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CHICAGO

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what do you
advise?

February 9, 1923

My dear Mr. Burton,

You have been very kind to us Catholics in placing the library at our disposal and now I wonder if you think the university would like to have the portrait of Baron von Hügel to some day be placed in a Catholic alcove.

He is considered by most educated Catholic to be our most brilliant layman and was invited this year to deliver the Gifford lectures. ~~xxx~~ ~~xxx~~. It seems to me that he is the first Catholic to have had that invitation, but I am not sure. At any rate he is very happy with them over the prospect though his health may not permit him to do more than write them.

I don't know whether the university has any of his books, there are only a few, but they are very precious to us. If it has not any I shall be glad to get them later.

The reason I am offering the picture now is that it has been painted and the artist needs the money, as all Europeans do these days and also it can be brought in free of taxes if the university is its destination. It is said to be the work of a very fine Spanish portrait artist and I could bring the photograph to you for your inspection, if you should desire.

Very sincerely yours

James C. Sullivan

Mr. Hadden

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CHICAGO

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John C. Smith

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March 5, 1923.

My dear Mrs. Lillie:-

I thank you for your letter of February 9th offering the Universtiy a portrait of Baron von Hügel.

My only hesitation in at once accepting your generous proposal is a doubt as to whether we have any suitable place to hang it. Unfortunately we are as yet very inadequately provided with wall space for portraits, and I know of no definite intention to provide a suitable gallery or hall for such portraits. If, despite that drawback you still feel inclined to present us the portrait, I should accept it with thanks, and endeavor to give it such a place as could be found for it.

Is it possible that our Art Institute could do it better justice?

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. F. R. Lillie,
5801 Kenwood Ave.,
Chicago, Ill.

EDB:CB

March 5, 1923.

My dear Mrs. Lillie:-

I thank you for your letter of February 27th offering the University a portrait of Baron von Hugel. My only hesitation in at once accepting your generous proposal is a doubt as to whether we have any suitable place to hang it. Unfortunately we are as yet very inadequately provided with wall space for portraits, and I know of no definite intention to provide a suitable gallery or hall for such portraits. It, despite that drawback you still feel inclined to present us the portrait, I should accept it with thanks, and endeavor to give it such a place as could be found for it. Is it possible that our Art Institute could

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2801 Kenwood Ave.,
Chicago, Ill.

EDB:CB

Mrs. Lillie F7

The University of Chicago

The University Libraries

OFFICE OF THE ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

March 8, 1923.

Memorandum to the President.

In re: Offer of painting and books of Baron von Hügel.

Dear Mr. President:

I can think of no suitable place, in Harper Library, for a painting such as the one offered by Mrs. Lillie. Considering that Friedrich von Hügel is a prominent writer on Philosophy, and that both the libraries of Philosophy and Art are located in the Classics Building, it occurs to me that space might be provided there, should Mrs. Lillie feel that the University is a better place for the painting than the Art Institute.

The Philosophy Library has, already, the following works by Baron von Hügel:

- 1- Eternal Life. Edinburgh. 1912.
- 2- The German Soul and Its Attitude Toward
Ethics and Christianity. London and
New York. 1916.
- 3- The Mystical Element of Religion. Lon-
don and New York. 1909.

Copies of his other works would, of course, be most gratefully received, e.g., his Essays and Addresses on the Philosophy of Religion, published in 1921.

Respectfully yours,

J. C. M. Hanson
J. C. M. Hanson,

Associate Director.

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March 8, 1933

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Respectfully yours,

J. C. M. Benson

Associate Director

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The University of Chicago

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Office of the President

Lillie, Mrs. F

January 19, 1925.

My dear Dr. Dickerson:

Mrs. Lillie notified me by telephone some time ago that she would like to present to the University a bas-relief of St. Thomas ^{the Apostle} Aquinas. I enclose a photograph. Will you not look into this and write to her about it? Could it go to the Theology Building? I think she would like it in Harper. I am enclosing a copy of a letter being sent to Mrs. Lillie. In Mrs. Lillie's letter to me, received this morning, she asked that the photograph be returned to her.

Yours very truly,

Ernest D. Burton
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Dr. J. S. Dickerson,
Faculty Exchange,
University of Chicago.

EDB:WD.

The University of Chicago

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Robert A. Taft

Dr. J. S. Dickerson,
Faculty Exchange,
University of Chicago.

EDS:wp.

The University of Chicago

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Office of the President

January 19, 1925.

My dear Mrs. Lillie:

President Burton has asked that I apologize to you for his delay in responding to your generous offer in the matter of the bas-relief of St. Thomas ~~Quinn~~. He, as you may know, is leaving tomorrow for a short vacation. In the meantime, he has asked that Mr. Dickerson consult with you in the matter.

Yours very truly,

Secretary to the
President.

Mrs. Frank R. Lillie,
5801 Kenwood Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

WES:WD.

The University of Chicago
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
Office of the President

January 19, 1935.

My dear Mrs. Millie:

President Burton has asked that I apologize to you for his delay in responding to your generous offer in the matter of the purchase of St. Thomas. He, as you may know, is leaving tomorrow for a short vacation. In the meantime, he has asked that Mr. Dickerson consult with you in the matter.

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Secretary to the
President.

Mrs. Frank R. Millie,
5801 Kenwood Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

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January 16, 1925

Dear President Burton:

I hope I am not pressing you unduly for a decision about Mr Faggi's St Thomas, but the bronze company is coming out shortly to erect six of Mr Faggi's Stations of the Cross and it would be convenient, and less expensive, if they could erect the St Thomas at the same time.

Perhaps you and Mrs Burton would like to walk over to the church, after the stations are in place, and see them with me. It would be a great pleasure to show them to you. Mr Ryerson admired the little models so much that he delighted Mr Faggi by suggesting that he might order them all cast in bronze for his own collection. Mr Faggi spoke quite openly about it x

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so I do not believe I am violating any confidence in speaking to you of it.

Very faithfully yours

James P. Lister

May 2 I have in photograph
back? I have only one.

Mrs. Lillie

leave to
Mathews
Goodspeed
Hodge

Faggi's work

"better accept" Ryerson

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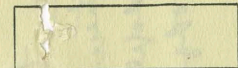
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March 13, 1923.

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following works by Baron Von Hügel:

Eternal Life, Edinburgh, 1912.

The German Soul and Its Attitude Toward

Ethics and Christianity, London and New York, 1916.

The Mystical Element of Religion, London
and New York, 1909.

We should be glad to receive any other
works that he has published - as for example his
Essays and Addresses on the Philosophy of Religion,
published in 1921.

Cordially yours,

Mrs. Frances C. Lillie

5801 Kenwood Avenue

Chicago, Illinois

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MASSACHUSETTS

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June 30, 1923

My dear President Burton,

The portrait of Baron Friedrich
von Hügel should arrive at the University shortly
and I am very happy to give it to the library.

He is an honor to his Church and a great interpreter of it to modern minded men both with in
and without the Church.

Very sincerely yours

James Crane Lillie

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MASSACHUSETTS

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and without the Church.

Very sincerely yours

James C. Lee

December 7, 1923.

My dear Mrs. Lillie:

The portrait of Baron Von Hugel, which you very generously presented to the University, ought, of course, to be framed, and O'Brien has made an estimate of between \$40. and \$45. for putting on it a suitable frame.

I do not know whether it was your intention to include framing the portrait in your gift of it, but if it was, I should of course be glad to proceed with the execution of the frame, so that it can be hung in some appropriate place in the Halls of the University, as soon as possible.

Truly yours,

Mrs. F. R. Lillie,
5801 Kenwood Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

EJG:AS

November 1, 1915.

My dear Mr. Miller:

The portrait of your son, John,

which has been forwarded, is forwarded to the

University, Chicago, at once, so as to be

sent to the artist as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

John

I do not know whether it was your

intention to include the portrait in

your gift of it, but if it was, I should

be glad to have it placed with the portrait

of the frame, so that it can be hung in some

convenient place in the Hall of the University.

As soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

Mr. J. E. Miller,
5201 Cassadaga Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

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Mrs. Lillie Frances

December 8, 1923

My dear Mr Goodspeed,

Please find inclosed a check for
forty-five dollars. I am very happy to have
the portrait framed adequately.

Some day, perhaps, the university will
give the Catholics land on which we may build
a very perfect little gothic library the Fried-
rich von Hügel Library of Catholic Tradition or
some such name. Then we shall have a little ora-
tory attached to it with Mr Faggi's St Thomas the
Apostle for an altar piece and with ^{his} proposed
St Thomas Aquinas and Baron von Hügel's portrait
gracing the reading room.

Meanwhile I am enjoying your New Testa-
ment very much.

Sincerely yours

F C Sillie

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December 8, 1922

My dear Mr. Goodspeed,
Please find inclosed a check for
forty-five dollars. I am very happy to have
the portrait framed.

Some day, perhaps, the University will
give the Catholic's land on which we may build
a very large & little Gothic library the Fried-
rich von Hügel Library of Catholic Tradition on
some such name. Then we shall have a little sym-
bol attached to it with Mr. Hügel's St. Thomas the
Apostle for all after peace and with proposed
St. Thomas Aquinas and - even von Hügel's portrait.

Thanking the reading room,
Meanwhile I am enjoying your new letter-
sent very much.

Sincerely yours

F C F

My dear Mrs. Lillie
Let me
or the framing

December 12, 1923.

My dear Mrs. Lillie:

Let me acknowledge your gift of \$45.
for the framing of the portrait of Baron von
Hugel, which you presented to the University
last summer!

I appreciate keenly your interest
in enriching the halls of the University
with this significant portrait, and completing
your generosity by providing a frame. I note
also your very interesting suggestion as to
a possible ultimate placing of the portrait.

With sincere thanks, I am,

Truly yours,

Mrs. Frank R. Lillie,
5801 Kenwood Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

EDB:AS

My dear Mrs. Lillie
Let me
generous reply to
it of

December 12, 1923.

My dear Mrs. Lillie:

Let me thank you for your very generous reply to my suggestion about framing the portrait of Baron van Hugel. I am handing your letter to the President, and will proceed at once with the execution of the frame.

Thank you very sincerely for your kind reference to my New Testament Translation.

Truly yours,

Mrs. Frank R. Lillie,
5801 Kenwood Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

EJG:AS

Document 12, 1934

Mr. J. M. Miller

101 N. LaSalle St. Chicago, Ill.

Dear Mr. Miller:

I am sorry to hear of your illness.

I hope you will be able to return to work soon.

I am, very respectfully,

Sincerely,

Wm. J. Miller

101 N. LaSalle St. Chicago, Ill.

Yours truly,

Wm. J. Miller
101 N. LaSalle St.
Chicago, Ill.

WJM