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Mr. Carl S. Byers,
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Dear Mr. Byers:

I have just talked to Ernst Uhrlaub and he showed me a money order receipt for \$50.00 which he had sent to the Court. Uhrlaub stated that there was some court order now out to the effect that he pay \$75.00 per month from June 1st on, and pay a stipulated sum something like \$700.00.

You and I both know that he doesn't have this money and there will be no opportunity for him to earn much money until next school year rolls around. If there are any court proceedings that become public and cause a disturbance in a public way, then I am sure that he will not be able to get a job in any of the schools, and the purpose of his getting an advanced degree will be defeated so far as earning power is concerned.

I endeavored to get him a recreation job here this summer in Lawrence, but it fell through. I thought that I could swing the thing, but a woman with large experience got the job, so frankly, I do not see how he will earn much until school starts. Uhrlaub told me that if he procured a job he had expected to borrow some money on his contract and send it ahead. But he has no job at the present. Any disturbing factor may defeat him.

I am convinced that he is willing to pay his obligation if and when he can get a lucrative job. Anyone knows that a student in college never earns much money even though he is pursuing a master's degree. When he gets out is the time to capitalize on his earning power.

I wish that you would write me and tell me what your intentions are, because I am willing to help so long as I feel both sides are playing the game conducive to the