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Dear Principal:

I enclose an extract from the minutes of our Faculty meeting of the 14th September. I understand that Professor Howard, when he expressed his wish for the strengthening of the Civil Law teaching, was referring only to an increase in the remuneration of the present staff. At the next meeting, held on the 8th October, he expressed himself as being strongly opposed to Dr Mackay's proposal for the establishment of a whole-time chair in Civil Law. The proposal, in which some of us would have concurred, was therefore not pressed.

Sincerely yours

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