UNIVERSITY OF OREGON Eugene, Oregon

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TO MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY:

I regret that it is not possible for me to be present at the June 5 Faculty meeting, the last regularly-scheduled meeting prior to the effective date of my resignation---namely, August 1.

The monthly University Faculty meeting is a source of strength for the University of Oregon. It has meant a great deal to me to have the opportunity of participating in these meetings during the past seven years.

The University of Oregon, like other universities, has faced and is facing some critical issues. Before leaving the University, I would welcome the opportunity of meeting informally with members of the Faculty who are interested and available in order to discuss some of these pressing issues.

I am suggesting, therefore, that we meet on Monday, June 24, at 3:00 p.m. in 180 Prince Lucien Campbell. If, as a result of this meeting, it seems desirable to continue the discussions, I am suggesting that we do so on July 9 at 3:00 p.m.

At these meetings I will initiate discussions on such matters as the recommendations that have been received from the President's Committee on Racism and the actions taken relative to certain racial issues, the budget decisions for 1968-69, and the budget recommendations for the forthcoming biennium. Also, I will be happy to have members of the Faculty raise any other questions they would like to discuss.

I hope it will be possible for you to participate in these discussions.

Arthur S. Flemming

President