

1                   This right has permitted the university to  
2 secure more grants than any other institution save Johns  
3 Hopkins in this area.

4                   These, then, were the reasons why the university  
5 came to this Convention and sought constitutional recogni-  
6 tion of the right.

7                   I should like to say two additional things about  
8 this subject. One is that it is a divisive subject. I  
9 think, Mr. Chairman, you and I have been associated in var-  
10 ious matters for a period of twenty years and I think it  
11 is fair to say, sir, that this is the only thing in which  
12 we found ourselves on the opposite ends of the poles.

13                   I should also like to point out to you and each  
14 of you that the university has not through any of its  
15 employees or agents or people that it might influence sought  
16 one vote on this convention floor for this proposition.

17                   I have answered questions when people have  
18 asked me, but I think it is, I hope it is, helpful to you  
19 that this matter was brought to you for your consideration  
20 without the pressure, without the tactics that might have  
21 been employed and without the systematic buttonholing of