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Strong opinion prevails that government should finance all auxiliary war services or sanction a united campaign along lines indicated by the Minister in the house press reports indicate proposals for government financing only part of auxiliary war services am sure you are aware of the most important and satisfactory service carried on by the salvation army not only at home but abroad and am confident government would not desire restrict their activity proposed plan will greatly restrict if not wholly suppress salvation army effort unless they are allowed to carry on a national campaign to raise money from my contracts with the armys widespread services both in Great Britain and at home I strongly urge that the present proposals be reconsidered doubtless in the days ahead we will need all auxiliary help it is possible to secure.

Howard Ferguson.