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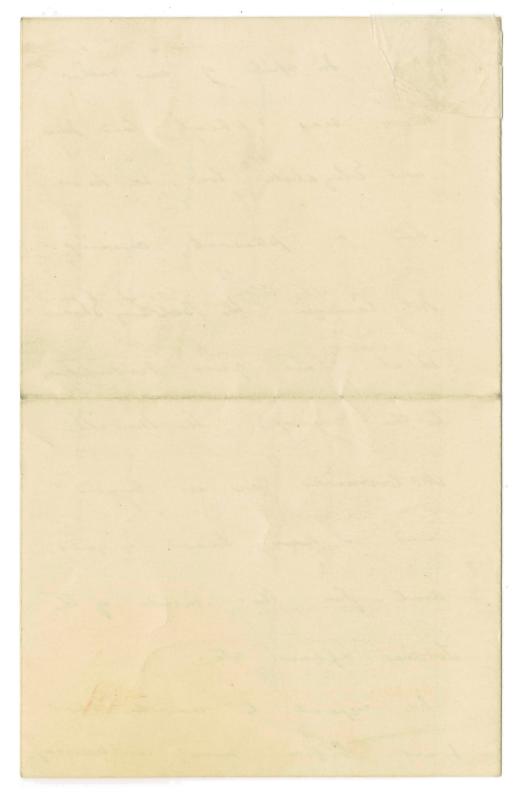
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May 31, 1910

Professor George E. Vincent, Credit Lyonnais, Boulevard des Italiens, Paris, France.

My dear Mr. Vincent:-

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CLIFFORD L. HILTON GEORGE W. PETERSON LYNDON A. SMITH ASSISTANT ATTORNEYS GENERAL C. LOUIS WEEKS Office of the Attorney General St. Faul. May 11, 1960 Hon. Harry P. Judson, Pleticago, 2ll. Dear Dir: Would you kindly inform me how I can oftain a copy of the address, publication, or interview, from which the quotation attached at the fort of this letter was taken? I am, Very respectfully, Jour obcdient servant, Tyndon A. Smith. President Judson speaks with authority, however, and with a truth no man successfully can dispute when he says: If there is to be social and political regeneration in our Republic and in the rest of the world, it must be by a tremendous regeneration of moral ideals. This may come from many sources, and yet it is my personal belief that there is no motive so powerful in this direction as what we commonly call the religious motive. To this position the new psychology itself is rapidly coming, as is witnessed by Professor William James in his "Varieties of Religious Experience," and lately by a new volume, "Twice-Born Men; a Clinic in Regeneration,"

by Harold Begbie.

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Mr. Edwin A. Smith, Editor, "The Spokesman-Review", Spokane, Washington.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 20th inst. is received. The question to which you call attention is a very large one, and I do not anticipate that it is going to be answered in any one way, or in any short time. The movement to the cities I suppose results from the fact, in the first place, that city life is supposed to afford larger opportunities than rural life; and, in the second place, that it is more interesting. It cannot be expected therefore that the tide will be checked, and least of all turned in the opposite direction, unless these conditions are radically altered. So far as the church is concerned it can, I fancy, do little to affect the economic conditions. It may, however, do much towards making life more interesting. A rural institutional church, organized by one who understands how to do it, can be of large influence it seems to me in improving rural conditions. This, however, will require a high order of intelligence and ripe experience on the part of the pastor.

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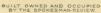
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Spokane, Washing 20, 1910

The time has arrived when the church must take a larger leadership, both as an institution and through its pastors, in the social reorganization of rural life.

The rural church must be more completely than now a social center.

The country church of the future is to be held responsible for the great ideals of community life as well as of personal character.

The country pastor must be a community leader. He must know the rural problems. He must have sympathy with rural ideals and aspirations.

Consequently, the rural pastor must have special training for his work.—
Extracts from Report of Country Life Commission.

Harry Pratt Mudson, LL. D., Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

The Country Life movement inaugurated by President Roosevelt in the appointment of the Country Life Commission has developed into three great subdivisions.

- Better methods of crop production.
- 2. More profitable marketing of farm crops.
- 3. More satisfying social conditions in the open country.

The Country Life Commission itself believes that the church has a much larger part than it has hitherto taken in the social reorganization of rural life, which shall not only check the tide of farm boys and girls to the cities, but shall make limore attractive to the men and women now on the færms.

The Twice-a-Week Spokesman-Review begs to intrude upon your time for some light on this feature of the Country Life problem.

Very truly yours,

Editor of The Twice-a-Week

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ON CONFERENCE WITH THE COLLEGES

The High School Teachers Association of New York City at its annual meeting May 7th, 1910, approved the following statement regarding the present articulation of high school and college. They instructed the Committee on Conference with the Colleges to submit this statement to the colleges, to invite correspondence upon the matters involved, and to furnish any subsequent details that may seem desirable.

Clarence D. Kingsley,

Chairman of the Committee.

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400 Fourth St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ARTICULATION OF HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE

THE REORGANIZATION OF SECONDARY EDUCATION.

We believe that the interests of the forty thousand boys and girls who annually attend the nineteen high schools of this city cannot be wisely and fully served under the present college entrance requirements. Our experience seems to prove the existence of a wide discrepancy between "preparation for life" and "preparation for college" as defined by college entrance requirements.

So long as this discrepancy exists, both the child and society suffer, for the following two reasons:

First:—Every attempt to divide high school students into two classes and to prepare one class for college and the other class for life is unsatisfactory. Many of those being "prepared for college" drop out of school without proper education for citizenship and without the industrial or commercial

THE HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

efficiency which society rightly demands the tax-supported high school should develop. Those being "prepared for life" include many who, later in their course, would go to college if the work already done were recognized by the colleges.

Second:—The attempt to prepare the student for college under the present requirements and at the same time to teach him such other subjects as are needed for life is unsatisfactory. Under these conditions the student often has too much to do. The quality of all his work is likely to suffer. The additional subjects are slighted because they do not count for admission to college. In such a course it is impossible for the student to give these subjects as much time and energy as social conditions demand.

For these reasons we desire to call your attention to the entrance requirements of Clark College. This college accepts the graduates of any New England public high school or of any other high school with equivalent standard. They report that the results are satisfactory to the college. May we ask what, in your opinion, would be the objections, if any, to the acceptance by your college, of the graduates of the high schools of New York City? Such a definition of entrance requirements would secure to the college a four years' preparatory course and would enable the high school to perform its function as a tax-supported institution. Under the present method of defining entrance requirements, students who have not completed our courses of study repeatedly gain admission to college, often to the weakening of both college and high school.

If this departure seems too radical, may we call your attention to the following statements and recommend the modifications in present entrance requirements which seem to us most urgent? There are seven distinct lines of work which we believe essential to a well-rounded high school course; to wit, language, mathematics, history and civics, science, music, drawing, and manual training. Girls must be taught household science and art. Moreover, we believe that the twentieth century demands that the high schools should not cast all students in the same mold; that the amount of science and manual training which is sufficient for one student is utterly inadequate for another; and that a training for business may be given in the high school which will be as cultural and as respectable as any other course. To enable the high schools to adapt secondary education to the varying needs of different students in such a manner as to meet the diverse demands of the professions, of industry, and of commerce, progress seems to us to require

- (a) the reduction in the number of so-called "required" subjects, together with
- (b) the recognition of all standard subjects, as electives.

The specified entrance requirement of two foreign languages, the meager electives in science, and the absence of recognition for drawing, music, household science and art, shopwork, commercial branches, and civics and economics, constitute the chief difficulty.

We should like to see it possible for a student upon entering the high school to choose Latin or German or French; to confine his work in foreign language, during his high school course, to one such language in case the remainder of his time is required for other subjects; and to find at the end of his high school course that he has met the foreign language requirements of whatever college he may choose to enter. We should like to see no discrimination against Latin for the course leading to the B. S. degree, so that students choosing any language may enter the B. S. course.

We should like to see the following subjects recognized by college entrance credits:

Music, 1 unit; mechanical and freehand drawing, each ½ to 1 unit; joinery, pattern making, forging, machine shop practice, each ½ to 1 unit; household chemistry, botany, zoology, physiography, applied physics, and advanced chemistry, each 1 unit; modern history, 1 unit; civics and economics, each ½ to 1 unit; household science and art, 2 units; and commercial geography, commercial law, stenography and typewriting, elementary bookkeeping, advanced bookkeeping, and accounting, each ½ to 1 unit.

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As to the gentleman to whom you refer, you of course knew his strong points. I have always found him personally very agreeable. When he had a head of the department with whom to be answerable there were many causes of difference between the two.

I don't know who was responsible; I suspect they were both responsible. Possibly he has some intellectual splinters. However, this is sometimes no more than is to be expected with the investigative temperament. As you know, there are some learned men who have to be handled with gloves unless an electric shock is to be obtained.

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With cordial best wishes, I am,

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United States Senate, Washington, D. C. Dear Mr. Cullom:-

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That a free memorial bridge of stone construction should be built at Niagara, forever connecting the two countries at the point where many of the struggles of the war of 1812 took place.

That an International Peace Congress on a great scale, and preparatory to the Hague Conference of the next year, should be held at the same time and place as the dedication of the bridge; the United States and Great Britain acting as hosts.

That the anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Ghent

(Dec. 24, 1814) be celebrated in London.

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That a permanent Joint High Commission should be established to promote Intercourse and friendly relations between Canada

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That an exposition should be held in which the progress during the century of the arts of peace should be shown.

The Secretary was requested to inform the absent members of the Committee of the suggestions made, and to invite an expression of opinion from them on the subject. We shall be most happy to hear from you regarding this.

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