

Date: 1 August, 1963

From: Walter M. Tisdale

To: President Evan R. Collins

CAMPUS PROGRESS REPORT #9

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Cc: Dr. David Hartley ✓  
Mr. Merle Hathaway  
Mr. James Lewis

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Re: President Swan R. Collins

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