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1029 COMMERCE TITLE BUILDING
MEMPHIS 3, TENNESSEE

October 4, 1950

Mr. J. P. Hess
University of Tennessee
Knoxville, Tennessee

Dear Preston:

Inclosed is copy of a letter which I have written to Gen. Beeler. I would like for you to read it and to have President Brehm read it. Then file it in the file pertaining to the applications of the negroes for admission to the University.

The last suggestion made in the letter, viz., to endeavor to uphold the State segregation legislation under the State's police power may not have much merit, but at least it is worth a try.

Cordially yours,

WR/BM

/s/ Wassell Randolph