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Dear Topley,

I have been thinking over the situation in my Department since the decision of the College no longer to pay for a Secretary. In view of the Phenothiazine data, which I hope will be coming in soon, I think it would be fair that the Agricultural Research Council should put up £35, which would provide, in addition to any small expenses incurred for equivalent clerical assistance for two months.

Please let me know, as soon as you can, if the Agricultural Research Council, is able to do this, as, owing to delays for which I am not personally responsible, I may have to make arrangements in a great hurry.

Yours sincerely,