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R. S. ROBERTSON,

Atty at Law,

FORT WAYNE, IND.

Salt Lake City, April 14 1892

Pres't J. M. Coulter,

Bloomington Ind.

Dear Sir,

Your query raises a ghost which seems never to be laid effectually. We have several times raised salaries under the same kind of incentive, and each time it causes dissatisfaction among those whose salaries are not raised. I wish sincerely that we could raise our scale all around, but as you know, it is difficult to make both ends meet as it is. Personally I am in favor of liberal salaries, but it is so difficult to make the legislature understand as we do, the necessity for it. I dislike to commit myself to a promise to raise Prof Woodburn's salary to the sum indicated without an opportunity of discussing the conditions with the remainder of the board, but I have no doubt the board will desire to do what is necessary to meet the emergency.

Yours truly R. S. Robertson.