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Thank you for your letter of recent date concerning the naming of Old Botany. Our committee has not yet been activated. We are in the process of replacing the former committee.

Please know that I will present, for discussion, your request and those of the signatories to your petition to the committee at our first meeting.

You need to know that I am, indeed, very familiar with the background of our distinguished alumna, Carrie Chapman Catt; but I am most appreciative of the data which you forwarded. I have always been interested in Carrie Chapman Catt for many reasons not the least of which was her career as superintendent of schools at Mason City.

I will share the materials with the committee at our first meeting.

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