

Huntsville, Ont.  
July 25, 1944

Dear Mr. Allen,

Thank you for your letter and for the interest you express in helping with the Jayhawk Nursery. I do not have the exact figures with me but the amounts shown below are nearly correct, in round numbers, for our two drives.

1941-42	1942-43
Students \$ 1500	\$ 800
Faculty 1000	\$ 800
Entertain- ments etc. } 400	600
Tuition 400	700
Alumni 200	450
Total \$ 3500	\$ 3350

For 1943-44 the National Directors of the National War Fund allocated \$4000. to the Nursery. I think this was charged against the amount Lawrence contributed to International Relief. Dolph Simons and Art Weaver were instrumental in helping arrange this and will have the facts in mind. Perhaps you should enlist their aid. Since the amount would be, as you say, "staggering" especially if listed along with Lawrence local items would it not be possible to have it appear in the budget as "For International Relief, including support of the Jayhawk Nursery"? That amount could then be made large enough to include the \$4000 (or \$2000) for the Nursery, and it could be understood by the Lawrence Directors of the War Fund, that if the war ends this fall the money could be diverted to relief of War-Orphans in Occupied Countries.

Henry J. Allen did not contribute to either drive beyond giving his Convocation fee of \$50.00. However the British Ministry of Health, besides providing the building for the Nursery, donated an amount each year somewhat larger than our contribution. The Ministry of Health intends to continue the Nursery as long as it is needed even if