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Mr. John M. Moore  
Arlington  
Vermont

Dear Mr. Moore:

A decision about constructing new faculty houses at the College cannot be made until after our Trustees meet on April 22. I will write or call you after that meeting.

Thank you for your interest and the information you have furnished about your houses. I am returning herewith the photographs you loaned us.

Sincerely,

Stanley R. Pike, Jr.  
Business Manager

bc: Edith Stewart

Ed,

Mr. Moore says things are beginning to shape up for the summer but it is not yet impossible for him to get us in his schedule. He can make no promise about the situation 4 weeks from now but hopes he will still be able to take care of us if we then decide to build. He means that, I think, and is very pleasant about wanting to do business with us, but can't give us any assurance that late. He did not make the other statement - that it would be too late.

Mr. Kimball's head office has offered to do a good deal that they don't usually do, for they are much interested in the possibility of building for the College. He feels quite sure they will be able to take care of us if there should be a positive decision, and still finish by September. He was about to write Stanley and I encouraged him to go ahead and do so.

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Face Houses

April 27, 1966

Mr. John Moore  
Arlington, Vermont

Dear Mr. Moore:

Since I seem to telephone you at times when you are not at home, I drop you this note to let you know as quickly as possible that we would like you to put the College on the list for one Hodgson House to be completed not later than September 1. We must settle the exact location in the site and the choice of house before we can tell you much more. I hope that the latter part of next week we will be able to make these decisions and that this time will be all right for you, for the President is away for the balance of this week and the first part of next week is our Spring vacation. I hope, too, that you are still free to undertake this building for us.

Sincerely yours,

Edith Stewart  
Assistant to the  
President

*Deal: For Henry*

JOHN M. MOORE  
GENERAL CONTRACTOR  
ARLINGTON, VERMONT

April 29, 1966

Miss Edith Stewart  
Bennington College  
Bennington  
Vermont

Dear Miss Stewart:

Thank you for your letter of April 27 stating  
that the College wishes to have us erect a Hodgson  
House this summer.

I will await a call from you in about a week.

Sincerely yours,

*John M. Moore*