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Mr W H Glenn  
Atlanta Ga

Dear Mr Glenn:

Georgia Tech is facing an immediate crisis.

The bill to grant Georgia Tech an emergency appropriation of \$125,000 is in the hands of the Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives. Without this money Georgia Tech cannot compete at the present time, with other schools that are sufficiently supplied with funds to pay the salaries which the teachers are obliged to demand to meet the greatly increased cost of living. Already Georgia Tech has lost 38 members of its faculty. The situation is desperate. The very life of the school is at stake. If this appropriation is not granted by the State Legislature, it is feared that Tech cannot possibly hold her faculty together for the session of 1920-21.

In order that this bill may pass the House of Representatives, a constitutional majority must vote in favor of it. This means that for Tech to receive this life-saving emergency fund, 97 members must vote for it; and they will take this action only as they are made to feel that in so doing they are expressing the wishes of their constituents.

I am enclosing a list of the members of the House of Representatives, arranged alphabetically by counties. Will you not lend Tech your assistance by letting the Representatives from your County realize that you are in full sympathy with the granting of this emergency appropriation, and thus place Tech in a position where she will not be obliged to close her doors next session to any of the earnest young men who are seeking to fit themselves to better serve their State and Country.

While Tech is going to raise a large fund for equipment and expansion, this will not be available in time to be of any assistance in the matter of holding the faculty for the coming year.

As one citizen to another, I earnestly bespeak your assistance in this vital matter, and I urge that you act quickly. I have ventured to address you on this subject because of the deep interest that I know you feel in matters which affect the welfare of our beloved State.

Sincerely yours,

Chairman Board of Trustees.

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