Mrs. Robert I. Simpson, 212 Thilly, Columbia, Mo.

Dear Mrs. Simpson:

I thought the only way to find out was to be direct, and I have written President Deimer. At least we will find out what the situation is.

Here at the University of Kansas our dean of women, Miss Meguiar, has been ill and has just returned from a leave of absence. I do not know what the situation is. Miss Miller, the assistant, has been running the office very efficiently during her absence. I do not believe there will be any change there in the near future, and I know that you wouldn't be interested in a housemother's job -- or would you?

Any way that I can help out will be a pleasure. Let me know.

Please remember me to your daughter Phyllis and that fine grandson, as well as to your good dad. Here's hoping that Bob, Jr., gets the appointment to West Point, and that Bob, Sr., gets to come home.

Sincerely yours,