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With expressions of highest regard, please believe me

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) Waldo G. Leland

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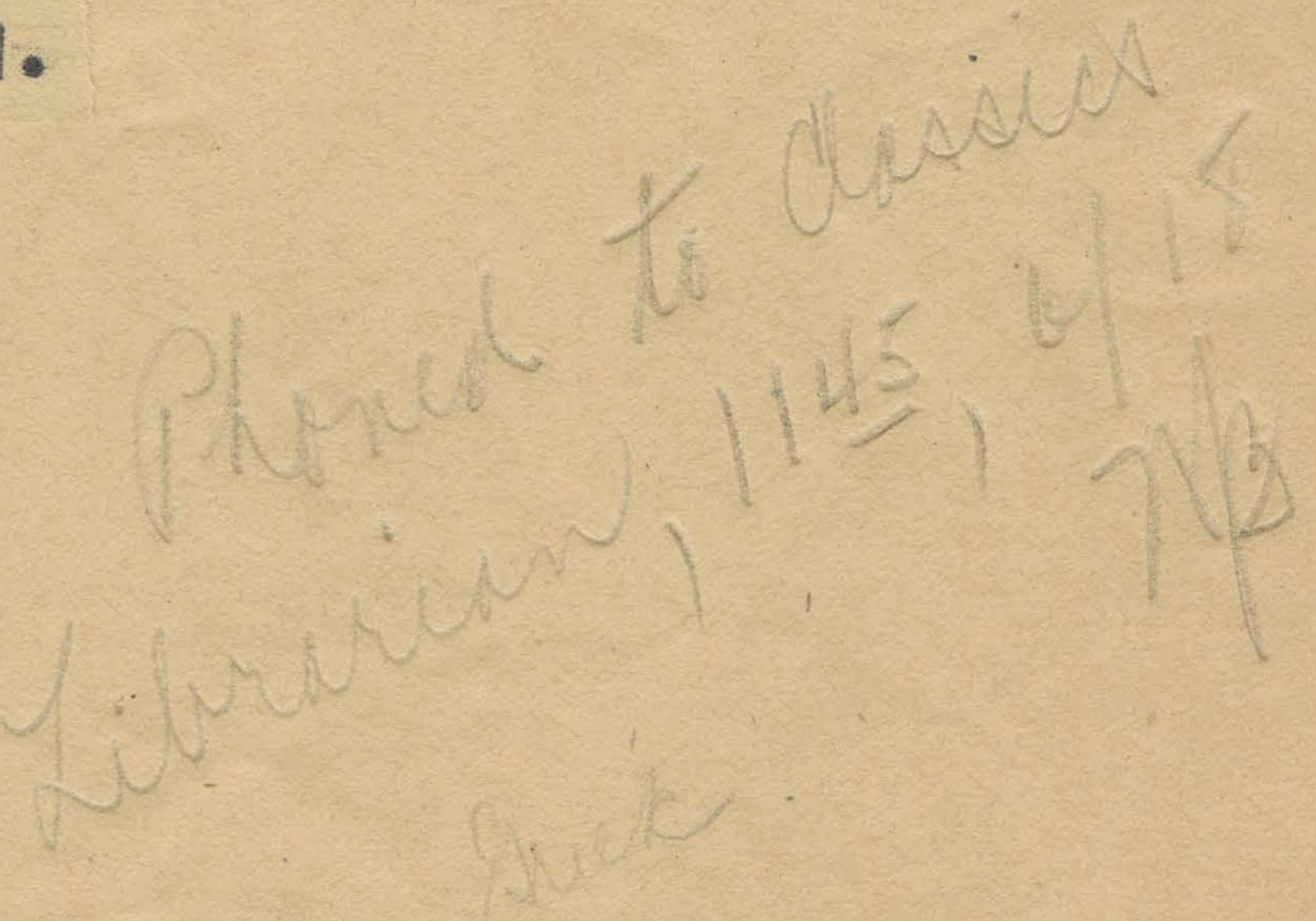
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The Graduate School of Arts and Literature

OFFICE OF THE DEAN

December 8, 1926

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I recommend:

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- (2) that, in case the Board of Trustees takes the position that it
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  the a month in two
  action on the appointment of Mr. Bonner as chairman.
- (3) that if the Board decides to act now in the appointment of a chairman, Mr. Bonner be appointed chairman of the department for a year. I recommend that the appointment be for one year only because the question of combining the Departments of Latin and Greek in one department is being discussed by some members of the staff, and if the Administration should decide in favor of amalgamation, it is desirable that the chairmanship of the Greek Department should not be tied up.

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Classical Philology

November 30, 1926

EDITORIAL OFFICE

Mr.Frederic C.Woodward Vice President of the University

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Sincerely yours,

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Grade, summa cum laude.

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Salary increased at Chicago from 1600 to 1800 dollars, with promise of regular advancement. Offer increased to associate professorship with corresponding increase in salary. This offer not reported to the department.

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