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PRESIDENT

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Miss Lucile H. Bluford
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Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Miss Bluford:

Since receiving your telegram of the nineteenth, 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 stated in Mr. Canada's letter to you of September the second.

Yours very truly,