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Dear Charles Laurence:

I was glad to receive your letter recommending Dr. Stenzel for the vacancy at Johns Hopkins. Whether or not it is too late to do anything I do not know. The Committee met late in February and made recommendations but I have not yet heard from Dr. Bowman and so do not know the result of our efforts. I have just written Dr. Bowman expressing the opinion that if no selection has yet been made Stenzel should be very seriously considered for the position. A copy of this letter is also going to J.B. Reeside who was Chairman of the Committee. do not know Stenzel myself but was much impressed by what I got from his publications which you so kindly sent me. I have talked the matter over with Croneis who does know Stenzel very well and his opinion was very favorable. Apparently here is a good man which our Committee overlooked. If a decision has not yet been reached your letter will be very helpful. I will keep these separates until the Johns Hopkins vacancy has been definitely filled and then I am wondering what I should do with them. Perhaps they should be returned.

With kindest regards and best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

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