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Professor L. N. Flint,
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Dear Professor Flint:

Your second letter inquiring about Stanley Stauffer causes me to be torn between two desires in recommending both Stanley Stauffer and Maurice Jackson.

Maurice is the older, more mature chap. He has the stronger physique and makes a more forceful impression upon the individual whom he has met for the first time. However, in my opinion, Stanley Stauffer is one of the keenest young minds that I have met. He is very clever, he is most dependable, and he is decidedly engaging in conversation. He has that sixth sense that is so essential to young men who forge on ahead of the group, but I might add that Maurice Jackson has everyone of these qualifications plus an added maturity.

I would say that Maurice is just about one year ahead of Stanley in developmental qualities. For that reason I would put Maurice Jackson number one, and Stanley Stauffer a very close second. Both boys are of the finest character, and deepest loyalty that I know of. I would bet my shirt on either boy to go a long ways not only in the struggle for existence but toward making their place in the sun.

Very cordially yours,

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