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Dr. Harry Gideonse
President of Brooklyn College
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Dear Dr. Gideonse:

We are sincerely grateful to you for contributing your views to the discussion of work camps on Friday, and hope that you felt it was a valuable meeting. Many people spoke to us afterward in agreement with your appraisal of the need of a reorientation in college training.

We will be able to send you a copy of the proceedings in about ten days and hope that this will be of interest to you.

We would like very much to have you visit one of the work camps and hope that you will drop in for a meal if you are in the vicinity of any of them. I am enclosing a pamphlet with the locations and dates of the camps.

Next fall, we hope to be in a position to discuss a closer integration of work camp education and academic education, and I should like to talk to you then about a feasible method whereby Brooklyn College could sponsor a work camp.

Cordially,

Robert E. Lane
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Work Camp Secretary

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