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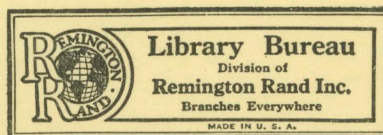
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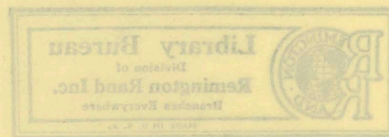
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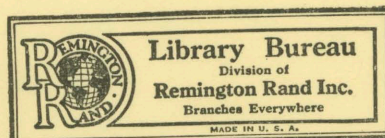
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Dear Dr. Hudson:

Perhaps one of your  
secretaries can attend to  
this for me. *Wm. H. H. H.*

YALE UNIVERSITY,

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

New Haven, Conn.,

Jan 2, 1911.

Dear Sir:-

I have been interested for several years in making a collection of engravings and autograph letters of the distinguished graduates of this University.

I have a letter of *President Harper*  
but no engraving. As he was prominently connected with your *University*  
where he was for many years *President* I have  
thought that you might be of some help to me in filling this gap.

It is my purpose to leave the collection on exhibit at Yale for several years and it will probably ultimately become the property of the University, where I believe that it will be of interest and stimulus to the students.

I hope that it may therefore be possible for you to send me a small engraving of the graduate referred to taken from some local or family publication.

If this is not possible I would greatly appreciate either:

- (1) Information as to where such an engraving may be secured.
- (2) A photograph of a painting of the graduate referred to.
- (3) Information as to where his portrait may be found.

I shall be most grateful for your assistance and will gladly send stamps or money order to meet any small expense involved. If the purposes of the collection were not somewhat public in character, I would not think of troubling you by this request. A stamped envelope is enclosed for reply.  
Thanking you for any assistance you may be able to render, I am,

Very truly yours,

*Amos Phelps Stokes*

*17 President Hudson  
Univ. of Chicago.*



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YALE UNIVERSITY,

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

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January 3, 1914.

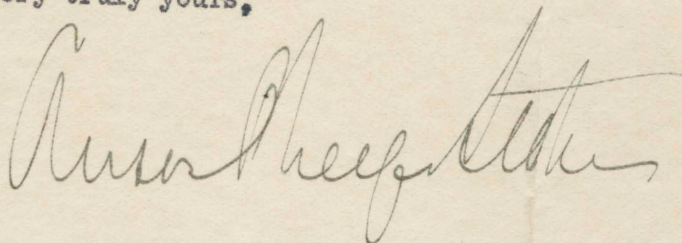
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I cannot tell you how much I appreciate your very kind letter of December 30th. You have been altogether too generous of your time in this matter. I think you are quite right regarding all documents which show President Harper's official connection with the University of Chicago. They should, by all means, be most carefully preserved. You have at Chicago an opportunity, which has been almost never before presented to a great university, to keep in the most systematic form all data bearing on its history. Just think what we would give to-day for the letter files of the early Rectors and Presidents of Yale in the first half of the 18th century. We would count them priceless possessions. So by all means, keep these interesting letters to which you refer.

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With kindest regards, I am,

Very truly yours,



Mr. David A. Robertson,  
Secretary to the President,  
University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Illinois.



YALE UNIVERSITY

SECRETARY'S OFFICE

New Haven, Conn.

January 8, 1914

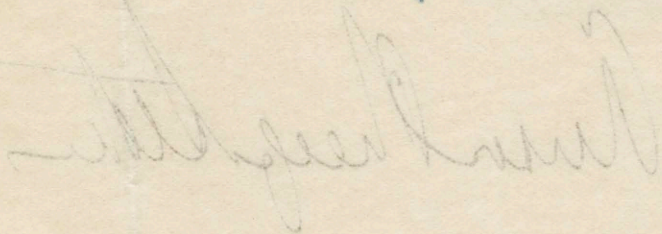
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Very truly yours,



Mr. David A. Robertson,  
Secretary to the President,  
University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Illinois.

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Stokes

Chicago, January 5, 1914

Dear Mr Stokes:

I am very glad to forward you  
herewith the Harper letter. The signature is  
absolutely genuine. Many of the business letters,  
of course, were signed by Miss Cobb, who became  
quite an expert in imitating Dr Harper's signature.  
This one, however, bears not only his own signature,  
but his handwriting and initials.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to the President

D.A.R.-D.

Mr Anson Phelps Stokes  
Yale University  
New Haven, Conn.



Chicago, January 2, 1911

Dear Mr. Storrs:

I am very glad to forward you

herewith the X-ray plates. The specimens are

characteristic of the species of the

of which, were taken by Miss L. J. and

sent to you in the hope that they will

be of use to you. I have not only the

but the X-ray plates and the

specimens of the

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Yours very truly,

Wm. H. K. Storrs  
1115 University  
San Francisco, Calif.



Chicago, September 3, 1913

Dear Mr. Stokes:-

I am instituting a search for an interesting letter by President Harper. Naturally this office retains only carbon copies of letters written by him. A former request from Yale I sent to Mrs. Harper. I suppose that the family however have few letters from President Harper. I am now directing some requests to men with whom he had personal relations, notably Dr. Gunsaulus. Dr. Gunsaulus himself is so much interested in autograph letters, and his relations with President Harper were of such an intimate nature, that he may be able to provide Yale with a good letter.

Sincerely yours,

D.A.R. - L.

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Yale University,  
New Haven, Connecticut.



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Sincerely yours,

Secretary to the President

Dr. Gannett  
Yale University,  
New Haven, Connecticut.



Stokes

Harper M R

Chicago, December 30, 1913

Dear Mr Stokes:

Some time ago President Judson sent to you an autograph letter of President Harper. This was the result of a search by the Secretary of our Board of Trustees through his files. I am sorry that I did not see the letter and am unable to judge if it really met your purpose.

The various persons whose co-operation I have sought have been reporting rather slowly the results of their examinations of files. Dr Gunsaulus, whose relationship with President Harper was of a peculiarly intimate character, discovered only letters which he found so personal that he cannot send them. Mr J. M. P. Smith was very much interested in providing for your important collection, and searched assiduously. He found that among his letters there was none better in President Harper's own handwriting; nor did Miss Chamberlain, his former secretary and later secretary of the American Institute of Sacred Literature, have such



Chicago, December 30, 1915

Dear Mr. Stimson:

Some time ago President Wilson sent  
to you an autograph letter of President Wilson. This  
was the result of a search by the Secretary of War  
of records through his files. I am sorry that  
I did not see the letter and as I could not find it  
I am sending you this copy.

The various persons whose signatures  
I have sought have been reported to me along with  
copies of their examinations of this. Mr. Stimson  
more particularly with President Wilson was of a  
peculiarly intimate character. Stimson was only  
with us for a short time. He was very much interested in providing  
for your historical collection, and arranged accordingly.  
He found that among his letters there was one addressed  
to President Wilson's own handwriting, not his files.  
Consequently, his former secretary and later assistant  
at the American Institute of Great Britain, have sent



a letter. Dr F. W. Shepardson, for many years secretary to President Harper, had not a satisfactory letter. As a Yale man he was very eager to secure an appropriate specimen. Shailer Mathews' files afforded nothing. The files of the President's Office of course had nothing but carbon copies. Mrs Harper and Mrs Davida Harper Eaton did not find anything which could be sent to you. Indeed, the search verified the impression of Mr J. M. P. Smith that only Mrs Harper received many such letters. Dr Smith remembers once watching President Harper painfully scratching off a letter to his wife. Dr Harper looked up and said: "These are the only letters I write by hand, and I would not do these if she did not insist upon it." While abroad he did, however, write a good many letters by hand, and instead of mailing them direct, sent them to Mrs Harper who had them copied on the typewriter. I thought perhaps Mrs Harper might have some of these originals. None, however, has been given to me.

If the letter forwarded to you is not satisfactory for your purpose, please let me know so that I



a letter. Dr. J. E. Chamberlain, for many years  
secretary to President Harper, had not a satisfactory  
letter. As a fact he was very eager to receive  
an appropriate specimen. Charles Harper, Vice  
President of the University of Illinois,  
of course had nothing but carbon copies. Mr. Harper  
and Mrs. Ravida Harper have the only thing  
which could be sent to you. Indeed, the carbon copy  
the representation of Mr. J. E. Chamberlain and Harper  
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If the letter happened to you in the office  
later for your response, please let me know so that I



may look further. I have on my desk just now an excellent letter to Dr Hulbert, containing, however, some references to a man still living -- references financial in character and not suitable for present publication. I have another letter, an intimate one to Dr Hulbert, during the final illness, a pathetically hopeful note signed "Harper". I have also a letter directed in 1892 to Ernest DeWitt Burton, urging him to come to the new University of Chicago. I have also a typewritten letter with full signature and an addition in the President's own handwriting concerning an article on students for the ministry.

If these letters are more interesting to you than the one you have, please let me know and I will endeavour to find one appropriate for you. Because of the rarity of the President's letters, it has been borne in upon some of us interested in the history of the University of Chicago that any document important in the development of the institution ought certainly to be retained. No other



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same initials, a positively hopeful note signed  
"Halsey". I have also a letter directed to 1881  
to Ernest Dettie Halsey, signed also to come to the  
the University of Chicago. I have also a reproduction  
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Sincerely yours,

Secretary to the President

W. E. B. D.

Mr. Aaron Philip Cohen  
Yale University  
New Haven, Conn.



Chicago, November 25, 1913

Dear Dr Shepardson:

Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., of Yale University, is about to present to Yale University a very fine collection of engraved portraits and autograph letters of distinguished Yale graduates. For some months we have been seeking, in his behalf, for a characteristic letter in Dr Harper's own handwriting. I have one or two which ought not to be placed in a public collection. I wonder if you have among your own letters one which will satisfy Mr Stoke's purpose.

I am sure you will sympathise with me in the endeavour to secure a desirable letter to represent Dr Harper in the Yale collection.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to the President

D.A.R.-D.

Dr F. W. Shepardson  
The University of Chicago



Chicago, November 20, 1915

Dear Dr. Hagerman:

Thank you for your letter of the 15th.

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very fine collection of engraved portraits and  
letters of distinguished Yale graduates. The  
names of these have been seeking for a while, but a  
characteristic letter in Dr. Hagerman's own handwriting.  
I have one of the which would not be found in a  
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I am sure you will appreciate with  
me in the endeavor to secure a valuable letter to  
represent Dr. Hagerman in the Yale collection.  
Sincerely yours,

Secretary of the University

Oct. 11-15

Dr. E. Hagerman  
The University of Chicago



J M P Smith

Chicago, November 22, 1913

Dear Mr Smith:

Anson Phelps Stokes of Yale is very eager to secure a good letter in President Happer's handwriting for an addition to a permanent collection of Yale's distinguished alumni. I have sought in vain for a good letter. I wonder if you have in your files any such correspondence as would be of interest in a collection of scholarly autographs.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to the President

Mr J. M. Powis Smith  
The University of Chicago



Chicago, November 22, 1913

Dear Mr. Smith:

I have been thinking of late in regard to writing a good letter to Frederick Hays, and in addition to a personal letter, I have thought in your case a good letter. I wonder if you have in your mind any such correspondence as would be of interest to a collection of scholarly material.

Sincerely yours,

Respectfully,  
The University of Chicago

Dr. E. M. Fowler Smith  
The University of Chicago



The University of Chicago

Office of the President

*J. M. P. Smith*

Memorandum for Mr. Robertson:-

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The University of Chicago

Office of the President

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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS



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YALE UNIVERSITY,

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,


New Haven, Conn.,

December 1, 1913.

My dear President Judson:-

I am exceedingly obliged to you for your kindness in finding the autograph letter of President Harper. I am sorry that you found it necessary to cut out the personal matter to which you refer, but even as it is the letter to Dr. Goodspeed will serve my purpose admirably. You have been very kind about this matter.

Sincerely yours,



President H. P. Judson,  
University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Ill.

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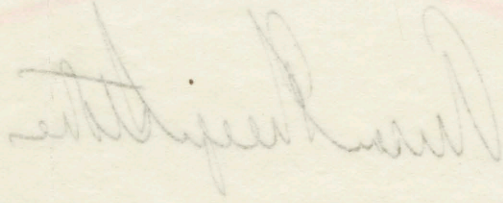
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Sincerely yours,



President H. P. Jackson,  
University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Ill.

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Chicago, November 28, 1913

My dear Mr. Stokes:-

I am sending enclosed an autograph letter of President Harper. You will notice that it has been cut. I did that simply to eliminate some little personal matter, which of course would be of no interest for your purposes.

With sincere regards, I am,

Very truly yours,

H.P.J. - L.

Mr. Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr.,  
Yale University,  
New Haven, Connecticut.



Chicago, November 28, 1913

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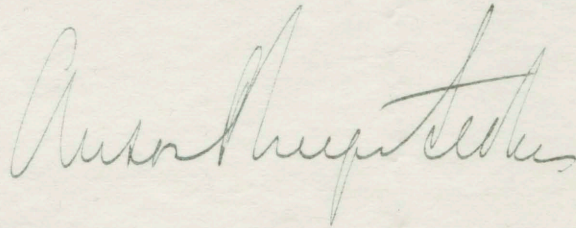
New Haven, Conn.,  
December 6, 1913.

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Dear President Judson:-

Let me thank you for your note of December 4th with its interesting little card from President Harper.

Sincerely yours,



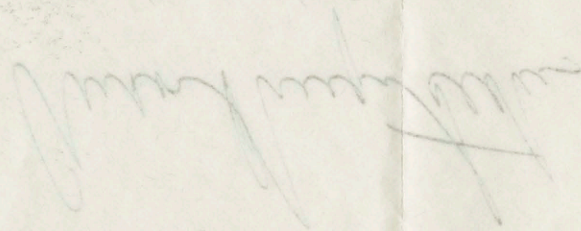
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President H. S. Jackson



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Wm Brewster

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Dear President Jackson:-

December 6, 1893

New Haven, Conn.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE

UNIVERSITY



Chicago, January 7, 1915

My dear Mr. Stokes:-

Thank you very much for the copy of your reprint on the question of preparedness. I have read it with much interest, and while I am bound to say that I have hardly been able to find any one point on which I am able to agree with you in your data or in your conclusions nevertheless I am interested in getting your point of view.

Cordially yours,

H.P.J. - L.

Mr. Anson Phelps Stokes,  
Yale University,  
New Haven, Connecticut.



Chicago, January 7, 1915

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New Haven, Connecticut.



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NEW HAVEN, CONN.

January 10, 1916.

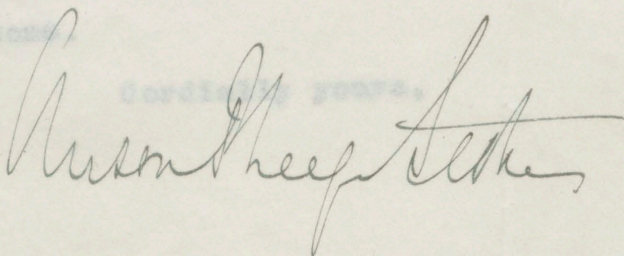
Dear Mr. Judson:-

Thanks for your delightfully refreshing letter of January 7th.

I have been receiving so many entirely unsolicited letters from men of high standing and excellent judgment, like Professor Francis Peabody of Harvard, Professor Woolsey of Yale, Dean Matthews of your University, Chief Justice Emery of Maine, Abraham Flexner of our General Education Board, and many others endorsing heartily the spirit and conclusion of my article, that it was probably good for me to know from your letter how strongly some wise men feel on the other side of the question.

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January 10, 1916.

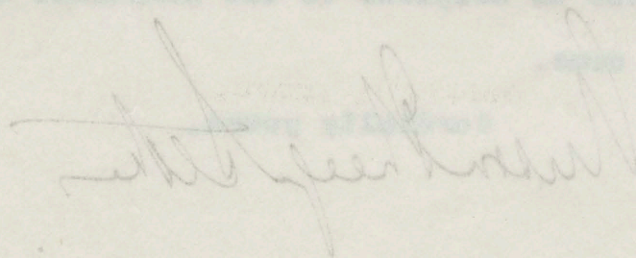
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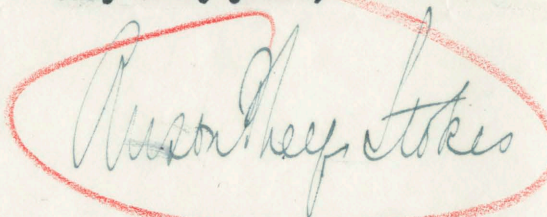
Mr. Anson Phelps Stokes,  
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Mr. Billings is very anxious to visit the school founded by Mrs. Emmons Blaine in connection with Chicago University. I do not happen to know the head master. I am giving Mr. Billings this note to you in the hope that you may give him the necessary introduction.

With kindest regards, I am,

Very truly yours,



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Secretary's Office,  
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January 21, 1915.

Dear President Judson:-

This note will introduce to you my friend Rev. Sherrard Billings who has been for many years Dr. Endicott Peabody's right hand man at Groton School.

Mr. Billings is visiting the middle West for two purposes, to study some of the most representative schools, and to get in touch with a few families who may send their boys to Groton, for, although as you perhaps know, the demand to get into Groton in the East is greater than at any other school, they draw only slightly from outside of New England and the middle Atlantic states, and are most anxious to get a strong infusion of vigorous, democratic Western blood.



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1. Have you at your college a system of visiting Sunday preachers?
2. If so, will you please describe it?

3. If not, what provision do you make for public worship?

4. Are any changes being contemplated in your system?

5. Remarks as to history, success, etc., of your plan.

The return of this sheet with replies in places indicated, or a separate letter if more convenient to you, will be much appreciated.

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SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

New Haven, Conn.,

September 10, 1913.

My dear Mr. Robertson:-

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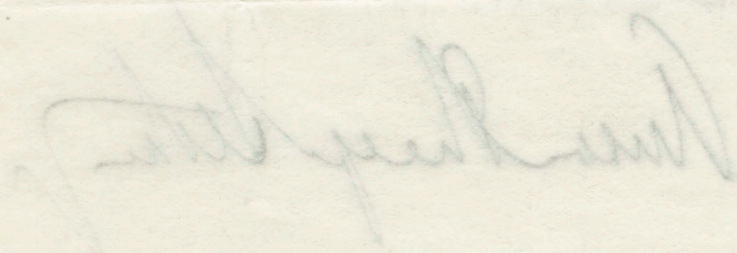
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