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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

Hobart College is not a heavily endowed college. It, therefore, has been terribly difficult for me to raise money in order to have you speak here. You mentioned to me that the fees some colleges have offered you are ridiculous. I understand.

The Inter-Fraternity Council (the governing body of our fraternities) has \$800 in their treasury. They will permit me to offer this to you for speaking here. Thus, my best offer could be \$800 plus expenses.

I realize that this is <sup>NOT</sup> too much. The student <sup>interest</sup> in you and your views of the Kennedy Assassination is at a high pitch. People are almost willing to pay out of their own pockets. What I'm trying to say is that we can't offer you too much, but we're so keen on having you here that we're hoping that you'll agree to our offer,

As I told you, all dates are open in April except the 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup>; in May all dates are open except the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 17<sup>th</sup>. Please consider my offer carefully and respond <sup>1</sup> as quickly as is convenient.

Most sincerely,  
*Fred Sokol*  
Fred Sokol

PS: Have seen the slightly distorted but still beneficial record on the report,