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Nov - 14th 98

Dear Professor Fitzgibbon,

We have requested
Mr. Medington to put on the
estimates this year for the
furtherance of practical
Technical education among the
girls in Ireland attending
National Schools, an addi-
tional sum of 1300 [£] added,
for the salaries of expert duly
qualified certified teachers
in cooking & laundry in addi-
tion to the four already
employed. This would give
two to each Province in Ireland

and gain for the most
cities and also pay the
necessary salary by anyone
who prepares for the classes -
& organizes the schools &
centres -

I am sure whenever the
question comes on, you
will support it - There is
a great demand for
these teachers all over the
country now & practically
very little use in a high
course if not followed up
regularly - We are terribly
behind hand in Ireland -

and our poor girls suffer
from it - in their homes &
in domestic service -

Yours very truly
Mary Power Talbot

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