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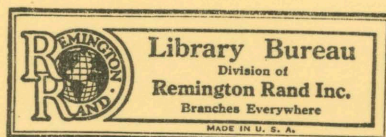
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5832 Washington Ave.

November 7, 1904.

Pres. H. R. Harper.

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University of Chicago.

Dear President Harper:

Your note was waiting  
for me on my return after a  
three days absence -

I am exceedingly sorry that  
through ignorance and carelessness  
I have failed in the courtesy  
due you, and the University.

in any sense that would make  
it improper for me to be connected  
with it without permission. Though  
I did not like the announce-  
ment, as I had explicitly  
refused to do more than  
make suggestions to those who  
were to correct papers.

Will you kindly inform me  
what to do in the matter?  
I most certainly am loyal  
to the University, and though  
it would be awkward to break  
my agreement, I shall do so  
if you desire.

May I ask also, since

in any way



the matter has come up. if I  
am transgressing in giving  
instruction at Chautauqua  
each summer? I have been  
there since some time before my  
connection with the University.

I shall be most glad to  
be instructed in this matter.

Yours very truly.

Alice P. Horton.



When I was asked to do the  
work for the American School of  
Correspondence of Household Economics  
I agreed simply to write the  
pamphlet on Food, and to  
~~supervise~~ supervise the correction of papers.  
I had no thought of any  
announcement of a formal  
faculty, and it did not occur  
to me to ask permission to do  
the work any more than if I  
were to write a magazine article.

Even after I saw the announce-  
ment I did not think of  
the scheme as an "institution".

For I was not at all to do the  
work for the American Society of  
Linguistics & Anthropology. I  
spend myself to write the  
papers on that subject &  
prepare the collection of papers  
I had on the subject of my  
unemployment of a general  
nature, and it did not seem  
to me to ask permission to do  
the work any more than of a  
man to write a paragraph or write  
for after I saw the names  
and I did not think of  
the scheme as an invitation.



November 15th, 1904.

Mrs. Alice P. Norton,  
The School of Education.

My dear Mrs. Norton:-

I am in receipt of your letter of November 7th.

I was quite sure that you did not fully understand the conditions, and I certainly do not wish to have you think that any blame whatever attaches to you in connection with the situation as it now stands. I wish very much indeed that you could withdraw yourself from the American School of Correspondence. I do not believe that this is of assistance to you, and it is certainly doing for them exactly what we wish to have you do for the University itself in connection with the Correspondence department of the University. Their proposition is not equivalent to a magazine article because they use your connection with the University of Chicago to bolster up their work. It is an institution and is so understood, and we should not wish to have you retain your connection any longer than it is absolutely necessary. Work at Chautauqua has always been treated as a different thing with us here because for so many years the work was so closely connected with the University and is still in close relationship. Besides the work there is done during the vacation time. If you wish to talk about this or any other matter, I shall be very glad indeed to see you.

Yours very truly,

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