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Mr. Amon G. Carter  
FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM  
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Amon:

You talked to me about the problems facing the McKnights. Upon return to New York, I inquired into the status and find that his salary was agreed upon on a full-time basis of \$560 a month. There is no use of relating Hodges to other doctors, but the company program shows that part-time doctors serving at other pilot base terminals are paid \$300 a month and furnish substantially all of the facilities.

It is clear that we do not have enough work for Hodges on a full-time basis, and if he has an opportunity to line up with Consolidated, I would suggest that he negotiate this out and find out the potential income, and then write me, or preferably to Dr. Stratton, and advise him that he would like to take both jobs and would be able to make some adjustment in his agreed-upon full-time pay with American. The two jobs put together would hardly produce the amount of money we think an outstanding doctor would be entitled to, but it so happens in commercial work that the Medical Department weighs one station against another, and I believe that if Hodges could get substantial income from Consolidated and a small adjustment in his present full-time pay with American to a part-time basis, he would be able to increase his income without jeopardizing either position.

Talk it over with Hodges and, if you want, write me on a confidential basis as to what you suggest, and I will work it through with the departments.

Sincerely,

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