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Johann Ender: Borúra derű / From Darkness, the Light (1831)

Miklós Barabás: Count István Széchenyi (1848)

 In 1825 Count István Széchenyi offered one year's income of his estate for a Learned Society at a district session of the Diet in Pressburg, and his example was followed by other delegates

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