

want to hear preachers as well
as to preach myself.

The honorarium you name
\$ 1200 is ample & munifi-
cent.

Any further detail about
my visit can be matters
for future correspondence

Meantime

I am

Dear President Harper

Yours very sincerely

A. B. Bruce

Res President Harper D. D.
University
Chicago

32 Hamilton Park Terrace Glasgow
G. B. Bruce
10th Nov 1894
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Proposed subject
This is your subject
Dem President Harper
File

I gladly feel I must
respond to your earnest request
& go to Chicago next year
"if spared & well" as my
godly father used to say. And
I think I can make work
for the visit. Last year I was
burdened with a big task in
prospect which was to occupy
me for two years. I could
not entertain the thought of
a visit to America. Since then
the task is not only lessened
but steadily advancing & I
can calculate just what

time it will require and the
burden is well off my mind
I am always miserable before
I begin any new big job.

I can give you six weeks
beginning abt middle
of Aug. & going on to
1st of October. I must
leave as soon thereafter
as possible, as our College
session hereafter is to
open 2 weeks sooner than
heretofore abt middle
of October. & it will
probably be my turn
to give the opening ad-
dress.

I have two courses of lectures

that I think suitable for
you: one of 5 lectures on
Agnosticism. another
of 7 lectures on the Historical
Foundations of the Faith, their
Trustworthiness & their
permanent religious value.
The latter course I am now
delivering to a class of ministers
in Glasgow (50 or thereabouts) by
request. The course has just
been completed this autumn.
There is no report in the
papers, & they will be quite
fresh.

I shall be happy to preach
in Chicago. It will be prudent
to keep preaching engagements
to one on any one Sunday,
especially in your climate.

One sermon does not
tall it out of me, two
rather does. I should

Bruce

My dear Prof. Bruce:-

I come to you once more. We should like to have you come to the University from the middle of August to the first of October and spend with us six weeks. We should be pleased if you could consent to give a course of lectures during this period, four hours a week. My idea would be that you would take two days to each of the twelve subjects which you suggested in our recent correspondence, treating them quite informally. If you prefer, we should be glad to make an arrangement for you to come three weeks and carry out the programme that was proposed in the spring. I should like to have the arrangement include a few Sundays preaching in the pulpits of some of our largest churches, for our friends are very anxious to hear you. If you could spend the six weeks with us I think you would have a very pleasant time indeed. We shall be glad to make whatever financial arrangement would be satisfactory to you shall I say \$1200.?

Sincerely hoping that you will consent to this arrangement and allow me to announce it at once,

I remain

Yours very truly,

W. R. Harper

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The University of Chicago

FOUNDED BY JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

CHICAGO

My dear Sir:-

May I beg leave to call your attention to the

fact that the University of Chicago offers among its regular courses of lectures for the Summer Quarter of 1895, two courses by Professor Alexander Balmain Bruce, D.D. of Free Church College Glasgow, and two courses by Professor Caspar René Gregory Ph.D., Theol. D., L.L.D. of the University of Leipzig.

The titles and dates of these courses are as follows:

Professor Bruce.

Agnosticism. Ten lectures. Aug. 13-24.

Historical foundation of the Faith. Fourteen lectures.

Aug. 27th-Sept. 20.

Professor Gregory.

Greek Paleography. Twenty-four lectures. Aug. 13-Sept. 20.

Documents and criticism of the New Testament Text.

Twenty-four lectures. Aug. 13-Sept. 20.

Neither of these scholars needs any introduction to the theological teachers of this country. Prof. Bruce's valuable contributions to modern theological literature have made his name widely known and as widely honored on both sides of the water. Professor Gregory is a scholar of whom all Americans are proud because of the distinguished honor which his scholarship has won for him in Europe.

The above courses are open for registration by regularly

1895

Bruce

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*Send this to
a list to be
sent to
Prof. Bruce
by*

matriculated students of the University either in the Divinity School or the Graduate Divinity School . Any theological instructor whose engagements do not permit him to pursue the course regularly in this way will be welcome to attend the lectures for a few days.

Sincerely yours,

My dear Sir:-
I beg leave to call your attention to the fact that the University of Chicago offers among its regular courses of lectures for the Summer Quarter of 1893, two courses N.B. If you desire a Circular of Information of the Divinity School, a programme of the Biblical departments, or a special circular of the courses for the Summer Quarter, please write to the University examiner, referring to this letter.

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