American Relief for India, Inc. is a citizens' committee organized What is ARI? late in 1944 to mobilize the necessary support for the continuation of the American relief program in India, which was started early in 1944, during the India famine. History of ARI On January 13, 1944 the President's War Relief Control Board was informed by the American Mission in New Delhi (diplomatic representation of the USA in India): 1) that the relief needs of the civilian population are abnormal due to the famine 2) that there is extreme distress in the areas where great numbers of American forces are concentrated 3) that it is important to demonstrate to the Indian people that America is not indifferent 4) that supplies should be sent rather than money and 5) that the American Red Cross or the American Friends Service Committee (Quakers) should, with the aid of some American personnel, organize distribution of relief supplies in India. The National War Fund called a meeting for February 18, 1944 in which representatives of the President's War Relief Control Board, the British War Relief Society, the India Famine Relief Committee, the American Friends Service Committee, the Labor League for Human Rights (AFL) and the National CIO War Relief Committee participated. At this meeting the representatives of the National War Fund agreed to allocate \$400,000 for the relief program in India, for the first four months of 1944. The American Friends Service Committee promised to send the director of its Foreign Service Section, Mr. James Vail, to India, and it was further agreed that on the basis of his reports, as to the need in India, and the advisability of American aid, the National War Fund would consider 248 The President's War Relief Control Board Registration No. 574

- 2 further appropriations at the rate of \$100,000 per month. James Vail left for India late in March. His first reports arrived in this country early in May 1944, indicating the need for the continuation of the program in India. On June 1, 1944 the President's War Relief Control Board approved an additional sum of \$500,000 for the American relief program in India, and suggested that the National War Fund allocate this amount. On July 18, 1944 the Budget Committee of the National War Fund, decided to allocate only \$50,000 for the India program, and to consider no further application for India relief. Early in October 1944, the National War Fund, agreed, only upon request of the Labor League for Human Rights (AFL) and the National CIO War Relief Committee, to appropriate \$200,000 from their labor funds for the India program. This is the only NWF appropriation during the current budget year. American Relief for India, Inc. was organized in December 1944 to continue the program, which is carried out in India by the American Friends Service Committee. ARI submitted another application to the National War Fund on February 16, 1945 which was denied on February 23 (see enclosed "The Case for American Relief in India"). On February 21, 1945 the President's War Relief Control Board received a telegram from Mr. George Merrell, Secretary of the American Mission at New Delhi, informing them of the need for the continuation of "the excellent work of the committee in India." Relief program The attached large pamphlet gives all information as to our past in India activities and future program. We would like to emphasize, however, one specific fact: The precious supplies which, under present conditions can only be procured in this country, are distributed through local native and missionary community agencies. These agencies are thus enabled to function during the emergency period. The present American relief program should be continued as long as India serves as a base for our Army. Why is American The letter of the President's War Relief Control Board and our relief in India pamphlet make it plain why the American relief program in India important should not be discontinued at this time. The budget need Last year the program was initiated on the basis of \$100,000 per month. This was the amount which the President's War Relief Control Board and the National War Fund had originally agreed upon. It is a meager sum as foreign relief appropriations go

today, especially if we consider that almost one fifth of mankind live in India.

But as the relief activities are concentrated in the most needy areas, and most of the funds are spent on drugs and vitamins, results show rather quickly. This program has had a very stimulating effect on the Bengal Central Government, which has appropriated \$151,000 from its relief funds for our program. We still need \$999,000 for the current calendar year. (An itemized budget is published on pages 8 and 13 of the enclosed large pamphlet. This budget has been approved by the President's War Relief Control Board).

Quota requested from your chest

We hope that your Fund will consider making an allocation for India, and that you will adopt, as a basis, the ratio which the goal of one million dollars for India bears to the National War Fund goal of one hundred fifteen million dollars. Applied to your fund, this would mean an allocation of 1/115th the amount contributed by your fund to the National War Fund. Thus, a fund giving \$115,000 to the National War Fund would consider a gift of \$1,000 for American Relief for India.

Why your city should participate

Our drive is national in scope. However, we hope to avoid the confusion of an independent campaign. We are firm believers in the principle of sound federated giving and regret very much the decision of the National War Fund which forces us to appeal to your Chest independently before considering an appeal to the public at large.

> Gelert Helite Gilbert F. White, Secretary

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April 24, 1945

The disease and misery in India arising from a recent famine is a war-caused disaster that has not been widely publicized. Nevertheless, the American people cannot be indifferent to such widespread suffering in a friendly land where large numbers of American fighting men are stationed.

At the outset, the National War Fund acknowledged America's responsibility for India's plight by allocating relief funds totalling \$650,000. The conditions that prompted this action last year are not yet remedied. Although this financial support has been withdrawn, it is unthinkable that America should cut off support of an essential relief program.

Accordingly our Board has been authorized by the President's War Relief Control Board to make a direct approach to the American public and to community war funds. We understand Mr. Ralph H. Blanchard has forwarded to you correspondence endorsing our effort. We are enclosing a memorandum and two of our pamphlets presenting our request for an allocation from your Fund.

This emergency program will promote closer ties between the peoples of the United States and India. It has the endorsement of the Department of State, the British Ambassador, the Indian Agent General, the Labor League for Human Rights (AFL), the National CIO War Relief Committee, the Foreign Missions Conference, and the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

The undersigned are active in community funds. We know the difficulties which the chests have to face at this time, when the need is so appalling over the globe, and when the chest movement must gird itself for the post-war period. In full knowledge of your obligations, we trust that we may count upon your friendly consideration for an allocation which we believe you will find, on computation, to be comparatively small.

Please do not hesitate to ask for any further information you may need.

Sincerely yours.

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April 27, 1945



Dr. Karl Compton
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Dr. Compton:

On April 17th we made our first public announcement of our effort to continue the current American relief program for sufferers from the war in India. At a luncheon meeting William Phillips called attention to the need for expression of American friendship, and Mr. James Vail described the vital work that is underway.

Now we have applied for an allocation to Mr. Harry M. Carey, executive director, Greater Boston United War Fund, 261. Franklin Street. We hope to avoid the confusion of an independent campaign by asking for a community gift. We are making this application to community chests with the strong endorsement of the President's War Relief Control Board. We also have the support of AFL and CIO representatives on chest boards who have been informed of the endorsement of our application by their national organizations. The Protestant interdenominational groups have commended our effort to the local and state councils of Christian Churches. Copies of our application to your chest and of the endorsement from the President's War Relief Control Board are enclosed for your information.

With this backing, the application to recognize India's needs shortly will be coming before the Greater Boston United War Fund.

May we count on you, as a sponsor of the American relief work in India, to support our application by discussing it with Mr. Carey and influential board members of the Fund? Messrs. Morris L. Brown and Ralph E. Flanders also are sponsors of American Relief for India in Boston.

India is outside the scope of the American Red Cross, of the National War Fund and of UNRRA. Yet, her people are suffering acutely and silently from the war. This is an opportunity to

include them within the friendly circle of peoples receiving American aid. We hope that you will help to assure that aid from your community.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Rhoads, President

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see alas Com, Ford May 15, 1945 Mr. J. Edgar Rhoads President American Relief for India, Inc. 41 Park Row New York 17, New York Dear Mr. Rhoads: I regret that there has been so much delay in replying to your letter of April 27 to Dr. Compton requesting him to endorse your application for an allocation of funds from the Greater Boston United War Fund. Dr. Compton spends most of his time away from Cambridge, and it was not until late last week that I had an opportunity to talk with him about your letter. I have written to Mr. Carey today urging a favorable response to your request if inclusion of American Relief for India is entirely consistent with the general policies of the War Fund. Sincerely yours, Assistant

Aid for India

Edgar Snow Says Our Duty Is to Send Food

To the New York Herald Tribune:

Twenty per cent of the population of India continuously live in a state of semi-starvation, and 40 per cent live just over the edge of that condition, while only 30 per cent get what we would call an adequate diet. Their average per capita income is less than \$20 a year. In the cities the worker gets little more than 15 cents a day, while the average peasant lives on the equivalent of less than 35 cents a week.

With a standard of living so low as that, neither worker nor peasant has any margin of reserve in terms of money or goods. The war cut off India's imports of food and manufactured goods, brought on inflation without a commensurate rise in wages and did not result in increased domestic production sufficient to preserve the stability of the market or prevent hoarding, speculation and profiteering. When, in the populous Province of Bengal, there was crop failure and a breakdown in normal food-distribution machinery in 1943 and 1944, millions of people—always on the bor-derline of survival—were threatened with starvation.

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Whatever we may say about the political causes of famine in India today, there are extraneous reasons why Americans owe these people some help. India provides a base for our armed forces fighting Japan in Burma and through China. Indian labor has built our airfields and roads. Indian troops have been our allies in Europe and Asia and thousands have died in our cause. The shipping which might have saved more than a million Indians from starving to death was diverted to help win our war. Nearly a fourth of all the human beings in the world are in India, and in Christian conscience we cannot ignore their just pleas for help, especially now that our own crisis has passed and the shipping and money and goods are available.

Help save life in India now. Tomorrow we can demand to know the reasons for the catastrophe—and insist on remedies that will prevent recurrence.

We can do this most effectively through the new organization, American Relief for India, Inc. It has been established, through the indorsement of the President's War Relief Control Board, to finance the continuation of the important famine rehabilitation work which has been carried on the last year in the name of the United States in the stricken areas of India-adjacent to our own troops at the Burma war front - by the Quaker relief agency, the American Friends Service Committee. Contributions should 8 be directed to the organization at v its headquarters, 41 Park Row, New York 7, N. Y. EDGAR SNOW.

New York, April 23, 1945.

Aid to a Distant Ally

When we think of aid to our alies it may be that India, far on the other side of the globe, does not immediately come to mind. Yet, as Edgar Snow points out in a letter elsewhere on this page, American soldiers are stationed in India, have fought alongside Indian soldiers; American flyers are based there, and India helps to equip and supply them. India has suffered terribly from war. The great Bengal famine of 1943–1944 was in part a result of war's drains upon her goods. Relief was impeded and long delayed by diversion of practically all shipping to the war fronts.

When the British and Indian governments undertook to halt the famine by vigorous action they found that adequate stores of essential drugs, medical supplies, vitamin concentrates and milk were available only in the United States. At that time emergency funds were allocated by the National War Fund to the American Friends Service Committee for famine relief in Bengal. Now a group of eminent, public-spirited men have organized American Relief for India at 41 Park Row, New York, to continue and extend the Friends' work of rehabilitation. Lord Halifax, British Ambassador, is a sponsor of the campaign for funds. Labor organizations are represented by William Green and Philip Murray on the board of directors. The goal for contributions is li \$1,200,000 in 1945.

This work of relief has been welcomed and aided by British, Hindus and Moslems, by all factions in India. Distribution is effected through the co-operation of local government agencies and of charitable organizations. We believe that Americans will co-operate as whole-heartedly. For there is need to reassure India's suffering people that their Western allies have not abandoned normal humanitarian concern nor forgotten a far-away ally.

MAIL YOUR CONTRIBUTION NOW TO:

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For the relief and rehabilitation of Indian famine sufferers I (we) subscribe the sum of \$.....

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May 9, 1945

Dear Friend:

In sending you the enclosed photographs of American relief work in India, I realize that death by starvation is almost commonplace in the world today. It is the terrible price paid by millions of humans in the fight for freedom. We Americans, most fortunate of all mankind, are the beneficiaries of many peoples' sacrifices. The people of India are not the least among those who have indirectly paid dearly for our liberty.

We appeal for India, the most neglected war victim. We agree with Ambassador William Phillips, who represented President Roosevelt in India and who is one of the moving spirits of our Board, in feeling that the United States has a special obligation to the survivors of India's great 1943-44 famine.

The urgent need for continuing American aid to India is stated plainly in the attached letter from Edgar Snow and in the accompanying editorial which appeared in the New York Herald Tribune on May 4. We believe that after you have read these you will want to help.

Money is needed to purchase medicines, milk and other supplies that can be bought now in this country. Free shipping space is available. The relief work is in careful Quaker hands which is our guarantee of impartiality.

Will you give generously and promptly to this cause. Contributions may be deducted in computing income taxes. Please make your check payable to American Relief for India, Inc., and mail to me at the above address.

Sincerely.

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June 4, 1945

Mr. J. Edgar Rhoads
American Relief for India, Inc.
41 Park Row
New York 7, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Rhoads:

Your letter of May 9 was a very moving statement of the needs for relief in India. Because of the worthiness of this cause and also because of a personal interest in India, I am glad to serve as a sponsor.

As regards an actual contribution toward this relief effort, my wife and I find ourselves in the following position. Because of the missionary work of my sister and her husband, for many years in India, we feel that we would like to channel whatever financial assistance we can give to India through the work of the Mission College which they serve. For this reason I hope that my failure to send a check with this letter is not interpreted as lack of sincere interest in the work.

Very truly yours

President

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January 5, 1940

To American College and Graduate School Authorities:

In April this Foundation will award to students of American birth fifteen or more travelling Fellowships for study in Sweden, Norway, or Denmark during the academic year 1940-41. These Fellowships, as in previous years, will carry stipends of \$1,000 each.

In spite of the war, more American university men, Fellows of the American Scandinavian Foundation, are now carrying on their research work in Norway, Sweden and Denmark, than ever before. We cannot, of course, guarantee that favorable passport conditions will continue, but we expect an overwhelming number of applications. The Northern Democracies are now the seat of higher learning for all Europe.

Graduate students of broad scholarship and established creative ability and younger instructors and professors in American colleges who have specific objectives primarily in research are especially invited to become candidates for our Fellowships. Outstanding graduates of the current year meeting the foregoing requirements are also eligible.

Application may be made direct to the Foundation, and applicants may be non-academic. However, we prefer that applications for our Fellowships be considered first by appropriate authorities in the University or College of each applicant, e.g. Committee on Graduate Scholarships and Fellowships, and that they then be forwarded to the Foundation by the Dean or through the Committee on Fellowships. It is hoped that the committee will handle all cases that come before it, eliminate weak applications, and recommend in the order of merit only outstanding candidates.

The jury which makes the final selection for the Foundation is composed of college professors and technical experts, and the Chairman of the Jury is Dean Harald M. Westergaard, Dean of the Graduate School of Engineering, Harvard University. This jury will meet in New York early in April and nominations must therefore be in its hands before March 15th.

A copy of our bulletin is enclosed with this letter, and we ask that this be displayed on college bulletin boards. Application blanks will be forwarded on request.

Sincerely yours,

Henry Goddard Leach

Secretary of the Foundation

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CABLE ADDRESS "SCANFOUN NEW YORK"

May 6, 1958

Dr. Julius Stratton Vice-President Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Jay:

When I was in Iceland last week I had a long talk with the Minister of Education who is very anxious that there be a first rate evaluation of the training in engineering at the University of Iceland so that Icelandic students in engineering who come to the United States may be propoerly placed.

This Foundation is prepared to pay the expenses and probably to provide an honorarium of three or four hundred dollars for someone who would do this. I would very much like to have someone from M.I.T. do this job and prepare a statement which could be used as a basis for placement for any engineering student from Iceland who sought to enter a United States engineering school.

As I understand it the training at the University of Iceland consists of three years of theoretical instruction. The technical University at Copenhagen then gives these students an additional three years of specific training in the various engineering fields after which they receive their degree. Several German universities accept these students and give them a degree after two years of additional training. The basic question is where they should be placed in American institutions. My guess is probably they should enter as Junior but I may be wrong.

I might add that there is a considerable amount of governmental interest in this problem in Washington because there has been a decrease in the number of students coming to the United States since the War because of the inflation in Iceland and a very marked increase in the number that study, among other places, in the Soviet Union. The Icelandic government is already giving a larger stipend to students headed in this direction to make up for the higher costs here than on the continent and might be pursuaded to increase that differential at least so far as engineers are concerned if there could be a fairly good chance that the studies would be properly placed.

worthe have I expect to be in Cambridge next Friday the 16th by 3:00 or 3:30 p.m. and I would very much like a chance to explain the problem in more detail to whomever you think would be the most appropriate person likely to be able to do the job. What I have in mind is that such a person could leave here on a Friday in mid-September just before College opens and return the following Wednesday. He would have all the available data in English before he went and the Rector of the University and the Minister of Education would see to it that he was able to talk to all the appropriate Professors. Ram pretty sure the job could be done in that time span. Could you let me know whom I could see Friday? If I do not hear from you I will call your office upon my arrival in Cambridge/ With warmest personal regards. Sincerely yours, Ray (CR)
Raymond Dennett President RD:LR



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May 9, 1958

Dr. Julius Stratton, Vice-President Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Jay:

PIEC I made a mistake. I shall be in Cambridge on the afternoon of the 23rd. Can you set up an appointment for me at the same time but for that date?

Sincerely,

Raymond Dennett President

RD:LR

am. Sam. May 13, 1958 Mr. Raymond Dennett, President The American-Scandinavian Foundation 127 East 73rd Street New York 21, N.Y. Dear Ray: Unhappily I find that on Friday, the 23rd, I shall be in New York at a meeting of the independent engineering colleges. However I have made arrangements for you to see Dean Harold Hazen, Dean of our Graduate School, who is one of the best informed members of our faculty on engineering education both in this country and abroad. He is a Trustee of Roberts College in Istanbul and has been an adviser to other engineering colleges in the Near East and Japan. I am really sorry to miss you for I myself would have liked to hear a little more about the University of Iceland. I visited there briefly during the war. With my best personal wishes. Sincerely. J. A. Stratton Acting President JAS/E cc: Dean Hazen



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May 16, 1958

Dr. J. A. Stratton, Vice-President Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Jay:

Many thanks for your letter of the 13th. I am sorry to miss you but I will certainly get hold of Dean Hazen.

Sincerely,

Raymond Dennett President

RD:LR



The American-Scandinavian Foundation 116 East 64th Street, New York

Committee on Applications

Application for Fellowship for Study in Scandinavian Countries
Bearing Stipend of one thousand dollars
For the academic year 19......19......

Applications must be received not later than March 15th. Applications accepted only from persons of American birth. Successful candidates will be notified about April 15th.

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	 Name (in full) Address In which of the Scandinavian countries do you wish to study? State the major subject you propose to study (a) Name the schools, colleges, or universities that you have attended, the length of your residence at each, the degrees and other honors that you have
	received, or for which you may be a candidate, and the year in which they were (or are to be) conferred.
	(b) List undergraduate activities 6. Nationality of parents 7. Age 8. Married?
	9. Place of birth 10. Date of birth 11. Name and address of parents or next of kin 12. Present occupation 13. What other position have you held?
	14. Have you any means of your own, or other source of income, with which to supplement the stipend of the Foundation? How much?15. State your plan of study under the Fellowship:
	Do you propose to spend more than one year abroad? (Application for renewal of fellowship must be submitted with endorsing letters before March 15th, 19)

16.	State briefly your present attainments and your past work in your proposed field.
17.	What ultimate purpose have you in view as a student?
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	port of your application. (List, but do not submit, examples of scientific work
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20.	Give itemized list of the letters of recommendation you submit in support of your application (at least three from instructors as to scholarship, and at least one as to character and qualities of leadership are required.)
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	(b) What has been the general condition of your health?
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	(b) Have you ever applied for a Fellowship or other stipend of any other
	similar Foundation? When?
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	kept on file for further consideration the following year?
	Do you wish the papers sent by you to the Foundation returned?
	If this Fellowship is awarded I agree, as far as may be in my power, to study
	in Scandinavia from the month of September, to the month of June.
	Signature of candidate
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Dr. K. T. Compton, Pres. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Dr. Compton:

In view of the great interest on the part of our readers in the problems of student housing and feeding at the present time, THE AMERICAN SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY is undertaking a survey of college residence and dining hall facilities.

We shall very much appreciate your cooperation in supplying the data requested on the accompanying form.

Very truly yours,

Walter D. Cocking

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December 15, 1948

Dr. Karl Compton, President Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Dr. Compton:

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A copy of each new edition of THE AMERICAN SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY will be sent to you as soon as it comes off the press.

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am. School Classical Studies at ather MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT February 11, 1942. Mr. D. L. Rhind, Bursar, H.I.T. Dear Mr. Rhind: After a little discussion with Mr. Edwin S. Webster and Mr. Killian, I am authorizing a contri-bution out of this year's budget of \$250.00 to the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. This contribution should come out of the small fund set up to take care of miscellaneous fees and should be considered as a continuing year-by-year contribution unless subsequent action is taken to rescind this authorization. Very sincerely yours. KTO:W President

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contribution of \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ 50 for 44-45 and refusal of further contributions.

and School of Clouds February 7, 1946 Professor Louis E. Lord American School of Classical Studies
Oberlin, Ohio

Dear Professor Lord: I return your bill for the 1945-46 contribution in support of the American School of Classical Studies, together with a copy of my letter to you of March 29, 1945, reporting the decision of our Executive Committee that the Institute could no longer make an annual contribution. Yours sincerely, K:McM J. R. Killian, Jr. Copy to Mr. Rhind

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Notification of Appointment

Cambridge,....

Dear Sir:
I take pleasure in informing you that at the last meeting of the
Executive Committee of the Corporation, you were appointed
for one year, from the beginning of the academic year 19, at a salary
of \$per annum. This salary will be paid in ten monthly
instalments, the first payment being due October 1, 19 Please write
me your acceptance of this appointment.
Very truly yours,
For the President

Instructors, not members of the Faculty, and all Assistants are, in addition to departmental duties, responsible to the Faculty for proctoring and such other service as may be required in connection with the Fall, Mid-Year and June examinations. Failure to fulfil these responsibilities satisfactorily will be treated as neglect of duty.

Instructors and Assistants are expected to be in residence for a period of nine months, beginning two weeks before the opening day of the first term and ending on the Saturday following Graduation Day in June.

Departments will make every effort to permit Assistants and Instructors to register for such subjects as they may desire to take in association with their regular duties; for this instruction the tuition will be pro-rated instead of charged at the higher rates in force for other part-time students.

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March 27, 1951

Memorandum to Mr. Killian

Dear Jim:

A troublesome little problem has arisen in that we have been asked on Dr. Emerson's suggestion to resume our institutional membership in the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. List of members provided on the attached sheet, and you will note that it includes all the leading universities and colleges in the country and none of the strictly technological ones.

The cost of this membership is \$250 a year. During the years of Dr. Emerson's incumbency as Dean of Architecture, the School made such a grant annually and I expect the way it actually was done was that Dr. Emerson probably contributed the money and then M.I.T. paid it over.

Now Dr. Emerson has asked Professor Lord to talk to me to see whether we would be interested in resuming this custom. Since it was Dr. Emerson who proposed it, I find it a little difficult to ask him if he would like to finance it. I can find no strictly fiscal justification for our doing it and there are many many things for which I could probably more effectively spend \$250 on behalf of this School. The same thing I imagine is true for the School of Architecture but I am sending a copy of this letter to Dean Belluschi to see if he takes a different view.

The basic question I am afraid is not one of what we would get out of it but whether, since Dr. Emerson proposed it, we had better do it as a matter of public relations or of relations to him.

Would you please advise me how you would like to dispose of this?

Sincerely yours,

John E. Burchard Dean of Humanities and Social Studies

jeb/h

March 30, 1951

Dean John E. Burchard Room 14-N112 M.I.T.

Dear John:

Mr. Killian agrees that we probably ought to resume our Institutional membership in the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. If you can tell me how we go about doing this, I shall be happy to follow through on it.

Yours sincerely,

M. G. Kispert Assistant

MGK/md



OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF HUMANITIES

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April 2, 1951

Memorandum to Mr. Kispert

Dear Mal:

I think the thing to do is write a letter over the President's signature to Dr. Louis E. Lord, ll Boyd St., Newton, expressing the desire of the Institute to resume its membership in the American School of Classical Studies at Athens and asking him to send you the necessary forms and invoice, and take care of it all from there.

Then I think you might designate somebody in the Institute as liaison with the School, and this should be either Dean Belluschi or I. In view of the nature of the School and its closer relation to our first-year program than to the program of the School of Architecture, I would suggest myself but I would have no feelings if you thought it ought to be Pietro.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Burchard Dean of Humanities and Social Studies

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April 10, 1951

Dr. Louis E. Lord 11 Boyd Street Newton, Massachusetts

Dear Doctor Lord:

Because I believe that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology should once again become an institutional member of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. I should appreciate it if you would send to my office whatever forms will have to be completed and also the invoice covering the cost of this membership.

Yours sincerely,

J. R. Killian, Jr. President

Copies to: Dean Burchard Dean Belluschi

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american School of Clay Presidents Office RECEIVED APR 16 1951 LOUIS E. LORD, TREASURER 11 BOYD STREET NEWTON 58, MASSACHUSETTS April 13, 1951 President J. R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology 77 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: Your letter of April 10 reached me this morning and has given me very great pleasure indeed. It is not necessary to fill out any forms in this connection. I am enclosing a bill for the amount concerned. It is a very great pleasure indeed to have the Massachusetts Institute of Technology rejoin the list of the institutions cooperating in the support of the School at Athens. I will see that Dean Burchard is elected at once to membership in our Managing Committee. Again thanking you for this help which is very much appreciated, I am Very truly yours, Lauis Land Louis E. Lord lel-k enc. Copies to Deans Burchard and Belluschi 4/16/51



SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL STUDIES

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January 22, 1954

OFFICE OF THE DEAN

Memorandum to Mr. Kispert

Dear Mal:

M I.T. is an institutional member of the American School for Classical Studies at Athens. I have up to now been the liaison officer with the School. In the interest of spreading the load and getting perhaps a little more active participation in the thinking of the School I suggest that we nominate Professor William C. Greene to replace me as the liaison officer.

If the President agrees with this, it would be appropriate for him to address a letter to the American School for Classical Studies at Athens, c/o Mr. C. Arthur Lynch, Assistant Secretary, Department of Classics, Brown University, Providence 12, R.I., requesting that Professor Greene replace me as M.I.T.'s member of the Managing Committee.

Bill Greene is prepared to accept this if the President agrees, and I hope he will, for reasons which I think will be apparent.

If you agree, it would be helpful to have two copies of the letter sent to me so that I can send one along to Bill with some other material.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Burchard
Dean of Humanities and Social Studies

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Comercian Solval for Classical Studies at athens January 25, 1954 American School for Classical Studies at Athens o/o Mr. C. Arthur Lynch Assistant Secretary Department of Classics Brown University Providence 12, Rhode Island Gentlemen: I should like to request that Professor William C. Greene of our Department of Humanities here at N.I.T. replace Dean John E. Burchard as M.I.T. 's member of the Managing Committee of the American School for Classical Studies at Athens. Yours cordially, J. R. Killian, Jr. President Copies to: Dean Burchard Prof. Greene

american School of Claricaft Studies SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL STUDIES February 2, 1954 OFFICE OF THE DEAN Memorandum to Mr. Kispert Dear Mal: I enclose letter from the American School of Classical Studies at Athens together with their bill for \$250.00 for M.I.T.'s contribution for the year 1953-54. I believe this should have been sent to you for processing but if I am wrong, please let me know. Sincerely yours, John E. Burchard Dean of Humanities and Social Studies .jeb/h myk approved charged Duest Flees

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October 1, 1957

Treasurer
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Cambridge, Massachusetts

To:

Contribution to the American School of Classical Studies at Athens for 1957-58 \$250.00

Please make check out to the American School of Classical Studies at Athens, and send it to Mr. Charles H. Morgan, Chairman of the Managing Committee, Mead Art Building, Amherst College, Amherst Massachusetts. Office of the Chairman of the Managing Committee American School of Classical Studies at Athens

To the Members of the Managing Committee:

Last year, at the request of several members, a short summary of recent developments at the School was sent to you when the bills to supporting institutions were mailed. The appended digest of events of the past twelve months was written for the A.J.A.; but goes to you now in the hope that the information may prove useful to you at this time.

This past year, Dr. Caskey's eighth as Director, has seen notable progress in all phases of the work of the School. His staff was implemented by Dr. Hazel Hansen of Stanford University and Dr. Rhys Carpenter of Bryn Mawr as Annual and Visiting Professors respectively. Mr. C. W. J. Eliot, Secretary of the School, directed the Summer Session.

At Lerna the Director brought almost to completion his excavation of this extremely revealing pre-classical site and began the construction of a permanent shelter of concrete over the unique House of the Tiles.

In Athens the final touches to the Stoa of Attalos completed it as the Museum on the site of the Athenian Agora, and the landscaping of the area was nearly completed. The rebuilt Church of the Holy Apostles is now a national monument. Meanwhile a new gift enabled Dr. Thompson to continue his exploration of the northeast slope of the Areopagus.

The publication program for the Agora excavations was ensured by a generous gift, and a much-needed addition to the School library was donated by the Arthur Vining Davis Foundation.

In addition to the four regular issues of Hesperia, the Publications office will have produced Hesperia, Supplement X, one more volume of the Corinth, and two more of the Agora Series by the end of 1957.

During the year the National Trust for Historic Preservation, Ohio State University, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Southern Methodist University, and the Universities of British Columbia and Washington have joined in the School's support.

Sincerely,

CHARLES H. MORGAN

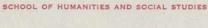
October 1, 1957

Mr. Kelso:
Would you look me
up on this?

AND SOCIAL STUDIES

Oct. 4, 1957





Memorandum to Mr. Kispert:

For some years now M.I.T. has contributed to the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. This is an eminently worthwhile organization, supported by most of the great universities in the United States. Years ago we supported it, I think, pretty much as a result of contributions by William Emerson. Then we dropped out of it and later he was talking to me about it and wishing M.I.T. did support it and I talked to Jim Killian and we began to contribute.

I think it is reasonable to raise the question whether we should continue. This involves no criticism whatever of the American School of Classical Studies and as a general matter if M.I.T. were supporting a number of ventures of this sort this would be one in the humanities we could properly support, since we do maintain an interest in the classical civilization of Greece in our teaching.

But this archaeological effort is really very remote from the interests of anybody on our faculty, or at lest almost anybody, either in architecture or over here, and there are probably a good many other causes in the humanities which we could support with equal plausibility. There may have been a time when for the purpose of associating M.I.T. with interest in the humanities this contribution was a good thing, and I suppose that must have been the way I looked at it when I made the proposal years ago.

Finally, the American Council of Learned Societies has been given a very large grant by The Ford Foundation for distribution to various parts of humanistic research and I do not see why the ASCSA should not be a reasonable candidate for grants from this pot.

In all the circumstances I think it is at least reasonable to give a good look at whether we want to pay this out any longer and I would be perfectly happy if you should decide that we do not want to. It is pretty late in the year to raise the issue. The enclosed bill is as of October 1 and I expect the decent

Mr. Kispert 2 Oct. 4, 1957 thing to do is to pay it this year and at the same time write a letter saying we feel we must withdraw our support after this year. If you think this is the right procedure, let me know. The letter could come from the President or if you prefer to make it clear that the School of Humanities understands that this withdrawal is going forward I could write the letter. Anyway, I would like your advice. Sincerely yours, ish lower have John E. Burchard Dean jeb/h

of - amer. School of Classical Studies at athens October 14, 1957 Mr. Charles H. Morgan Chairman of the Managing Committee American School of Classical Studies at Athens Mead Art Building Amherst College Amherst, Massachusetts Dear Mr. Morgan: I recently received the application for the annual contribution of \$250 to the American School of Classical Studies at Athens for the coming year. I am afraid that we are no longer in a position to continue our contribution to this project. Throughout the years we have compiled a large number of organizations which need our support and which have necessitated a severe cutting down of projects suitable to the needs of the Institute. I am certain that you can appreciate our dilemma at this point. I am only sorry that we have to cancel our subscription on such short notice. Sincerely yours, James G. Kelso Executive Assistant JGK: 1mf bcc: Dean John E. Burchard

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September 14, 1949

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President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear President Killian:

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been selected by the American Smelting and Refining Company to receive \$1500. to be used for scholarships for three students in metallurgy, each student to receive \$500.

In making these awards the American Smelting and Refining Company wishes to set forth the following conditions surrounding the awards of the scholarships:

- 1) The Massachusetts Institute of Technology has complete freedom in selecting students as "ASARGO Scholars", though the Company would prefer to have students chosen who are in either their junior or senior years.
- 2) The funds should be awarded for the school year 1949-50 not later than December 15, 1949.
- 3) In awarding these scholarships the Company does not want any student winner to feel because he is an "ASARCO Scholar" that on the one hand he must work for the Company or that on the other hand the Company makes any promise of employment. Should the "ASARCO Scholar" of his own free choice wish to work for this Company during vacation or after receiving his degree his application would, of course, receive every consideration.
- 4) Mr. R. C. Beckstead, head of the Department of Safety and Technical Employment, is charged with the responsibility of carrying out this program. He would first visit M.I.T. in the early part of 1950 and at this time it is hoped that you or the head of the department from which the scholar was selected could arrange to have Mr. Beckstead introduced to the "ASARCO Scholars".

It would be appreciated if you would let me know soon whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology wishes to accept the funds for the scholarships.

american Smeltering September 19, 1949 Mr. John C. Enison Chairman of Finance Committee American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5, N.Y. Dear Mr. Emison: I was very happy to receive your letter of September 14, 1949 informing me that M.I.T. has been selected by the American Smelting and Refining Company to receive \$1,500 to be used for scholarships for three students in metallurgy. We are very grateful for this award, and are happy to accept it with the conditions mentioned in your letter. We shall be particularly happy to meet again with Mr. R. C. Beekstead, and to arrange to have him introduced to the recipients of these awards. In order that arrangements may be completed for these scholarships a check should be drawn to the order of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and sent to Mr. D. L. Phind, Burear, with the notation that it is for the 1949-50 American Smelting and Refining Company awards. Again may I express appreciation to your company, both for myself and for my colleagues here at M.I.T., for your support of our scholarship fund. Cordially yours. J. R. Killian, Jr. President MGK/klw send copy to Chefman oo: Dean Thomas P. Pitre De la company de Mr. Delbert L. Rhind

are Di AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND TECHNICAL EMPLOYMENT 700 PACIFIC NATIONAL LIFE BUILDING SALT LAKE CITY I. UTAH REX C. BECKSTEAD DIRECTOR Oct. 3, 1949. Pres. J. R. Killian, Jr., Massachesetts Institute of Technology. Cambridge, Mass. Dear Pres. Killian: Mr. J. C. Emison, Chairman of the Finance Committee, has informed me that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has accepted the award of three scholarships, in metallurgy. I am, therefore, sending you on behalf of the Company, a check in the amount of \$1,500 for the scholarships to be awarded in accordance with the conditions set forth in Mr. Emison's recent letter to you. As explained in that letter, I would like to visit the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in order to talk to the "ASARCO Scholars" whom you have selected. For this purpose I will plan to visit the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the early part of 1950 and am looking forward to this visit as a means for continuing and strengthening the good relationship which exists between the American Smelting and Refining Company and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Very truly yours, R.C. Becketesh Presidents Office R. C. BECKSTEAD RECEIVED RCB: b encl/ JCT 10 1949

am. Smelting & Refung Co. Mr. C. F. Floe ec: Dean Pitre Mr. Rhind with check October 10, 1949 Mr. B. C. Beckstend American Smelting and Refining Company 700 Pacific National Life Building Balt Lake City 1, Utah Dear Mr. Beckstead: In President Killian's absence I should like to acknowledge your letter of October 3, 1949 with which you enclosed a check from American Smelting and Refining Company in the amount of \$1,500 for the scholarships to be averded in accordance with the conditions set forth in Mr. Emison's recent letter to Mr. Millian. We are very grateful for your support of our educational program. It will be a pleasure for us here at M.I.T. to arrange a visit for you with the "ASARCO Scholars" in early 1950. Sincerely yours, M. G. Eispert MOK/afe Assistant

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY

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NEW YORK 5, N. Y.

JOHN C. EMISON

CHAIRMAN OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

February 27, 1950

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Presidents Office

Dear President Killian:

Cambridge, Massachusetts

President James R. Killian, Jr.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

In order to better fit in with the needs of the universities and colleges and so that the ASARCO Scholarships can be properly listed in catalogs, the American Smelting and Refining Company is awarding its scholarships for the school year 1950-51 at this time.

Accordingly, I have the pleasure of informing you that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been selected by American Smelting and Refining Company to receive \$1500. to be used for scholarships for students in metallurgy, each student to receive \$500.

The conditions surrounding the awarding of these scholarships are as follows:

- 1. Method of Selection:

 Left to the University to pick person best qualified for leadership in field of endeavor in question. Preferably to be granted to undergraduate for junior or senior year.
- Citizenship: United States, Canada or Mexico - exceptions may be granted upon discussion.
- 3. Company Representative:
 Mr. R. C. Beckstead, head of the Department of Safety &
 Technical Employment, is charged with the responsibility
 of carrying out the program and will visit the University
 from time to time to make the acquaintance of the scholars.
- 4. Termination of Award:
 The awards for the school year 1950-51 should be made not later than October 31, 1950.
- The Company does not want any student to feel that because he has won an ASARCO Scholarship, on the one hand, he must work for the Company, or, on the other hand, the Company makes any promise of employment. It is hoped, however, that all ASARCO Scholars will discuss the matter of employment with Mr. Beckstead when he visits the University.

Please let me know whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology wishes to accept the fund for the scholarships under the conditions set forth above.

If the Massachusetts Institute of Technology decides to accept the scholarships please let me know the manner in which you wish the check drawn. The check will be sent out on or about September 1, 1950.

Very truly yours,

J. C. EMISON
Chairman of Finance Committee

American Smaltery or Refining Co. cc: Dean Pitre Prof. Chipman March 6, 1950 Mr. John C. Emison Chairman of Finance Committee American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway Hew York 5, N. Y. Dear Mr. Emison: Thank you for your letter of February 27, 1950 in which you inform me that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been selected by American Smelting and Refining Company to receive \$1500 to be used for scholarships for students in metallurgy, each student to receive 8500. We are, of course, very grateful to you for the generous action of your company and are happy to accept the scholarships in accordance with the conditions set forth in your letter. The check should be made payable to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and forwarded to Mr. D. L. Mhind, Bursar. Again may I express sincere appreciation to you and your company for their generous support of our educational program. Cordially yours. J. R. Killian, Jr. MGK/afe President

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY

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NEW YORK 5, N. Y.

JOHN C. EMISON CHAIRMAN OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

March 19, 1951

Presidents Office

MAR 22 1951

President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear President Killian:

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that the American Smelting and Refining Company has again selected the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the school year 1951-52.

The ASARCO Scholarships for the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be awarded in the total amount of \$1,000. to be used for two scholarships for students in metallurgy, each student to receive \$500.

Although I am sure that you are familiar with the conditions surrounding the award of the scholarships, I am outlining them again in order that you will have them before you:

1-Method of Selection:

It is left to the Institute to pick the persons best qualified. Such qualifications are to be based not only on scholastic standing, but also ability for leadership in their chosen field. We prefer that the scholarships be granted to undergraduates in their junior or senior year.

2-Citizenship:

The scholarships are limited to citizens of the United States. Canada and Mexico, but upon discussion with the Company exceptions will be considered.

3-Company Representative:

Mr. R. C. Beckstead, Head of the Department of Safety and Technical Employment, is charged with the responsibility of carrying out the program and will visit the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in order to get acquainted with the scholars selected by the Institute.

4-Termination of Award:

The award for the school year 1951-52 must be made prior to October 31. 1951.

5-Future Employment:

It should be understood that the American Smelting and Refining Company makes no promise of employment to the winners of ASARCO Scholarships nor does it wish that the ASARCO Scholars should feel that they must work for the Company. However, it is hoped that the winners of the ASARCO Scholarships will discuss the matter of employment with Mr. Beckstead when he visits the Institute.

Please let me know whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology wishes to accept the ASARCO Scholarships under the conditions set forth above.

If it is decided to accept the scholarships please let me know on or before September 1, 1951, the manner in which you wish the check drawn.

Very truly yours,

7. C. EMISON Chairman of Finance Committee

amer. Smeeting & Refin. Emison co: Dean Pitre Prof. Chipman March 23, 1951 Mr. J. C. Emison, Chairman Finance Committee American Smelting & Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Emison: In behalf of President Killian, I should like to acknowledge your letter of March 19, 1951, in which you inform us that the American Smelting and Refining Company has again selected the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as one of the universities and colleges to receive scholarships for the school year 1951 to 1952. We appreciate this very much and are happy to accept the scholarships in accordance with your conditions outlined in your letter. We will be happy to welcome Mr. Beckstead to the Institute in order that he might become acquainted with the scholars selected by our Scholarship Committee. Again may I express sincere appreciation to you for your very generous support of our educational progres. Yours very truly, N. G. Kispert Assistant MGK/md

Presidents Office AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY RECEIVED 120 BROADWAY SEP 10 1951 NEW YORK 5, N. Y. Refer 10 ---OSCAR S. STRAUS TREASURER September 7, 1951 President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: It gives me great pleasure to enclose herewith American Smelting and Refining Company's check in the amount of \$1,000. for the scholarships awarded to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for the school year 1951-52. OSCAR S. STRAUS Treasurer OSS:sh enc.

american Smelting & Refuge CC:Dean Pitre Prof. Chipman Mr. Little & check September 11, 1951 Mr. Occar S. Straus Treammer American Smelting & Refining Sompany 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Straust In behalf of President Killian I should like to acknowledge your letter of September 7 with which you enclosed a check of American Smelting and Refining Company in the ascent of \$1,000 for scholarships for 1951-52. May I express sincere appreciation to you and your company for your continued generous support of our educational program. Yours sincerely, M. G. Kispert Assistant

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY Presidents Office 120 BROADWAY NEW YORK 5, N. Y. MAR 31 1952 JOHN C. EMISON CHAIRMAN OF FINANCE COMMITTEE March 28, 1952 President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: American Smelting and Refining Company has again selected the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the school year 1952-53.

The ASARCO Scholarships for the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be

awarded in the amount of \$1.000. to two students in metallurgy.

Although in our communications of previous years we have set forth the conditions surrounding the award of the scholarships. I am outlining them below in order that they will be in front of you at this time.

1-Method of Selection:

It is left to the Institute to pick the persons best qualified. Such qualifications are to be based not only on scholastic standing, but also ability for leadership in their chosen field. We prefer that the scholarships be granted to undergraduates in their junior or senior year.

2-Citizenship:

The scholarships are limited to citizens of the United States. Canada, and Mexico, but upon discussion with the Company exceptions will be considered.

3-Company Representative:

Mr. R. C. Beckstead. Head of the Department of Safety and Technical Employment, is charged with the responsibility of carrying out the program and will visit the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in order to meet the scholars selected by the Institute.

4-Termination of Award:

The award for the school year 1952-53 must be made prior to October 31. 1952.

5-Future Employment:

It should be understood that the American Smelting and Refining Company makes no promise of employment to the winners of ASARCO Scholarships, nor does it wish that the ASARCO Scholars should feel they must work for the Company. However, it is hoped that the winners of the ASARCO Scholarships will discuss the matter of employment with Mr. Beckstead when he visits the Institute.

Please let me know whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology desires to accept the ASARCO Scholarships under the conditions set forth above.

If the Massachusetts Institute of Technology decides to accept the scholarships our check will be forwarded to you on or about September 1, 1952.

Very truly yours,

J. C. EMISON

Chairman of Finance Committee

american Smetting &. Refining Co. April 3, 1952 Mr. John C. Emison Chiarman of Finance Committee American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5. New York Dear Mr. Emison: On behalf of President Killian and the Institute I should like to express our appreciation that the American Smelting and Refining Company has again selected the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the school year 1952-53. We are delighted at this action on the part of your company and are very happy to accept these scholarships in accordance with the conditions set forth in your letter. Your continued generous support of our scholarship program is very much appreciated by our group here at the Institute. Sincerely yours. M. G. Kispert Executive Assistant MGK: pgr cc of original letter and reply sent to Professor Chipman and Dean Pitre

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY Presidents Office 120 BROADWAY RECEIVED NEW YORK 5, N. Y. SEP 29 1552 OSCAR S. STRAUS TREASURER Paler 10 -September 26, 1952 President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: I take pleasure in enclosing herewith this Company's check in the amount of \$1,000. in payment of the ASARCO SCHOLARSHIPS for 1952-53. Very truly your OSCAR S. STRAUS Treasurer OSS: sh enc.

American End Refining Co. September 30, 1952 Mr. Oscar S. Strans Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Straus: In behalf of President Killian, I should like to acknowledge your letter of September 26 with which you enclosed a check in the amount of \$1,000 in payment of the ASARCO Scholarships for 1952-53. May I express our appreciation to you and your company for your continued support of our educational and research program. Yours sincerely, M. G. Kispert Executive Assistant MGK/1 cc: Mr. Rhind with check

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY Presidents Office RECEIVED 120 BROADWAY NEW YORK 5, N. Y. OSCAR S. STRAUS TREASURER February 27, 1953 President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: The Massachusetts Institute of Technology has again been selected by American Smelting and Refining Company as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the school year 1953-54. We would like to arrange for the awarding of two ASARCO Scholarships, in the amount of \$500 each, to two students in metallurgy. I will not repeat the conditions surrounding the awarding of these scholarships since they remain the same as in previous years. Checks will be forwarded on or about September 15th. Please let me know at your earliest possible convenience whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology desires to accept these scholarships for the year 1953-54. OSCAR S. STRAUS Treasurer OSS:mb

american meeting March 3/195 Mr. Oscar S. Straus Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Straus: In behalf of President Killian I should like to acknowledge your letter of February 27 in which you inform us that the American Smelting and Refining Company has again selected M.I.T. as one of the schools to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the academic year 1953-54. The Massachusetts Institute of Technology is very happy to accept the scholarships under the conditions outlined in your letter, and we should like to express our sincere appreciation to you and your fellow officers of the American Smelting and Refining Company for your continued interest in our educational program. Yours sincerely, M. G. Kispert Executive Assistant Copy to Dean Pitre

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Mr. Oscar S. Straus

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Mr. Oscar S. Straus Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5, New York

Dear Mr. Straus:

Your letter of September 2 addressed to President Killian has been brought to my attention, and I am pleased to report to you that we have selected two men for the ASARCO Scholarships for 1953-54:

Laurence Leonard 1954 323 Cedar Avenue Highland Park, New Jersey

William Lee Hartrick 1954 1328 Fry Avenue Lakewood 7, Ohio

These men have been recommended to our Committee on Student Aid by the Department of Metallurgy.

Sincerely yours,

T. P. Pitre Director

cc: President's Office

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY Presidents Office 120 BROADWAY NEW YORK 5, N. Y. OSCAR S. STRAUS TREASURER September 14, 1954 President James R. Killian, Jr., Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: It gives me great pleasure to enclose herewith this Company's check in the amount of \$1000, representing the ASARCO Scholarships for the school year 1954/55. Treasurer OSS:mc Encl.

america Smelter September 21, 1954 Mr. Oscar S. Straus, Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Straus: In President Killian's absence I am acknowledging your letter of September 14 with which you enclosed a check in the amount of \$1,000 to cover the ASARCO scholarships for the year 1954-55. We are delighted to receive this scholarship aid, and may I express our gratitude to you and the other officers of the American Smelting and Refining Company for this generous action. Yours sincerely, M. G. Kispert Executive Assistant bcc: Dean Pitre Mr. Phind with the ek

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY Presidents Office 120 BROADWAY NEW YORK 5, N. Y. MAR 7 1955 OSCAR S. STRAUS Metal in TREASURER March 4, 1955 FHe ____ President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: On behalf of the American Smelting and Refining Company it gives me great pleasure to inform you that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has again been selected as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the college year 1955/56. The responsibility for the issuance of these scholarships rests, as in the past, upon the universities or colleges selected. Accordingly, we would like you to award, for the year 1955/56, two ASARCO Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each, to two students in metallurgy. The conditions governing the award of these scholarships are the same as those pertaining in previous years. It would be appreciated if you will let me know, at the earliest possible moment, whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology desires to accept these scholarships. If you do desire to accept them please let me have the names and addresses of the students as soon as they have been selected. Upon receipt of this information, arrangements will be made to forward our check. on or about September 15. 1955. Treasurer cc Dean Pitre Oss:mc Dean Petré for greenval

March 25, 1955 Mr. Oscar S. Straus Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Co. 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Straus: On behalf of President Killian, I am replying to your recent letter in which you inform us that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been selected as one of the universities to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the year 1955-56. We are delighted to accept these two scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to be awarded to students in our Department of Metallurgy. I am referring this correspondence to Dean T. P. Pitre, Director of Student Aid, who will handle the details of administering these scholarships, and you may expect to hear directly from him regarding the recipients. May I express sincere appreciation to you and your fellow officers for this generous indication of your continuing interest in our educational program. Yours sincerely. M. G. Kispert Executive Assistant ce: Dean Pitre

Presidents Office AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPAN 9 1956 120 BROADWAY NEW YORK 5, N. Y. OSCAR S. STRAUS VICE PRESIDENT AND TREASURER April 3, 1956 President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts Dear President Killian: It gives me great pleasure to inform you that the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has again been selected as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the college year 1956/57. As in the past the responsibility for the issuance of these scholarships rests entirely upon you. Accordingly, we would like you to award, for the year 1956/57, two ASARCO Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to two students in Metallurgy. The conditions governing the award of these scholarships are the same as those pertaining in previous years. It will be appreciated if you will let me know, at the earliest possible moment, whether the Massachusetts Institute of Technology desire to accept these scholarships. If you do wish to accept these scholarships, please let me have the names and addresses of the student recipients as soon as they are selected. Upon receipt of this information, arrangements will be made to forward our check, on or about September 15. 1956. As in the past, Mr. Rex C. Beckstead, Director of Safety and Technical Employment, will visit the college during the year and will be happy to answer any questions that may arise concerning these scholarships. OSCAR S. STRAUS Vice President and Treasurer OSS:sh cc: RCBeckstead Dean Pitre

am. Smelling &. Refining Co. April 11, 1956 Mr. Occar S. Straus Vice President and Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Co. 120 Brondensy Hew York 5, H.Y. Dear Mr. Straigt President Zillian was pleased to learn from your letter of April 3 that your Company has again included the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the group of universities and colleges selected to receive ASANCO Scholarships for the year 1956-57. These awards of \$500, each to two students in Metallurgy are greatly appreciated and this additional support of our educational progress will be very heipful. Your letter and a copy of this reply are being turned over to the Director of our Student Aid program, Dean T.P. Pitre, and he has agreed to follow through in the matter of giving you the names and addresses of the recipients of the scholarships. Yours sincerely M.G. Mispert Executive Assistant cc: Mr. R.C. Beckstead Dean T.P. Pitre

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY 120 BROADWAY Presidents Office NEW YORK 5, N. Y. RECEIVED APR 8 1957 OSCAR S. STRAUS April 3, 1957 VICE PRESIDENT AND TREASURER President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass. Dear President Killian: The Massachusetts Institute of Technology has again been selected as one of the universities and colleges to receive ASARCO Scholarships for the college year 1957-58. As in the past, the responsibility for the issuance of these scholarships rests entirely upon the university. Accordingly, if you accept these scholarships, we would like you to award two scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to two students in Geology. The conditions governing the award of these scholarships are the same as those pertaining in previous years. It will be appreciated if you will let me know, at the earliest possible moment, whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology desires to accept these scholarships. If you do wish to accept them, please let me have the names and addresses of the student winners of the scholarships as soon as they are selected. Upon receipt of this information, arrangements will be made to forward funds to the University on or about September 15, 1957. OSCAR S. STRAUS Vice President and Treasurer OSS:ih RECEIVED STUDENT AID CENTER

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY Presidents Office Cambridge 39, Massachusetts RECEIVED STUDENT AID CENTER APR 12 1957 Director of Student Aid April 11, 1957 Mr. James G. Kelso Executive Assistant to the President President's Office Dear Jim: I have looked over the proposal of Oscar S. Straus on American Smelting and Refining Company Scholarships. For several years these have been assigned to Metallurgy and I feel confident we could use this money in Geology if this is the company's wish. I have not discussed this either with Professor Chipman or Professor Shrock but I would recommend that this proposal be accepted and I will then talk with both Professors Chipman and Shrock. Very truly yours, T. P. Pitre Director Enc. TPP/k

af - american Smeeting + Referring Company April 18, 1957 Mr. Oscar S. Straus Vice President and Treasurer American Smelting and Refining Company 120 Broadway New York 5. New York Dear Mr. Straus: Thank you very much for your letter of April 3rd announcing the gift of two scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. We shall be very happy to administer these scholarships as we have in the past except that they will be awarded to students in Geology. In previous years they have been awarded to metallurgical students. Dean Thomas P. Pitre. Director of Student Aid, will be in correspondence with you in connection with the names of student winners as soon as they are selected. Again let me express my appreciation and that of the Institute community for your generous support to our scholarship program. Yours cordially, J. R. Killian, Jr. President cc: Dean T. P. Pitre bcc: Professor J. Chipman Professor R. R. Shrock JGK:1mf



ASARCO FOUNDATION 120 BROADWAY NEW YORK 5, N.Y.



September 17, 1957

President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Mass.

Dear President Killian:

It gives me great pleasure to enclose herewith the ASARCO Foundation's check in the amount of \$1,000.00, representing the two American Smelting and Refining Company Scholarships awarded to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for the year 1957/58.

Very truly yours

OSCAR S. STRAUS

President

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american Smelting + Refining September 20, 1957 Mr. Oscar S. Straus, President ASARCO Foundation 120 Broadway New York 5. New York Dear Mr. Straus: I acknowledge with gratitude and pleasure your letter of September 17th, enclosing a check for \$1,000 covering the two American Smelting and Refining Company Scholarships for the year 1957-58. The scholarships will be awarded in accordance with policies which have been determined between Dean Thomas P. Pitre and the ASARCO Foundation. I should like to express my appreciation for this understanding support granted to the Institute's scholarship program. One of our prime problems is to raise our funds in order to make available to needy students financial assistance so that they might attend M.I.T. Your support in the past has been greatly appreciated as being of extreme value to our general scholarship program. Yours cordially, J. R. Killian, Jr. President JGK: 1mf bcc: J. J. Snyder w/check T. P. Pitre



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President James R. Killian, Jr. Massachusetts Institute of Technology Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear President Killian:

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been selected again to be one of the universities and colleges to receive an ASARCO Scholarship for the college year 1958–59.

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The responsibility for the issuance of this scholarship, as in the past, rests entirely upon the university. Accordingly, we would like you to award a scholarship, in the amount of \$500, to a student in metallurgy. The conditions governing the awarding of this scholarship are the same as those in previous years.

Please let me know at the earliest possible moment whether or not the Massachusetts Institute of Technology desires to accept this scholarship. Upon receipt of this information, and also upon receipt of the name and address of the student to whom the scholarship is awarded, the scholarship funds will be released for payment to the university on or about September 15, 1958.

In accordance with the policy established in 1957, the Asarco Foundation will contribute an equivalent amount to Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in unrestricted funds, for the use of the Metallurgical Engineering Department.

OSCAR S. STRAUS

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of - amer. Smelting + Refining March 5, 1958 Mr. Oscar S. Straus, President Asarco Foundation 120 Broadway New York 5, New York Dear Mr. Straus: On behalf of Dr. James R. Killian, Jr., who is on leave in Washington, I should like to acknowledge your letter of February 25th, informing us of the scholarship award in the amount of \$500 to a student in metallurgy at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. We shall be very happy to accept this scholarship and will administer it as we have in past years. Your continuing support is greatly appreciated. Dean Thomas P. Pitre, Director of Student Aid, will be in correspondence with you in connection with the name of the student winner as soon as he is selected. I hope that you will present to your associates our appreciation for this understanding and timely assistance in helping needy students. Sincerely yours, James G. Kelso Executive Assistant JGK: Imc bcc: Dean T. P. Pitre J. J. Snyder J. Chipman

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September 27, 1940

Dr. Karl T. Compton 111 Charles River Road Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear Dr. Compton:

I have the privilege of transmitting to you a resolution passed by the Executive Committee of the American Social Hygiene Association at a recent meeting. We have enjoyed acquaintance with Professor Zinsser for so many years that his loss will be deeply felt by the members and officers of the American Social Hygiene Association.

Yours sincerely,

WC/JK Enclosure Walter Clarke, M.D. Executive Director

The Executive Committee of the American Social Hygiene Association, meeting in New York City on September 5, 1940, sadly takes official note of the death of Professor Hans Zinsser, a great benefactor and friend of humanity who gave some of the best of his brilliant abilities to the solution of problems which concern this Association and who served the Association as Chairman of its Massachusetts Anti-Syphilis Committee and as a member of its Board of Directors and who at many times during the past quarter Century generously advised and supported the Association. Few men possess his intellectual powers, few his scientific honesty, few his gifts of artistic expression and few his friendly philosophy comprehending equally in its sympathetic understanding, the trends of world-wide society and the hopes and fears, strength and weakness of many obscure individuals to whom he extended timely aid. Few men will be missed as he will be from circles of intimate associates and from the ranks of humanists and scientists throughout the civilized world.

The Executive Committee, deeply conscious of the loss of an eminent colleague and friend, extends its sympathy to the family of Professor Zinsser and especially to Mrs. Zinsser, and offers the consolation that comes from assurance of the permanence of his many contributions to the advancement of the welfare of mankind. His courage, simplicity, honesty, devotion and friendliness have inspired many students and associates. They will endeavor to emulate his character.

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