

Miss Lucile H. Bluford,  
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Dear Miss Bluford:

Since receiving your telegram of the 19th, I have again read, and carefully considered, the Supreme Court's opinion in your case. I have also read the Attorney General's opinion to President Scruggs of Lincoln University, together with all of the recent correspondence passing between yourself and Mr. Canada.

I feel bound to say that in my opinion Mr. Canada has simply performed his plain duty in declining to issue you a permit to enroll in the University of Missouri. The reasons for this conclusion are the same as the reasons stated in Mr. Canada's letter to you of September 2d.

Yours very truly,