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June 30, 1916.

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December - 13 - 1917.

Mr. Harry Pratt Judson,  
President, Chicago University,  
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If you approve of old age pensions,  
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LYON G. TYLER, LL. D.,  
PRESIDENT

*College of William and Mary  
Williamsburg, Va.*

March 16, 1918.

*Received*  
President Harry P. Judson,  
University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Illinois.

My dear Sir:

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I am yours truly,

*Lyon G. Tyler*

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

## The University of Chicago

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The Board of Trustees

*Received*

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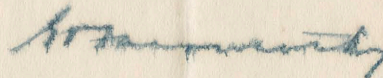
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Dr. E. D. Burton,  
President, University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Dr. Burton:

Sometime ago the Treasurer of New York University and his wife were dining with us in New York, and incidentally said that they were well acquainted with Newman's and Mrs. Miller's families. I got the impression upon that occasion that Mrs. Miller's father was a well to do retired farmer; that he had had only two children, Mrs. Miller, and her sister, who died. When I received the copy of your letter to Mr. Heckman a few days ago it so happened that we were to meet these same friends at an evening entertainment at the Metropolitan Opera House. I inquired again regarding the financial status of Mrs. Miller's family, and learned that they were not quite so positive at this time as I thought they had been on the previous occasion. Mrs. Kimball, however, still felt that the family was not without resources. She was under the impression that Mrs. Miller's father had died.

I presume you have the exact information, but if not would it be advisable to make inquiries from some friends of Mr. Miller who know what the actual situation is. Mr. Kennedy, who was a famous football player in 1899 and who was a partner of Mr. Miller in the printing business at Albion, Michigan, and who still lives there, would, I am sure, be able to tell you exactly, unless you have other sources of information which you prefer. Personally, I should be glad to have the University do what it possibly







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can in justice for Mrs. Miller.

With cordial regards, I am

Yours very truly,

TA AM

*Trevor Arnett*







**The University of Chicago**

Office of the Counsel and Business Manager

April Twenty One

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ROOM 1838, 230 S. CLARK ST.  
TELEPHONE DEARBORN 9312

President Ernest D. Burton,  
The University of Chicago.

My dear President:

I am sending with this a communication embodying information which I undertook to secure for you relative to a certain death benefit, payments of which soon cease.

Very truly yours,

*Wallace Heckman*

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WH:EB

Enc.

Dictated but not read.

*Newman Miller*

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*Confidential*



The University of Chicago

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WH:EB  
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Heistman



COUNSEL AND BUSINESS MANAGER

April 15, 1924

Mr. Heckman:

Mrs. M. has had to support Mr. M's mother to some extent and also to some extent her own mother and her aunt, out of her own income. The insurance money provided by Mr. M. was inadequate for the sole beneficiary, his mother.

{ Mr. M. left some obligations which Mrs. M. felt in duty bound to clear up.

{ It is especially desirable that this information should be kept confidential.

Mrs. M. has been doing very hard work and her financial condition has at times been "precarious."

Mrs. M. is said to have adjusted herself as well as could be expected to her circumstances. She has, however, maintained her apartment in order to receive her music students. She has been thinking of giving it up and taking a less expensive apartment; also of selling her grand piano which she thinks she will be unable to maintain.

Mrs. M. might be interested in a salaried position as a music teacher if it appears that she is qualified to meet the requirements either in public or private schools.

Mr. G. says that so far as he knows, he is the only person who is aware of her condition and who has made any suggestion of meeting it. If the University contemplates a plan of only partial relief he would be interested in knowing to what extent and of considering supplementing it; to what extent he did not state.

G. O. F.

*The love from Mr. G.*



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April 24, 1924

CONFIDENTIAL

My dear Mr. Kennedy:

After Mr. Newman Miller's death the University made an allowance of \$1500 to Mrs. Miller for a period of five years, if I remember the facts correctly. This was outside of any contract with Mr. Miller, as the Director of the Press is not included in any retiring system. You are doubtless aware that Mr. Miller's mother survived him for several years and that the care of her was a very heavy expense, involving not only hospital bills, but for a considerable time special service of two nurses.

Mrs. Miller has met the situation heroically with a devotion to Newman's mother that is altogether admirable, but it has told rather heavily on her health.

The five years are now about to expire and the question has been raised by a personal friend of hers, outside the University, whether the University will cooperate with friends in continuing an allowance to her? The case is somewhat perplexing because the amount of money available for this purpose, though large ~~enough~~ is nevertheless somewhat limited, and the number of persons whose claim upon the University for such consideration is of a similar character and validity, is by no means small. In short, it is by no means an easy thing for the University to arrange such retiring allowances in every case in which the officers of the University might be disposed to recommend it.

It has occurred to me that you probably have some knowledge of the financial situation of the family. Can you give me from such knowledge any information which would throw light upon the course of action which the University ought, perhaps, to take?

Very truly yours,

Mr. Walter S. Kennedy  
616 Michigan Avenue  
Albion, Michigan.  
EDB:HP



April 24, 1934

CONFIDENTIAL

My dear Mr. Kennedy:

After Mr. Newman Miller's death the University made an allowance of \$1500 to Mrs. Miller for a period of five years, if I remember the facts correctly. This was outside of any contract with Mr. Miller, as the Director of the Press is not included in any retiring system. You are doubtless aware that Mr. Miller's mother survived him for several years and that the care of her was a very heavy expense, involving not only hospital bills, but for a considerable time special service of two nurses.

Mrs. Miller has met the situation heroically with a devotion to Newman's mother that is altogether admirable, but it has told rather heavily on her health.

The five years are now about to expire and the question has been raised by a personal friend of hers, outside the University, whether the University will cooperate with friends in continuing an allowance to her? The case is somewhat perplexing because the amount of money available for this purpose, though large ~~enough~~ is nevertheless somewhat limited, and the number of persons whose claim upon the University for such consideration is of a similar character and validity, is by no means small. In short, it is by no means an easy thing for the University to arrange such retiring allowances in every case in which the officers of the University might be disposed to recommend it.

It has occurred to me that you probably have some knowledge of the financial situation of the family. Can you give me from such knowledge any information which would throw light upon the course of action which the University ought, perhaps, to take?

Very truly yours,

Mr. Walter S. Kennedy  
816 Michigan Avenue  
Apton, Michigan.  
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# THE ALBION EVENING RECORDER

106-108 EAST ERIE STREET

ALBION, MICHIGAN

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W. S. KENNEDY, EDITOR

April Twenty-sixth

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Dear President Burton:

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The University will undertake to contribute \$500. to the fund. An additional \$200. has been promised by friends in the city, and more recently \$100. in addition has been subscribed. What we are wishing to do is to secure a fund of \$1000. to \$1200. for the year, so that Mrs. Miller may receive from it towards \$100. a month. I am writing to ask you whether you would be willing to subscribe toward this sum.

Hoping that this will commend itself to you, and that you will find it practicable to co-operate with us in this way, I am

Cordially yours,

President.

Mrs. Walter Kennedy  
The Albion Evening Recorder  
Albion, Michigan

NB/R



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June 22, 1934

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This is my first opportunity to acknowledge your letter of April 28th and to lay before you once more for your consideration the matter of the fund which we are attempting to secure for the benefit of Mrs. Newman Miller.

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JULIUS ROSENWALD  
CHICAGO

June 13, 1924.

Dear President Burton:

Mr. Rosenwald asked me to send you his check to your order for \$100. to be used for the Miller Fund, which was referred to at the annual meeting of the University Trustees. If there is any literature describing this Fund, will you kindly send it to me, so that our record may be a little more complete?

With cordial regards,

Sincerely yours,

*William C. Graves*

WCG/MB

Enc.

Dr. Ernest D. Burton, President  
The University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Ill.







June 14, 1924

My dear Mr. Graves:

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The situation which makes this gift desirable is as follows: When Mr. Newman Miller, Director of the Press, died in 1918, the University voted to give to Mrs. Miller a widow's allowance of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.) a year for five years, this sum being taken from general reserve rather than from the retiring allowance fund, Mr. Miller not being eligible under the statute for a retiring allowance.

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If the University allowance should be entirely discontinued, she would be wholly dependent upon her earnings as a teacher of music. Mr. Miller left no appreciable amount of property except the life insurance which has been exhausted, and there is no considerable sum to be expected from either her family or his.

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Office of the President

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Mrs. Beebe

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Mr. Gossell. State that  
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The University of Chicago

Office of the Auditor

June 17, 1924.

My dear Dr. Burton:

I beg to acknowledge receipt from you  
of check from Mr. Julius Rosenwald, for \$100.,  
being an addition to the University appropria-  
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Yours very truly,

*N. C. Plimpton*

Dr. E. D. Burton,  
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The University of Chicago

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The Board of Trustees

June 19, 1924.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
ELLIS AVENUE AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET

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President E. D. Burton,

Faculty Exchange.

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Yours very truly,

*J. H. Dickerson*  
Secretary.

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The University of Chicago

CHICAGO, ILL. 60607

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*Mr. Butler.*

*re Mrs. Newman Miller*

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July 8, 1924

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My dear Mr. Correll:

Mr. Fairweather has been good enough to place in my hands your letter of June 27th which I am sure he has acknowledged. I am writing this to add my personal word of appreciation of what you and Mrs. Correll are doing. You will easily understand that at this particular time I keenly appreciate every act of generosity toward the University, and every expression of loyal interest. What Mrs. Correll and you have done in this case is quite in keeping with the attitude you have always assumed toward the University.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Warren Correll  
209 South LaSalle Street  
Chicago, Illinois

NB/R

President.



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Chicago, Illinois

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Mr. George O. Fairweather  
1838, 230 South Clark Street  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Fairweather:

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Warren Gorrell



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Please be assured that the generous action of  
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Very truly yours,

William E. Scott (signed)

Secretary to the President.

Mr. William Graves,  
Sears, Roebuck & Company,  
Chicago, Illinois.

WES:S



My dear Mr. Brewster:

I am very glad to hear that you

are now working at the University of Chicago. It is my intention that you should have a year's leave from your present position, and that you should be able to spend the year at the University of Chicago. I am sure that you will find the work at the University of Chicago very interesting and profitable. I am sure that you will find the work at the University of Chicago very interesting and profitable. I am sure that you will find the work at the University of Chicago very interesting and profitable.

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