During the autumn months Mr. Sproule has been giving two lectures a week as mentioned above; he has also (in addition to his ordinary work) given two lectures a week on metallurgical calculations, and some hours per week in post-graduate instruction that I would usually have given. After Christmas he will be relieved of the lectures on general metallurgy and of the graduate work, but I shall probably have to ask him to give instruction in metallurgical laboratories and metallurgical design, and possibly one or two lectures per week. In view of the additional work that is being given to Mr. Sproule this session I think it would be very desirable for the University to give him some bonus or additional remuneration for the present session. I shall be very grateful if you can obtain the necessary authority to engage Mr. Carlyle to lecture on copper smelting and to pay Mr. Sproule a bonus for his extra work. Yours very truly, (Signed) ALFRED STANSFIELD.