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Correspondence from a UMaine Alumna

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May 12, 1974

Dear Mr. Moses,

I read recently in the Washington Post of the struggle of University of Maine homosexuals for the right to meet and organize. I would like to convey through you, my sincere congratulations to Chancellor McNeil and the Trustees for a courageous stand in the face of the threat of loss of financial support.

The whole article pricked my conscience, and enclosed is my contribution. I wish it could be more.

Sincerely,

Ruth H. Allen
May 21, 1974

Ms. Ruth W. Allen
1011 17th Street N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20036

Dear Ms. Allen:

I want to thank you for your special gift of $25 through the Annual Alumni Fund, which you forwarded to us through Don Mooers, as an expression of your approval of the decision of the Trustees in support of civil rights in the matter of the Wilde-Stein Club.

We will be sure to share word of your action with President Howard R. Neville.

Thank you for your support. Please accept our warm regards from Orono.

Cordially yours,

Donald M. Stewart '35
Fund Coordinator

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Enclosure - Fund receipt

cc: Donald Mooers
    President Howard R. Neville
May 21, 1974

President Howard R. Neville
University of Maine at Orono
Alumni Hall
Orono, Maine 04473

Dear President Neville:

I enclose a letter, in which I acknowledge receipt of a gift, from an alumna who expresses approval for the action of the Trustees in response to the Wilde-Stein Club program.

A copy of the letter from Ms. Ruth W. Allen '73 is enclosed.

Cordially yours,

Donald M. Stewart '35
Fund Coordinator

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Enclosures