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Gen. S. D. Lee,
President.

Dear General:

The work of the Dept. of Veterinary Science has been very much crippled in the past on account of a lack of material for dissections and experiments. It has been found impossible to procure a sufficient number of dogs for dissecting purposes at anything like a reasonable price. The hospital room at the Clinic building is also entirely inadequate. This work is the most important because the most practical. At a cost of \$150.00 an addition

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to the Clinic Building could
be built - that would give
us sufficient - stall room
to properly accommodate our
patients, and also build
Cages and procure other things
necessary to the - breeding of a
sufficient - number of rabbits
for our uses. The cost of
breeding these animals, as
is done at other institutions,
for dissection would be much
less than the - amount
necessary to - purchase a
sufficient - number of dogs
and we could then always
have a supply of material
when wanted.
Respectfully,
R. C. King