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Dr. Albert Einstein  
Princeton University  
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Dr. Einstein:

In the time since we last wrote you, the organization has grown in experience and achievement and we, its members, feel that we have grown as individuals.

I am very pleased then to inform you of our progress.

The founding organization has been consolidated; the interest and effort of the incoming students has been enlisted. As a concrete example of our work, we are sending you the enclosed brochure and form letter. The form is one of four others couched in terms to suit the particular group, on our mailing list, towards which the appeal is directed. To date, 1500 brochures have been mailed; the remaining 3500 will be out before the end of November.

As you know, this printing, the finances involved, the organization preparatory to it, as well as plans for future events and fund-raising strategy, represents the combined effort of a Freshman to Senior student group. We are encouraged by the support of our sponsors and of the Faculty and Alumni of our College.

Of immediate significance in our plans is the proposed Morris Raphael Cohen Week to take place at The College, November 14th to 19th. Highlighting this week, as the chief event, will be a Convocation scheduled for Thursday, November 17th from 12:30 until 2pm. and open to the entire school body and the interested public.

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A joint committee of Faculty and Students agree that the most fitting type of event consist of four talks, of at most 15 minutes each, on the effect of Prof. Cohen's work on different fields. We expect Prof. Ernest Nagel to deal with "General Philosophy"; Prof. J.H. Randall Jr. to discuss "Philosophy and History"; Prof. F.S.C. Northrup to consider the area of "Philosophy of Science"; Dr. Felix Cohen has been invited to speak on "Philosophy and Law".

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The student body as a whole, the Faculty and our group in particular would be greatly honored if you would come and say a few words "Of Morris Cohen".

Dr. Einstein, if I could only convey to you the intense feeling with which we come to you and say: "Join us on this occasion to honor Morris Raphael Cohen.."

A few of us are ready to visit you within the week, at your convenience to answer any questions.

You would be driven to and from your home, personally.

Dear Sir, it is with all our heart that we extend to you this invitation....

Sincerely yours,

*Shepard Sheinkman*

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President