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Dean Merne Harris  
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Dear Dean Harris:

I am in receipt of your letter with respect to the paper which I am to present at the Wesleyan Theological Society meeting. I suggest that you schedule me, if possible, after 19:30 on Friday, or on Saturday. That will allow me to meet my big freshman class. The subject of my paper is: "An Appraisal of the Keswick and Wesleyan Contemporary Positions."

I talked with Kenneth Beardslee, our business manager, about the meals. Afterwards, however, I recall that he was not thinking in terms of lunch on Friday. I am sure, though, that it could be listed on the same basis as the other meals. He quoted me a price of \$2.50 for the three meals: the banquet (\$1.50), and the breakfast and lunch on Saturday (\$1.00). That would make breakfast, I presume, at about \$0.40 and lunch at \$0.60. Let me know if we shall have them for the lunch on Friday, too. I think it could be listed at \$0.60. I suggest that those who are here for the Friday *noon* meals might prefer to eat at Del's Restaurant across the street from the college. The prices are reasonable. There will be no charge for lodging. It would help us, though, if we could know who are coming.

We trust that your new school year is beginning well.

Yours in Him,

*W. Ralph Thompson*  
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