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Dear Glueck:

I have your letter of the 14th with your revised budget. Much obliged. One thing in the statement of estimated income puzzles me. You have put down \$350 as Trustee's gifts. You have also \$480 attributed to "Moulton and additional gifts from others". Moulton's gift should be counted with the Trustees gifts, and perhaps there are other Trustee gifts included in the \$480. According to my notes we have received here the following amounts from Trustees: Barton \$100, Butin \$50, Lord \$10, Moulton \$250, Torrey \$10, Grant \$100. I am under the impression that Dr. Morgenstern has given \$50 to you directly, but I am not sure. Dr. Adler promised \$25; I am not sure whether that has been received or not. Montgomery promised an undesignated amount, and Newell and Olmstead have not made gifts or pledges, so far as I know. Of course, the Warburg and Patten gifts are counted separately. Wherever they are counted, you doubtless have included all of these.

I shall try to get our application in to the Rockefeller Foundation soon. I have written to Mr. Stevens for an appointment to discuss the matter with him, and I am hoping that Albright will be able to go with me. If we are allowed to apply any of our appropriation to current expenses, we shall be able to restore the stipends for Fellowships. I certainly hope this will be possible.

The only application to the A C L S this year from any one connected with the Schools, so far as I know, was Speiser's. He asked, you remember, for money to make an archaeological survey in Persia preceeding the Tepe Gawra campaign. I understand that the A C L S at its recent meeting found itself without any funds whatever for new projects, though I was told that something would probably be found somewhere for Speiser. I am afraid it would be too late anyway to make any application for aid for next year.

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The statement of your plans for exploring Midian is most exciting. Your remark that some of the territory you want to visit is in Hejaz recalls to my mind the fact that in 1934 I had a communication from the Department of State to the effect that the Saudi government was not unfavorably disposed toward archaeological work in its territory. If you have any idea of operating within the limits of Saudi Arabia, I think it would be a good idea for us to get in touch with the Department of State and see whether definite authorization and protection may be secured.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Miller B. Burrows".

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