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Dear Professor and Mrs. Matthews,

We were certainly happy to have you with us here in Chicago and we can't say too much about how people appreciated your speaking and personal visiting! Everyone was greatly impressed.

Would you drop me a note to let me know whether you received all of the funds you were expecting from Chicago. If there is anything further that I can do, I will be glad to follow up any details. I particularly want to know if you received a check from the University of Chicago. Dr. Perloff and Dr. Redfield promised to see that something was done, and I wish to check upon it. Formal speaking budgets are usually allocated long in advance and it is difficult sometimes to get something for such an occasion which we quickly arranged for you.

We are sorry to hear that you did have a further delay at the air port, before your departure. It was unfortunate that both Mildred and I had to be tied up early that morning and were not able to wait for your plane to leave.

I was in New York for a short while the week before Christmas, but didn't get to look you up. I did get some helpful suggestions on material for my thesis. I will continue to keep in touch with you.

I am enclosing a carbon copy of a letter to Dean Liston Pope. It may be helpful, but it may not get through the red tape of university trustees etc. who make decisions on honorary degrees. Many of us certainly

think that you deserve it. Whether you get due recognition
or acclaim for what you do, I know it will make no difference
in your personal sacrifice and service for Africa.

Best wishes to you and your family. If there is
anything we can ever do for you, please let us know. We will
keep in touch with you and will look forward to seeing you again.

Most cordially yours,

Darrell & Mildred

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