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52 Garden St.,

**FUKIEN**

Cambridge, Mass./

July 2, 1930.

Mr. B.A. Garside  
Secretary, China Union Universities  
150 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

Dear Mr. Garside:

May I inform you of a certain matter about which Fukien Christian University and I are negotiating, so that you could locate me, in case any message should come from them? About a month ago, I received a letter from Mr. C.J. Lin, President of the University, inviting me to join its Faculty for the coming school year. I cabled him that I could not comply with his request immediately, and subsequently I wrote him at length, asking him to cable me in return, through your office, as that seemed the most convenient way. The message I asked him to send was "Ask Lau", which meant that as far as the University and I were concerned, they would want me to join them at the earliest possible moment. However, it is possible that he may send some other message, in full <sup>in</sup> code. In any case, I shall be very grateful if your office would decode it for me and forward it to me as soon as is convenient.

As it was Mr. Lin's request that I should cable him, I did so, incurring an expense of \$4.50. If there is some arrangement whereby your office could refund this amount to me, please let me know. Thank you for this trouble and further trouble.

Sincerely yours,

*Louise L. Lau*

P.S. I shall appreciate it very much if you could send me pamphlets and other bits of information about Fukien Christian University. Thanks.

*L.L. Lau*

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TRANSIT

Fukien Christian University

July 3, 1930

Mr. Laurence I. Lau  
52 Garden Street  
Cambridge, Massachusetts

My dear Mr. Lau

We have just received your letter of July 2 and hasten to reply.

We have received a communication from President Lin enclosing a copy of a letter he wrote you, and surely the University is anxious for you to become one of its staff members. It is hardly possible for us to receive a mail reply from President Lin in response to your letter much before the first of August. However, on the other hand, a cable might come to hand at any moment.

In any case, we shall be very happy to communicate with you immediately and render any assistance possible should you decide to go to China. We note that you have spent \$4.50 for cable message and are enclosing check to reimburse you for this charge.

As requested we are sending you under separate cover several catalogues and pamphlets, which we trust will be of interest. We hope you will feel perfectly at home in reading the one entirely in Chinese.

Whether or not you go to Fukien, we nevertheless will be very happy to meet you at any time, and when you are in New York, we hope you will drop in to see us.

Very sincerely yours

*C. Q. Evans*

Assistant Treasurer

CAR:MS  
Enc.

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## INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARY COUNCIL

San Francisco, Cal.  
February 21, 1935.  
(En Route to Asia.)

Dear Friend:

On my arrival here today I found awaiting me your most gracious and kind telegram, and make haste to thank you for it with all my heart. It was a joy and a privilege to be of any service to the great cause which you are so splendidly leading.

The timeliness and utmost importance of the proposed Younger Men's Congress, to be held under the auspices of the Laymen's Missionary Movement next spring, continues to grow upon me. In my judgment it is highly desirable that each of the Christian communions of our country shall put forth, if need be, extraordinary efforts to be represented on that occasion by some of the very flower of their younger lay forces. It will do more to help solve the many problems that press upon our churches than any single measure which I could today emphasize.

With highest regards,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) JOHN R. MOTT.

Dr. John C. Acheson,  
19 So. LaSalle St.,  
Chicago, Ill.

Fill out advance application on reverse side and send promptly to your Missionary Board or to the—

LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT,  
19 S. LaSalle St., Chicago, Ill.

## CONGRESS HEADQUARTERS

Fortunately for the Congress, the Stevens Hotel has been secured as headquarters. No better accommodations could be secured anywhere than are set apart by the hotel management for the sessions of the Congress, and for the simultaneous group meetings.

### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

All reservations should be made direct with the Stevens Hotel, where an agreement has been made to supply rooms to accommodate 1200 persons on the following basis:

Rooms with double bed and bath for one person, \$3.00 per day  
Rooms with double bed and bath for two persons, 4.50 per day  
Rooms with two single beds and bath for one or two persons, 6.00 per day

As will be seen from the rates quoted above, two persons may rent a room with one large bed at a cost of \$4.50 per day, making the expense to each \$2.25 per day.

A limited number of rooms available, naturally only to the early applicants, are offered which will accommodate four persons, each in a separate bed, at \$8.00 per day per room, making the cost to each individual \$2.00 per day.

### WHO ARE INVITED

Laymen and ministers of all ages are invited but the younger men who have an expectancy of 25 years, which includes men up to 45 years of age, according to the American table of insurance actuaries, are especially urged to attend.

Any individual layman or minister is welcome. Representation is unlimited.

### HOW SHALL DELEGATES BE CHOSEN

Where men are unable to attend at their own expense, provision may be made by which the official group of any church, men's organizations, Sunday Schools, individual bible classes, will send representatives. Each local church is urged to consider sending its pastor, with one or more lay delegates. If only one delegate can be sent from a local church, it is desirable that that delegate be a younger layman.

### REGULAR AND SUSTAINING MEMBERS

Each member of the Congress is required to pay a registration fee of \$3.00. The per capita cost of the Congress is estimated to be \$6.00. It has therefore been decided to permit those older members of the Congress, and others who are able, to become sustaining members upon paying a registration fee of \$10.00. It is hoped that many men will volunteer to join this group. By sending in their registration promptly they will greatly facilitate the work preparatory to the Congress.

### WHO WILL BE AMONG THE FIRST?

Send in your registration at once to the Laymen's Missionary Movement, 19 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Ill., or to your missionary board, as may be most convenient.

### "PUT THIS CONGRESS INTO THE CENTER OF YOUR PRAYERS"

Mills J. Taylor, Chairman Advisory Committee,  
Laymen's Missionary Movement

## THE GENERAL COMMITTEE LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

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This committee consists of over one hundred active laymen from various communions and denominations.

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Bishop E. L. Waldorf, Chairman

This committee is composed of over fifty prominent ministers of various communions.

For further information

Address your missionary board or the  
Laymen's Missionary Movement,

19 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois

## National Younger Men's Missionary Congress

STEVENS HOTEL  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
May 2-5, 1935

### THEME

Jesus Christ and  
the World Today

Under the Auspices of the  
LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT  
With the assistance of some of  
The Outstanding Leaders of Missionary Boards  
and Departments of Men's Work  
of the co-operating denominations  
and communions



## "JESUS CHRIST AND THE WORLD TODAY"

Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel.—Mark 16:15.

The problems attending the present chaotic condition of the world are not merely economic and physical and not merely national and local, but **spiritual** and **universal**. They can therefore only be solved in a spiritual and universal way. Because we believe that the life and teachings of Jesus Christ show us such a way, in fact the only way, we invite you and men throughout the nation to a great National Younger Men's Missionary Congress, to be held in Chicago, \*May 2-5, 1935, to consider the subject "Jesus Christ and the World Today."

Four major topics will be discussed in platform meetings, conferences, group meetings and personal interviews:

- (1) The world's need and the forces bidding for world power.
- (2) Our heritage as sons of great missionary forefathers.
- (3) Our resources as Christian communions and agencies.
- (4) The power of Christ.

Every man is asked to join this Congress who is interested in such questions. Their consideration cannot be postponed. Now is the time to think on them and to prepare for action.

\* It is significant that these dates mark the 25th anniversary of the first Congress of the Laymen's Missionary Movement—a most fitting time to rally again to those high purposes to which the Movement pledged itself a quarter of a century ago.

### CONGRESS SPEAKERS

Among the distinguished speakers already secured to address the Congress and direct its group discussions, not including a score of younger men and outstanding missionaries and National representatives from the United States and other lands, are the following: Charles A. Wells of Wichita, Kansas; J. Warren Hastings of Seattle, Wash.; President Ralph C. Hutchison, Washington and Jefferson College, of Washington, Pa.; Bishop George Craig Stewart and A. M. McDonald of Chicago, Ill.; Robert E. Speer, Joseph C. Robbins, W. R. King, Ralph E. Diffendorfer, F. M. Potter and Cleland B. McAfee of New York, N. Y.; Paul W. Koller and M. E. Thomas of Baltimore, Md.; Livingston P. Moore of Madison, N. J.; Mills J. Taylor and A. V. Casselman of Philadelphia, Pa.; Stephen J. Corey and Alexander Paul of Indianapolis, Ind.; and Frank H. Caldwell of Louisville, Ky.

These men are widely known, but those wishing to learn "who's who" will receive "The Directory of Speakers" containing the information desired by writing their missionary boards or the Laymen's Missionary Movement, 19 South La Salle Street, Chicago, Ill.

Eminent younger laymen from different sections of the United States will preside over the various sessions of the Congress and serve as chairmen of the twenty groups which meet simultaneously on Friday and Saturday, May 3 and 4.

### OUTLINE OF CONGRESS PROGRAM

#### Thursday, May 2, 1935

Morning:

Delegates will register at their hotels, present their credentials at the Congress headquarters at the Stevens Hotel, in order to secure their badge of admission, group assignment, etc., and get acquainted with the leaders of their respective denominations and communions, which will be assigned special quarters at the Stevens Hotel.

Afternoon: 3:00 P.M.—Opening session.

This session will give attention to business and afford an opportunity for acquaintance with the personnel of the Congress as well as its leaders. Brief greetings will be received from eminent laymen. The session will be closed with a worship service.

Evening Session: 8:00 P.M.

Topic.....America and the Nations—A picture of this bewildered world.

#### Friday, May 3, 1935

Morning Session: 9:15 A.M.

Topic.....Modern World Tides  
The Challenge of Changing Conditions  
Lifting the Levels of Life

10:45 A.M. to 12:30—TWENTY SIMULTANEOUS GROUP MEETINGS

Topic of all of these meetings—The Why of Christian Missions  
Dr. Cleland B. McAfee and Rev. C. O. Hawley will be in general direction of these group meetings and will be assisted by some of North America's outstanding missionary statesmen and younger ministers and laymen.

Afternoon Session: 2:15 P.M.

Topic.....Ambassadors From the Nations  
Nationals from the various fields at home and abroad will be presented at this session.

3:45 P.M.—TWENTY SIMULTANEOUS GROUP MEETINGS

Topic.....The Why of Christian Missions (continued)

Evening Session: 8:00 P.M.

Topic.....Forces Bidding for the World's Life  
Secular and Humanistic Forces  
The Impact of Christ on the World Today.

#### Saturday, May 4, 1935

Morning Session: 9:15 A.M.

Topic.....Implementing our Local Churches for the World Task

From a Layman's Point of View  
From a Pastor's Point of View  
From the Point of View of a Director of Missionary Education

10:45 A.M. to 12:30—TWENTY SIMULTANEOUS GROUP MEETINGS

Topic.....How May Missions be Advanced Among Men in our Local Churches.

Afternoon Session: 2:15 P.M.

Topic.....Creating Good Will Among Races and Nations

Missionaries from various fields at home and abroad will speak at this session.

3:45 to 5:15 P.M.—TWENTY SIMULTANEOUS GROUP MEETINGS

Topic.....How May Missions be Advanced in Co-operation with the Men of Other Churches in our Respective Communities.

Evening Session: 8:00 P.M.—Reports of Group Findings

Topic.....The Wider Reach of the Missionary Enterprise  
In the United States  
Among the Nations

#### Sunday, May 5, 1935

Morning: 8:00 A.M.

Topic.....The Adequacy of Christ  
As a Personal Saviour  
As the Dynamic for a New Social Order

10:30 and 11 A.M.—Regular Church Services

Automobile service will be provided to take members of the Congress to the churches of their choice.

Afternoon: 3:00 P.M.—Closing session of the Congress

Topic.....The Adequacy of Christ (continued)  
In Creating a New World  
In Empowering Us, His Partners in World Redemption

## Advance Registration

### NATIONAL YOUNGER MEN'S MISSIONARY CONGRESS

### LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

Stevens Hotel, Chicago, Illinois

May 2-5, 1935

I desire to register as a regular sustaining member of this Congress, believing as I do in the need for wider co-operation among the Christian laymen of North America to advance the Cause of Christ throughout the world, both at home and abroad.

Enclosed please find my contribution and registration fee of \$ 3.00 to help defray the expense of the Congress.  
\$10.00

Name .....

Address .....

Occupation .....

Residence Telephone ..... Bus. Phone .....

Church ..... Communion or Denomination .....

Regular Member's Registration Fee—\$3.00

Sustaining Member's Registration Fee—\$10.00

Fill out and send promptly to your Missionary Board or to the Laymen's Missionary Movement, 19 S. LaSalle St., Chicago, Ill.

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May 2-4

March 9, 1935

Mr. F. J. Nickel MICHEL  
19 So. La Salle Street  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Nickel:

I believe it was you who called me up by telephone about a month ago, asking me to be one of the speakers in the coming Missionary Congress which was to be held from May 2 - 4, at Chicago. I have not heard from you since then, although I have tentatively put those dates in my book. As I must plan more definitely for my schedule during the Spring, I would appreciate it if you would write me in more detail about the Missionary Congress, and what you want me to do there.

Kindly send me any literature which you have prepared about the Congress, and also let me have your suggestions as to how I should plan my travel to and back from Chicago. Enclosed herewith I am sending you an account about myself for your reference.

Yours very sincerely,

C. J. Lin

CJL:HV  
Enc.

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## LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

19 South La Salle Street  
CHICAGO

FREDERICK J. MICHEL, Secretary

March 15, 1935

Mr. C. J. Lin,  
Fukien Christian University,  
150 Fifth Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Lin:

I thank you for your letter of March 9th.

Please send us your photograph.

From what point will you be coming to Chicago  
and to what point would you be going from  
here?

Would your Board be pleased to share in the  
travel expense? Do you carry clergy permit?

We should like to have you speak at a number  
of the Group Meetings and before the entire  
Congress at the Friday afternoon session.

Very sincerely yours,

*F. J. Michel*  
F. J. Michel  
Secretary

*Hartford to Chicago*

*Kindly invited, As. Bd.,  
share of the Cong. and  
not pay at.  
Have clergy permit.*

*Glad to do what planned.*

*Photograph &  
personal history.*

FJM:MM

P.S. The enclosed announcement is incomplete.  
We want very much to announce you in our next circular.  
F.J.M.

*April 16*



May 4

March 19, 1935

Mr. F. J. Michel  
Secretary, Laymen's Missionary Movement  
19 South La Salle Street  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Michel:

Your letter of March 15th, addressed to President C. J. Lin, is at hand. It reached us just before Mr. Lin was leaving on an important engagement in Pennsylvania, and he has authorized me to write to you accepting the date of May 2-4, for your meetings. As President Lin is living at Hartford, Conn., and giving a course of lectures at the Hartford Theological Seminary, his travel will be practically from Hartford, Conn., to Chicago, and return; using a clergy fare certificate outside the New England States.

Fukien Christian University has already over-spent its travel allowance, and consequently he cannot draw upon that fund. The Associated Boards for Christian Colleges in China likewise has greatly over-spent its promotional budget, but can help out on these expenses provided the offerings do not pay for the entire travel expenses. This, however, will be a very limited figure.

President Lin states that he will be very glad to do whatever he can to help out, and will carry out your wishes about speaking before a number of group meetings.

A photograph of President Lin is enclosed herewith, together with a personal history.

Very truly yours,

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## LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

19 South La Salle Street

CHICAGO

FREDERICK J. MICHEL, Secretary

April 20, 1935

President C. J. Lin,  
Fukien Christian University,  
150 Fifth Ave.,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear President Lin:

You have been chosen by our Executive Committee to serve on Congress Commission No. I, which is to consider "The Technique of Evangelical Missions".

Your personal convictions, based upon the study of the New Testament, the findings of the Jerusalem Conference and other documents which are readily available, will enable you to define the Evangelical position to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Apart from your own experience, you will know best where to look for helpful studies concerning the technique which will most effectively and speedily advance the cause of Christ around the world.

We hope that you will give as much time as possible this week to put your own ideas in writing. If your tentative draft should be in our hands by next Saturday, we would be glad to duplicate it and send it to the other members of the Commission in advance of the Congress.

Very sincerely yours,

*F. J. Michel*

F. J. Michel,  
Secretary.

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May 2-4

April 24, 1935

Mr. F. J. Michel  
Secretary, Laymen's Missionary Movement  
19 South La Salle Street  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Michel:

I have your letter dated April 20th.

As it only came to my attention yesterday, and I have appointments tonight and throughout next Sunday, I shall not be able to furnish you with a written statement as you ask in your letter, on the "Technique of Evangelical Missions." I also need to know more about what you have in mind. Maybe we will have time to talk the thing over when I am in Chicago. I shall be there around Monday or Tuesday, April 29th or 30th.

I have three reels of motion pictures on China's rural life and the student's activities in Fukien. If you should in any way decide to make use of the same, I shall be glad to bring them with me. They are of 16 millimeter size. You will need a projector for that size of film and an operator. It will take about twenty minutes to show.

I hope you received the letter from our office here dated March 19th, reporting back to you about my expenses in connection with attending the Missionary Congress. I shall go directly to Stevens Hotel, and probably we can talk this matter over also when I am in Chicago.

Looking forward to meeting you personally, and to share the fellowship at the Conference,

Yours very sincerely,

C. J. Lin

CJL:HV

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# National Younger Men's Missionary Congress

LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

*Stevens Hotel, Chicago*

May 2-5, 1935

OFFICE  
19 SOUTH LA SALLE STREET  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

April 27, 1935

Dr. C. J. Lin,  
150 Fifth Ave.,  
New York City.

Dear Pres. Lin:

Your kind letter of April 24 was duly received.

It is possible that we shall be able to use your motion pictures but I cannot promise so in advance.

We did receive the letter of your office concerning the expenses and would be glad to share in them. For one thing, we shall reserve a room for you at the Stevens Hotel.

In addition to your participation in one of the group meetings of men, we should like to have you address the women's group on Saturday and speak at the session of the Congress on Friday afternoon. As you will find in the enclosed program. Mr. Camargo will not be here, which will make it possible for you to speak at greater length than we had thought at first.

Very sincerely yours,



F. J. Michel,  
Secretary.

FJM/HJ

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May 10, 1935

Mr. F. J. Michel  
19 South La Salle Street  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Michel:

This is to report to you that we have safely returned to New York and to thank you again for your fine leadership in the Congress in Chicago. I think on the whole the Congress was very successful. It is quite an inspiration to me to see so many people who are generally interested in the Christian movement throughout the world.

I have turned your check, which you gave to me, over to Mr. B. A. Garside of the Associated Boards for Christian Colleges in China to pay toward my travelling expenses. I certainly appreciate the courtesies which the Stevens Hotel extended to me when I was there. I hope you will convey my thanks to the Manager, if you have not already done so. I am writing him also.

I shall look forward to receiving the report about the Congress. If there is anything further that I can do, kindly let me know.

Appreciating the opportunity of knowing you, and again thanking you for your part in the great movement,

Yours very sincerely,

C. J. Lin

CJL:HV

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## LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

19 South La Salle Street

CHICAGO

FREDERICK J. MICHEL, Secretary

June 18, 1935

President C. J. Lin,  
Fukien Christian University,  
150 Fifth Ave.,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear President Lin:

The court reporter's verbatim proceedings of the National Younger Men's Missionary Congress were received just recently.

We are enclosing the reports of your addresses, with the earnest request that you edit them in any way you may wish, so that we may have them in hand for the printer at an early date. Your cooperation will be deeply appreciated.

Permit us to thank you again in this connection for your contribution to the Congress. It would do your heart good to see the testimonies which are coming from thirty states and from the representatives of as many communions.

Yours sincerely,

*F. J. Michel*  
F. J. Michel,  
Secretary

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### MEN AND MISSIONS SUNDAY

MAY BE INTEGRATED into the program of any local church. HELPS IN THE CULTIVATION of missionary interest among an ever widening circle of laymen. CENTERS THE THOUGHT of the laymen upon the work of their own missionary board. AFFORDS AN OPPORTUNITY for the development of lay leadership in this central task of the Christian Church. OFFERS THE PASTOR an occasion to inform his laymen and to inspire them to a deeper consecration for the cause of Christ.

NOVEMBER 17, 1935

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## LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

19 South La Salle Street  
CHICAGO

FREDERICK J. MICHEL, *Secretary*

July 3, 1935

President C. J. Lin,  
Fukien Christian University,  
150 Fifth Ave.,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear President Lin:

We are very anxious to receive the manuscript which we sent you for correction, at the earliest possible date. Will you help us in this respect, so that the printing of the Congress Report may be facilitated?

Yours sincerely,

*F. J. Michel*  
F. J. Michel,  
Secretary

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NOVEMBER 17, 1935

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July 9, 1935

Mr. F. J. Michel  
Laymen's Missionary Movement  
19 So. La Salle Street  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Michel:

Enclosed herewith I am sending you the corrected manuscripts of my two talks at the last Laymen's Missionary Congress, in Chicago. I am sorry there has been so much delay on account of my absence from the office here.

The addresses have been typewritten over so as to avoid any confusion my writing. You will find that they follow very closely the outline of my talks as given there. I hope you, or the editor whom the Congress has asked to print the proceedings of the Congress, will do me the favor of correcting my English. I shall, of course, be responsible for all the statements I made there.

It was a very fine experience for me to have the opportunity of attending that Congress. I shall carry that fine spirit with me in our work in China. I shall be very glad to have my name entered as one of the subscribers to the printed report. My address in China, is Fudian Christian University, Foochow, China.

With kindest wishes,

Yours very sincerely,

*C. J. Lin*

CJL:HV  
Encs.

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NEIL H. LEWIS, M. D.  
1680 NO. VINE STREET  
HOLLYWOOD, CALIF.

May 24, 1934

Pres. C. J. Lin.  
Fulsen Christian University.  
Fochow, Fulsien, China.

Dear President Lin:

Your good letter of April 11<sup>th</sup> at hand. I am glad that all the final arrangements for the transfer of the scholarship fund to F.C.U. have been made, and that you can begin to use the interest this fall. I have notified the donors of the disposal of the fund and they were pleased.

Now as for the thorny question of a name for the fund, while he was here, my Father convinced me that I ought not to place any restrictions on the name, since you these know best what would appeal to the students and to yourselves. So I will withdraw any remarks I have made, and hope you will name the scholarships as you see fit.

We had a fine nine days visit with Mother and Father early this month. Dad spent most of his time in working on China's problems, in which she is completely wrapped, but we were able to have some hours together during which I gained a new impression of China's present difficulties, and of her brilliant future.

That is fine news that you are coming to America for a year, to be a special lecturer at Hartford Seminary. You have a great deal to give us here; you will find that American people are intensely interested in China, and sympathetic with her problems, more so than in any other country. Alice requests me to extend to you a cordial invitation

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MAY 24  
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to make our home yours while you are in Los Angeles. We can meet you at the boat, at Wilmington (the harbor of Los Angeles about 30 miles away) and bring you here in our automobile. Our home is small, but we have an extra bedroom and can certainly find room for everybody. Do let us know when your passage is definitely booked.

Thanks you for the friendly snap shot. It is a peach, and you all look so healthy. I wish I had one to send you in return, but I can do so later.

What is the final solution of the Educational problem in Fochow, the problem of finances? I have never understood why Fochow College and Wenshan could not be united, and have felt that the main reason was the one of leadership. Possibly now with changing personnel, it may be accomplished. Maybe I am wrong and a different combination, such a F.C. and A.C.C. union could be effected.

I have heard a rumor that the Fochow Methodists may join the Church of Christ. Is there any basis for this rumor? McClure wrote that F.C.U. was facing a cut of \$40,000 this next year. I hope that this is not true for it would bring a heavy burden on your shoulders, and on the whole institution. But whatever your burdens, may God be with you.

Alice joins me in affectionate regards to you, to Katharine and the two cherubs.

Sincerely,  
Neil.

212 N. Wilton Place  
Los Angeles, Calif.  
Sept. 12, 1934

Dear C.J.:

I called up Mr. Gaylord about the Pierce business. He said he had word from Boston with instructions to go ahead and sign him up + that they were sending Hospital plans by airmail. Gaylord said he would get in touch with you and make a date for you, he and Franklin the lawyer, to see Pierce tomorrow. I hope it went through O.K. I offered my services if needed.

The telegram to P.P. Waint went off Saturday night. It cost only 63¢; don't bother about giving me this back, it will be my tiny contribution.

I have written my sister Alice in Cleveland about your intended visit in that city, that you hoped to see them and also Mr. F.R. Blanchard. I am sure she will remember him - chimp. Do at least call them up, and give them a chance to arrange a meeting. They do not have a machine, but the street car system in Cleveland is fairly good. Here is their address on the back of this card.

It looks like we will not be able to see you again especially since you are leaving Sunday. May we wish you an enjoyable trip East and a fine year at Hartford.

Sincerely,  
Neil.

Pierce's payment. — Keep touch  
Cleveland trip Union Hospital

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October 1, 1934

Dr. C. D. Lewis  
Highland Park Methodist Church  
Los Angeles, California

Dear Doctor Lewis:

I wish to express my thanks to you for your many courtesies and kindnesses to me when I was speaking at your church. I could easily recognize the leadership which you supplied in your community. I also appreciate your deep interest in our Christian higher education work at Foochow. Your people gave me such a warm reception that I shall never forget the happy occasion there. When it is convenient, kindly convey to your people my thanks and ask them to remember us in our University work in their prayers.

- You were also kind enough to suggest that your people may be interested in taking some specific projects in connection with our University work at Foochow. Enclosed herewith I am sending you a list of such projects which have been approved by our Board of Trustees, and endorsed by the Methodist Board of Foreign Missions as worthy projects to be presented to our churches. It will be a great help to our work if your church as a whole can take any one of the larger items, and some of your individual members may be interested in some smaller items. In any case, some contribution from your church will mean very much to the Christian higher education work at Foochow. I am sure you will do what you can to cooperate with us in this matter.

Under separate cover we are sending you some literature. Should you need more, kindly write me at the above address and I will be glad to send more to you,

It will be a great pleasure to hear from you some time.

Yours very sincerely,

*C. J. Lin*

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Enc. List of projects, 1934-35

Under separate cover 5 copies "Fukien News," July 1934; and 5 copies "Since we hired that hall."

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October 16, 1934

Dr. Neil H. Lewis  
1680 North Vine Street  
Hollywood, California

Dear Neil:

Our family left California on September 18th. We spent a day with the Havighursts, in Kansas City; another day in Chicago where we had a good visit with the Beemans. We spent two days in Oberlin where they gave us a very warm reception. I also spoke to the student assembly one morning, and had luncheon at the President's home. We came to New York on the 26th of September, and moved to Hartford, Connecticut, after our Trustees meeting on September 28th. Our Trustees gave us a very warm reception also. We were much encouraged by their loyal support. We are now gradually getting settled at Hartford. Hui-Ching is sending our two children to their respective schools nearby, and I have been travelling between Boston and New York during the last ten days. We had two fine visits with the Kelloggs, at Amherst. We are hoping that they will be back in China again this Spring.

As we look back on our days in Southern California, we have most pleasant memories, particularly the kindnesses and hospitality which you and Mrs. Lewis extended to us. We hope that we will have a chance to meet again before we return to China next June.

You probably have heard that Dr. Pierce paid the \$20,000.00 for our Women's Dormitory. Our Trustees were very pleased with this gift. As yet we have not been able to do anything further for the work at F. C. U. We are just preparing for the China College Conferences for the next three months. We hope that during this coming trip we may win more friends for Fukien. You will find the enclosed schedule of the Conference, and if you know some of the friends in those places where I will be visiting, kindly write them of my coming, and let me know their names and addresses so that I may extend to them our invitation to some of the meetings, and probably also to call on them personally.

How is your own work going this Fall? I was very glad to learn that you are getting along quite well in the partnership with your uncle. The people of the American Board in Boston were quite anxious to learn about you when I was there during the first part of this month.

Since I came to New York I have had two visits with Helen Smith. She is getting on well at the Union Seminary here.

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Dr. Neil H. Lewis

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October 16, 1934

We have been invited to go to Boston again on Monday, October 29th, as the guests of the American Board Prudential Committee. Then I will be in New York until we start out for the China College Conferences.

Enclosed herewith you will find a copy of my letter to Dr. Pierce. I hope that you will keep in touch with him as our representative. Should there be any chance for securing further contributions from him toward our University work, I am sure you will do everything to advance our interest.

Hui-Ching joins me in sending you and Alice our kindest regards.

Yours very sincerely,

*C. J. Lin*

CJL:HV

Encs. C. J. Lin's itinerary.

Copy of letter to Dr. Pierce under same date.

List of Fukien Projects 1934-35.

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July 5, 1939

Dr. Lai-yung Li  
Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Dr. Li:

We have before us your card of June 30th requesting information as to the best method of sending money to Fukien.

Occasionally as necessity demands, we have accepted money at our office and deposited same with the University account here in New York and instructed the field treasurer to make payment of a like amount to the individual specified. If you desire us to perform such a service, we shall be very glad to do so.

We have no knowledge of an American bank in Foochow. We believe that at one time the National City Bank had a branch there but it has been discontinued.

Unfortunately we do not have a compiled list of names and addresses of Fukien alumni in America. Two universities on our list endeavor to keep such a roll of members but it is exceedingly difficult and costly. This would not be so hard for Fukien with a smaller enrollment, but, nevertheless, we are forced to admit that there is not such a thing on hand.

Very truly yours,

C. A. EVANS

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Dr. C. A. Evans,  
Associated Board for Xian Colleges in China,  
150 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

Dept. of Horticulture,  
Penn. State College, Pa.  
July 8, 1939.

Enclosure!

Dear Dr. Evans:

Enclosed please find a cheque for \$25.00 U.S.  
to be forwarded to Mrs. Lai-yung Li, c/o Fukien Xian U.,  
Foochow, China.

Allow me to thank you most kindly for your  
service involved. It certainly is a great help especially  
at present when things are so changeable over there.  
Thank you very much for your good letter of July 5.

It is difficult to keep a list of names + addresses  
of students for any college I know. I was anxious to  
find out two of my friends' addresses in U.S. and I just got  
them thru friends in China who know of them. Thanks just  
the same. I am a member of class of 1930 June, FCH.,  
I am also a member of class of graduate school at Lingnan  
University, Canton, 1934, where I received my M.S. I am,  
at present, a graduate assistant in the Dept. of Horticulture,  
at Penn. State. I had been here since Sept. 11, 1938.

Very sincerely,

Lai-yung Li  
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Call the class  
in Foochow

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NOTE: See letter to Willard J. Sutton, dated July 10, 1939  
dated Oct. 25, 1939

July 10, 1939

Mr. Lai-yung Li  
Dept. of Horticulture  
Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Mr. Li:

Your letter of July 8th came to hand this morning enclosing check for \$25.00 requesting us to send this to Mrs. Lai-yung Li, Fukien Christian University, Foochow, China.

Since writing you on July 5th, word has been received that the Port of Foochow has been closed, so we are holding the money and authorizing a draft to be drawn rather than a check. It will give immediate use of the money, but still it is held here in the United States.

We trust this will work out satisfactorily.

Very truly yours,

C. A. EVANS

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October 18, 1940

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Mr. Lai-yung Li  
Department of Horticulture  
Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Mr. Li:

We have received a cablegram from President C. J. Lin of Fukien Christian University which is now operating at Shaowu, Fukien. Therein he requests us to urge you to return to Fukien Christian University in the Spring. Presumably there is a letter enroute to you, or else you have been in contact with Dr. Lin and are familiar with the conditions involved. The enrolment this year is 297, the largest in the history of the University and the spirit of application and devotion to the task is greater than ever.

There is little we can say which will influence you, as one who knows Fukien needs no urging to understand the opportunity which is offered. It is our sincere hope that we will hear from you giving us permission to cable President Lin that you will return to the University next Spring.

With cordial good wishes, I am

Very truly yours,

C. A. EVANS

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THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND EXPERIMENT STATION  
STATE COLLEGE, PA.

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

October 21, 1940

Dr. C. A. Evans  
Associate Boarder for Christian College in China  
150 74th Avenue, New York, N. Y.

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10/22/40

Dear Dr. Evans:

Thank you very kindly for forwarding  
the message to me from President C. J. Lin of Fukiien  
Christian University, Shaoan, China.

I heard from him now and then, and  
the last I heard from him was sometime in June, 1940.

I regret very much that I could not  
go back to Fukiien this Spring. It seems as if  
it would be too much of a rush for me to finish up  
my thesis this coming Spring. Moreover, my  
academic duties with The Pennsylvania State College  
does not end till June, 1941. Therefore, it would  
be on the safe side for you to inform Dr. Lin that he  
may expect me back next Fall, 1941, but not in Spring  
of 1941.

Thank you again for your letter of Oct. 18.

Sincerely,

Lai-yung Li,  
Graduate Assistant in Horticulture

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See: 10/24/40 to C. J. Lin

October 22, 1940

Mr. Lai-yang Li  
Department of Horticulture  
Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Mr. Li:

I am acknowledging your very gracious letter of October 21st and I can readily see that it would be hardly possible for you to return to Peking in the Spring. I seriously questioned the meaning of the word "Spring" in the cable, thinking possibly that a return in the Spring meant the taking up of summer work and continuing on into the Fall. However, your plans and commitments here plainly make it impossible for you to return before next Fall.

I trust that you are getting along all right and that you are enjoying your work. China will and does need educated men, and the work which we are conducting is a part of this great program.

With added best wishes, I am

Most sincerely yours,

C. A. EVANS

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Cable Address:  
Hsiho, Foochow

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FUKIEN CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY  
SHAOWU, CHINA.

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President's Office  
處公辦長校

December 13, 1940

Mr. Li Lai Yung  
Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Lai Yung:

I am writing to secure your definite word of sailing back to China to join the university work at Shaowu. We hope very much that you will be able to come early in the summer so that you will have time to plan for things, both the courses you are willing to offer and the work you plan to do. We now have quite a respectable Department of Horticulture, and your coming will greatly strengthen it. Please outline for us the courses you may like to give and the line of work you plan to do so that we can take the matter up with the agricultural people here, as we shall be planning more definitely in the near future our work for 1941-42.

We shall offer you the rank of Associate Professor with a monthly salary of NC\$230.00, plus a \$30.00 subsidy towards the present high cost of living. We also pay 5% of your monthly salary towards a savings fund to which you too deposit the same amount. Our office at 150 Fifth Avenue will be glad to help you secure clergy certificates and passage, and we will be responsible for your traveling expenses between Shanghai and Shaowu. If you have difficulty in providing for your travel to the coast and across the Pacific, kindly let us know or correspond with Mr. Evans of our New York office as to the amount you will need, and we shall do what we can to help.

It will be a real pleasure to have you back to serve our Alma Mater. Our entire agricultural department needs to be strengthened, although it has now been recognized by the Ministry of Education as an independent faculty of the university. The people here are working hard, but we need more men of your training and experience, and probably more valuable yet is your loyalty to F.C.U. and to work for the further expansion of the service which is so much needed not only in Fukien but in China in general. From the publications of F.C.U. which have been sent you regularly you will have noticed the details of the development of the work in both the Agronomy and the Horticulture Departments, as well as in the Department of Agricultural Economics.

Mrs. Li is doing very well here. The only complaints we hear from the campus is that she captures most of the prizes, being the best in her department and in her class. She is quite a help in our women's department because of her experience and poise.

We shall look forward to having you here with us. With best wishes,

Yours sincerely, *E. J. Asher*

CJL:A

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THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE  
STATE COLLEGE, PENNSYLVANIA

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

March 29, 1941  
ack  
4/11/41

Mr. C. A. Evans  
Associated Board for  
Xian College in China  
150, 5th Ave., N. Y. City -

Dear Mr. Evans:

I have in hand a sum of \$62.50 U.S.  
donated by my friend, Mrs. J. V. Foster of State College,  
Pa., for the "One Thousand Dollar N.C." F.C.U. Alumni  
Scholarship funds. Kindly advise me as to  
how one could best send this sum over to Fukeen  
Christian University so as to make the best use of the  
advantages under the present exchange rates, between  
U.S. + Chinese dollars. Thanking you in advance,

Very Sincerely,

Lai-yung Li,  
Graduate Assistant in Horticulture.

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April 1, 1941

Mr. Lai-yung Li  
Graduate Assistant in Horticulture  
The Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Mr. Li:

Your letter of the 29th of March is at hand regarding the transmittal of US\$2.50 to China for the Scholarship Fund.

Several ways are available for handling this at current prevailing rates of exchange. We are not suggesting that you make any effort to watch the market for an increase rate, rather than that we suggest proceeding along conservative lines.

1. You may purchase a U. S. bank draft and mail it to Miss Eva M. Asher, Bursar of Fokien Christian University, Shao-wa, China, indicating what it is for. Upon receipt of the draft Miss Asher will sell it at the prevailing rate.
2. Through New York banking houses, your bank at State College can purchase local currency at the prevailing rate, which in turn you can send to Miss Asher as noted above.
3. You may send it to our office and we will deposit it in the account of the field treasurer and notify the field to draw this amount and translate it into local currency for the Alumni Scholarship Fund.

With every good wish, I am

Very truly yours,

C. A. EVANS

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THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

STATE COLLEGE, PENNSYLVANIA

June 23, 1941

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

Mr. C.A. Evans  
Associated Board of Christian Colleges  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

*ack 7/10/41*  
*Write to*  
*Mrs. Archer 7/10/41*  
*cc. acct. office*  
*Mr. Li*  
*Shao Chin-tuan*

Dear Mr. Evans:

Enclosed please find a cheque of \$ 10.00 US.

Please forward this sum of money to Shao Chin-tuan (Mrs.  
Lai-yung Li), Fukien Christian University, Shaowu, China.

Thank you in advance, I am

Sincerely,

*Lai-yung Li*

Lai-yung Li  
Graduate Assistant in Horticulture

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*Deposit Central Bank*  
*Berkshire Airt.*

*Enclosure!*

*11/1/41*  
*Dep. 7/1/41*

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THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE  
STATE COLLEGE, PENNSYLVANIA

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

July 2 1941

*ack 7/10/41*  
*wrote to Mrs. Archer 7/10/41*

Mr. C.A. Evans  
Associated Board of Christian Colleges in China  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Mr. Evans:

Enclosed please <sup>find</sup> a cheque of \$10.00 U.S.  
to be forwarded to: Shao Chin-tuan? Fukien Christian  
University, Shaowu, Fukien, China.

Did you receive the cheque of \$10.00 U.S.  
I sent on June 23, 1941 also for Shao Chin-tuan, F.C.U.,  
Shaowu? Please advise me if there is difficulty in  
forwarding these sums of money to F.C.U. under the  
present conditions. Thanking you in advance.

Sincerely,

*Lai-yung Li*

Lai-yung Li.

Enclosure

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*Dep. 7/8/41*

*Dep 7/8/41 to Central Hanan. Fukien Bookstore  
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July 15, 1941

Mr. Lai-yung Li  
The Pennsylvania State College  
School of Agriculture  
State College, Pa.

Dear Mr. Li:

Please pardon our neglect in not properly acknowledging your letters of June 23rd and July 2nd.

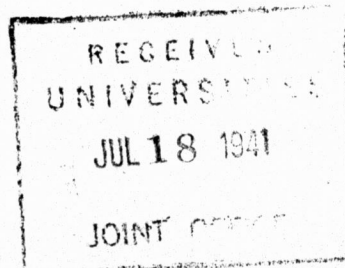
The June 23rd letter enclosed \$10.00 to be paid to Mrs. Lai-yung Li at Fukien Christian University, Shaoou. Your letter of July 2nd enclosed a similar amount for the same purpose.

In both instances we have deposited the money in the University account at the Central Hanover Bank and Trust Company here in America and have notified the field to pay same to your wife. Copy of the letter is enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,

C. A. EVANS,  
Acting Executive Secretary and  
Associate Treasurer.

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THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE  
STATE COLLEGE, PENNSYLVANIA

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

July 18, 1941

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Mr. C. A. Evans  
Associated Board of Xian Colleges in China  
150 Fifth Avenue, New York City

Dear Mr. Evans:

Many thanks for yours of July 15.

I appreciate very much your kindness  
in forwarding the sum of \$20.00 (two \$10.00) to  
my wife at Fukuin Christian University, Shao-wu.  
With kind personal regards, I am

Very Sincerely,

Lai-yung Li

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THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE  
STATE COLLEGE, PENNSYLVANIA

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

Aug. 2, 1941

*ack 5/4/41*

Mr. C. A. Evans  
Associated Board of Christian College in China  
150 Fifth Avenue, New York City, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Evans:

I shall appreciate very much if you will kindly forward the enclosed letter to President C.J.Lin of Fukien Christain University, Shaowu, China by air-mail. If it is not convenient for you to do so, kindly advice me. With many thanks.

Very sincerely,

*Lai-yung Li*  
Lai-yung Li

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August 4, 1941

Mr. Lai-gung Li  
Department of Horticulture  
The Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pa.

Dear Mr. Li:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 2nd enclosing a letter addressed to President C. J. Lin to be forwarded to China by air mail.

We wish to advise you that this letter went out in today's Clipper mail and trust that same will be received promptly.

Very truly yours,

C. A. EVANS

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October 7, 1941

Dr. Lai-yung Li  
Department of Horticulture  
Pennsylvania State College  
State College, Pennsylvania

Dear Dr. Li:

Mr. James W. Miller of the University of Florida has sent us a pound of Slash Pine seed, which he has requested us to forward to you, with the understanding that you will take it back to China when you return.

We hesitate to mail the package to you at this address, as Mr. Miller's letter indicates that you are on the West Coast, and he probably has later information than is available to our office.

We would appreciate it, therefore, if you will reply to this letter and let us know if we are to send you the seeds to the above address.

Very truly yours,

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Acting Executive Secretary

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OCT 31 1941

THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE  
STATE COLLEGE, PENNSYLVANIA

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE

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c/o Dr. I. J. Condit  
Citrus Exp. Station  
(U. of California)  
Riverside, Calif.  
Oct. 25, 1941

Mr. C. A. Evans

Associated Board of C. Colleges in China  
150 7th Ave., New York City, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Evans:

I am pleased to have your letter dated Oct. 7. It has followed me here and has finally caught up with me. I am sorry that that letter was so much delayed.

While staying with my friend, Prof. J. W. Miller at U. of Florida in Aug. 1941, he promised to present a pound of slash pine seeds for H. H. of trail (at my request). I suggested that he send the seeds to you for forwarding to H. H. as you may know somebody (either H. H. faculty member or Chinese students) who are going back to H. H. I am not going back to Fukien, otherwise, I shall be glad to carry these seeds with me.

I shall be glad to send Dr. C. J. Lin of H. H. some technical information as to what to do with those seeds when I get back to Phangtung. I believe that there may prove to be a valuable introduction to Fukien forest.

Please advise me again if I could be of more help to you. My boat sail on the 29th Nov. from Los Angeles to Singapore. I am living with Dr. Condit on Riverside + shall be here until Nov. 8.

Very truly yours,  
Lai-yung Li

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Note Yang-Hsen-Tao

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Enclosure!

Plant Research Bureau  
58 Bowen St., Wellington  
New Zealand  
March 5, 1942

Mr. C. A. Evans  
Associated Board of Christian Colleges  
in China, 150 , Fifth Avenue, New York, U.S.A.

27/11/42  
Dep. 4/8/42  
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Dear Mr. Evans:

Enclosed please find \$ 50.00 in three American Express Co. Travelers' cheques Nos.: K 5,051,142, H 9,161,625 and H 9,161,626. Please forward the money to President C.J. Lin of Fukien Christian University, Shaowu at your earliest convenience. Fifteen dollars is for Dr. Lin himself and the remaining sum is for Shao Chin-tuan and my mother. In a cablegram sent to Dr. Lin in Jan., 1942, I asked him to lend Shao Chin-tuan fifteen dollars( U.S.). To-day, I send Dr. Lin another cable which reads:

"LINCHINJUN, UNIVERSITY, SHAOWU EVERYTHING FINE  
EMPLOYED RESEARCH SENT YOU FIFTY AMERICAN DOLLARS FOR  
SHAOCHINTUAN AND MOTHER VIA EVANS, NEWYORK SHAOCHINTUAN  
REPLY CABLE LAIYUNGLI" (MARCH 5, 1942).

The last correspondence I had with you was the letter I sent you while I was at Riverside, California. I hope that you have been able to send the pine seeds to F.C.U. somehow. I left U.S. at the end of Nov., 1941 heading for China, <sup>but</sup> only to find myself at Wellington, N.Z. after two months sailing from S. Francisco. Fortunately, I am in friendly hands, and am now, doing some research here for the time being.

With kind regards and many thanks, I am,

Sincerely,

*Lai-yung Li*

Lai-yung Li,  
Assistant Professor in Horticulture,  
Lingnan University, China

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April 16, 1942

Mr. Lai-yung Li  
Plant Research Bureau  
55 Bowen Street  
Wellington, New Zealand

Dear Mr. Li:

I am acknowledging your letter of March 5th enclosing \$50.00 in three American Express Company travelers checks.

These checks were cashed and yesterday the money was cabled to Miss Asher, Treasurer of Pukien Christian University, indicating it was for President C. J. Lin. I note that you have covered the details regarding the allocation by a cablegram which you sent to Dr. Lin. The additional expenses of the cable were absorbed by our office.

Very sincerely yours,

C. A. EVANS

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Correspondence should be addressed  
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DIVISION OF ORIENTALIA  
WASHINGTON, D. C."

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WASHINGTON

CABLE ADDRESS  
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June 18, 1935.

President C. J. Lin,  
Fukien Christian University,  
150 Fifth Avenue,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear President Lin:-

Many thanks for sending us Chüan III Nos. 17 and 18  
of 福建文化 . These numbers are especially valuable to us be-  
cause they contain much needed biographical information on 李卓吾  
and others.

If you could have back numbers sent to us we should  
be very happy. I am putting in an order for future editions.

Sincerely yours,

*A. W. Hummel*  
Arthur W. Hummel,  
Chief, Division of Orientalia.

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June 24, 1938

Dr. Arthur W. Hummel  
Chief, Division of Orientalia  
Library of Congress  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Doctor Hummel:

I appreciate your writing me on June 18th. I am glad that you found our publications serviceable to your work at the Library of Congress. I am not sure whether or not we have back numbers, but if we do, we shall be glad to furnish you the same.

We have not had any success with regard to our library building to house the unique collection from the Chen family. Should you meet some people, or organization that will be interested in such a project, I hope you will let me know.

We are planning to leave New York for China in the first part of July, but I can be reached through our New York office at any time. Our office secretaries here will be glad to furnish you with any additional information about our work at Pukien in general, or our library in particular, at any time, should you so desire.

With warmest personal regards,

Yours very sincerely,

C. J. Lin

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