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The University of Chicago

OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR

Department of Zoology

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

May 27th, 1905.

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Mr. L. L. Nunn,

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matter. My dear Mr. Nunn:-

I will write at once to Mr. Nunn. I am wondering whether it would not be a good idea for you, in consultation with Mr. Whitman,

Lillie informing me that he and Mr. Crane will undertake to meet your offer which they understand to be substantially "that each party shall furnish \$3,000. a year for ten years for the support of

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May 27th, 1902.

The University of Chicago

FOUNDED BY JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

Department of Zoology

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

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May 23-1905

My dear Mr. Lillie:-

I have spoken with Mr. Crane this morning, and I am greatly pleased to get your letter of May 23rd and to know that Mr. Crane has finally decided the matter. I will write at once to Mr. Nunn. I am wondering whether it would not be a good idea for you, in consultation with Mr. Whitman, to draw up the document to which you refer a document which will serve as the constitutional basis of the whole transaction. Will you kindly do this and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Will you not write to Mr. Nunn telling him that his offer will be met, and asking him to advance his side of the affair speedily?

Finally I think it would be well to have a definition of the relation that the editor and the institutions concerned (including the Marine Biological Laboratory) are to sustain to the publication of the journals. This might be drawn up in the form of a contract.

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Department of Zoölogy

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May 23-1905

Dear President Harper

I have spoken with Mr. Crane this morning, and he has authorized me to say that we are prepared to meet Mr. Munn's offer, which we understand to be, substantially, that each party should furnish \$3000⁰⁰ a year for ten years for the support of the Journals of Biology and of Morphology. I would suggest that each party satisfy the Board of Trustees of the University concerning the payments.

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Jan 22 1892

Dear Sir,
I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am sorry to hear that you are unable to visit Chicago at the present time, but I trust that you will be able to do so at a later date. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
John D. Rockefeller

Enclosed for you are two copies of a report on the progress of the work of the Department of Zoology during the past year. I trust that you will find it of interest. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
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November 3, 1905.

Pres. Wm. R. Harper,
Faculty Exchange.

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I would hesitate to say that the situation is "impossible", but from the fact that Mr. Nunn fully understood Prof. Whitman's attitude in the matter, which is mine also, I think it improbable that we shall reach an understanding.

Yours truly,

Frank R. Lillie

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Frank A. Miller

Prof. Whitman
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The Board of Trustees

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
ELLIS AVENUE AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET

December 17, 1924.

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President E. D. Burton:

Faculty Exchange.

Att: Mr. Scott.

Dear President Burton:

Permit me to acknowledge the receipt
of Mr. Lillie's communication covering his check
for \$60,000.

Yours very truly,

J. Drakerson
Secretary.

The University of Chicago

FOUNDED BY JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

The House of Delegates

December 17, 1934

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
1015 AVENUE AND FIFTH STREET

President E. D. Burton:

Academy Exchange

Att: Mr. Berry

Dear President Burton:

Permit me to acknowledge the receipt

of Mr. Little's communication covering his check

for \$60,000.

Yours very truly,

John D. Rockefeller
Secretary.

COPY

5801 Kenwood Avenue
Chicago

December 12, 1924

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Mr. Trice*

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This gift is very welcome both for its value in enabling us to erect a building for the continuation of the very interesting experiments in Bionomics and for its stimulating influence on our University program of advance.

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Very truly yours,

Mr. N. C. Plimpton,
Faculty Exchange.

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Very truly yours,

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C O P Y

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Mr. Dickerson

November 21, 1924.

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My dear Mr. Burton:

Mrs. Lillie and I would like to contribute sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.) towards the development of the University with the proviso that it be used to erect a building for Experimental Zoology to replace the present Bionomics Greenhouse. We hope that the south half of the west half of the block bounded by Ellis and Ingleside Aves. between 56th and 57th Streets may be set aside for the building and necessary yards.

With all best wishes for the University,

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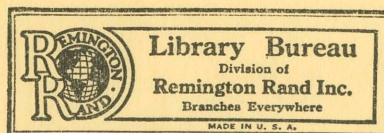
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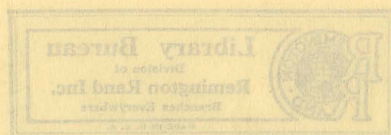
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601 UNITY BUILDING, 79 DEARBORN STREET.

TELEPHONE CENTRAL 717.

CHICAGO, April, 12, 1901.



Miss Eva L. Evans,

Prof. R. H. Harper,
University of Chicago, 501 Unity Building, 79 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

Dear Sir:- My dear Madam:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Lillie have applied to us for a boy. They give your name as reference. Enclosed find recommendation blank which please fill, sign and return to this office. Please pay particular attention to "remarks" as we wish to know something of the spirit of the home.

Chicago is, to my mind, sufficient evidence of his ability

Encl.

ity to care for any child who may be placed under

his direction. It is not necessary for me to fill

out the blanks which you have sent me.

His occupation is _____ Very truly yours,

She is a member of _____ Church.

W. R. Harper
Church.

(or) She is a regular attendant of _____ Church.

Does she use liquor? _____

Their habits as to Sabbath observance and Church attendance are _____

They are distant from Church _____ miles; from day school _____ miles

from railroad station _____ miles.

* As to their fitness for the responsibility of training a child I would say _____

Signed _____

Date _____ 19 _____

* Please give special attention to this question.

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CHILDREN'S HOME AND
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DEAR SIRS:-

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CHILDREN'S HOME AND AID SOCIETY,

79 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

DEAR SIR:—

In reply to your letter of inquiry concerning
of.....

I would state that I have personally known them 8 years. They are aged about 20

Their family consists of (state age and sex)

* The habits of their children (if any) are Not Known

* Their standing in the community as to honesty, morality and trustworthiness is

In education and intelligence they are

Their property is worth at least \$ and the home that they occupy as to comfort and convenience is

He is a member of Church.

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August Board.

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The task of deciding to go elsewhere has been a most heartbreaking one. I want you to know, Mr. Tufts, and hope ~~we~~ you will inform President Burton when he returns, that dissatisfaction of any kind has played no part in forming the decision reached.. It is largely the desirability of getting my family into a different climate that has induced me to ~~forego~~ forego the many and increasing opportunities in the institution that has done so much for me and to break ~~the~~ very pleasant and congenial relationship in the department of zoology.

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Arthur S. Tutta

The University of Chicago
Department of Zoology

Dear James H. Tufts
Faculty Exchange.

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Dec. 11, 1924

My Dear Mr Tufts

In accordance with our conversation yesterday I would like to request that I be allowed to go on a six months instead of a nine months service basis at the conclusion of this year. The request is made on the assumption that the share of salary so released (\$2000⁰⁰ per an.) may be credited to the Department towards an addition to the staff, or increase of salaries of members of the Department, and in the belief that if this can be done the interests of the Department will at least not suffer by such an arrangement. I am influenced in the request also by a desire for more personal freedom than my thirty years of service in universities and at Woods Hole have yielded me, and also for more time for my own study and research.

Sincerely yours
Frank R. Lillie

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The University of Chicago
Department of Zoölogy

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

May 14, 1934

President E. D. Burton

My Dear President Burton

May I say how much I appreciated the privilege of being present at the discussion on Tuesday evening at your home on the future of the University. I feel confident of the wisdom of your plans, and would be glad if I could aid in any way in their realization. The University has always been most generous in allowing me my liberty in the summer quarter for the work of the Marine Biological Laboratory. This summer will be an unusually exciting one here, but I would not allow this to hinder me if part of my time might be of service to you.

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