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THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

WASHINGTON, D.C.

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The Committee of Award
of the Nobel Prize in Literature,
The Swedish Academy,
Stockholm, Sweden.

Honored Sirs:

As President of The George Washington University of Washington D. C., and in pursuance of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the President's Council, I beg to join in the foregoing nomination of Professor George Lansing Raymond as a candidate for the Nobel Prize in Literature, believing that the literary work and writings of Professor Raymond possess in a high degree the idealistic quality which I understand to be an important consideration in determining the award.

We concur in the reasons set forth in the foregoing nomination by professors of this University in History and Literature.

Very respectfully,

Chas. W. Needham
President of
The George Washington University

attest

John V. D. Varner
Secretary

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