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Sept 24/15

Mr. Ralph E. Diffenderfer
156 1/2 11th Ave N.Y. City

Dear Sir

I was very sorry to
miss you when I called at your
office last June. I have recently
resigned as Director of Forestry
of the Philippine Islands. For ⁴ years
we have been training Chinese students,
that fall I suggested ways &
means for a Forest School as
part of the Nanking University.
The School was opened in March
of this year.

I am deeply interested in the
success of the School & hope to see

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it develop into a College. I shall
give myself the pleasure of calling
on you about the last of October
while on my way to the Molokai
Conference.

The enclosed clipping tells of the
continued interest in the new school
of the Peking government.

Mr. Han the Chief Forester spent three
months with me last year in the
Philippines.

Would you be kind enough to
let me have half a dozen photos
showing the deplorable condition
of the country near Hankow
or anywhere else in China &
also showing efforts at tree
planting. I will be glad to
pay cost of photos.

Having retired from active work

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my time will be devoted to a few
projects similar to the one
mentioned above

Mr Gifford Pinchot & I have been
Co workers for many years & will
continue to work for conservation
& better government until our
working days are over.

Please return Mr. Hain's letter.

Hoping to have the pleasure of
meeting you next month

Very respectfully
George B. Lohman

2806 Cathedral Ave
Washington DC
Oct 29/15

Secretary
Board of Trustees
University of Nanking
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Dear Sir

Some time ago I wrote a letter
to Mr. Diffendorfer enclosed a letter
to me from the Chief forester of China.
I would like to know if Mr. Diffendorfer
received the letter as I have had
no reply. I requested the return of
Mr. Han's letter with a few photos
showing forest conditions in China.
Hoping that this letter will meet
with more success than the first

Respectfully
George P. Ahern

~~W~~ Will you be kind enough to give me Rev. William
Willward's address - I believe he is in Pittsburg. He
is on leave from Nanking

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Nanking

TRANSFER

December 6th, 1915

Major George P. Ahern,
2806 Washington Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Major Ahern:

I have at last been able to go through our
Nanking photographs and have picked out five which may interest
you. They are as follows:

General view houses Messrs. Wilson and Bowen--Kan Yo Yien plant--
Purple Mountain in the rear.

Rear View of Buildings of University of Nanking from North West--

Three general views showing need for forest work.

As soon as you have finished with these will you
return them, or if they are not what you want will you return them at
once.

Again let me express regret in not being able
to see you the other day when you were here.

Yours sincerely,

Secretary.

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2506 Cathedral Ave
Washington, D.C.

Dec 6/5

Nanking

My dear Mr. Diffenderfer

Many thanks
for the photographs. I am sorry
but they came too late for the article
they were to illustrate. I fully appreciate
the reason for not arriving sooner.
I hope the allotment for the Forest
School at Nanking for the coming
year will enable the program for
development to be carried out.
I am looking for letters from
Mr. Ngan Han and from the school

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and hope the young hopeful will thrive. I shall keep in touch with the work and will always be ready to assist when possible.

I feel confident of securing the necessary legislative authority this winter which will enable the U. S. Forest Service to cooperate with foreign governments and other institutions in forest matters. The Chinese official has ever shown a very friendly attitude towards Americans and their projects in China.

Hoping to have the pleasure of meeting you

Very respectfully
George B. Allen

Nanking

TRANSFER

December 17th, 1915.

Major George P. Ahern,
2806 Cathedral Avenue,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Major Ahern:

Many thanks for your letter of December 16th and for the photographs which came safely today. I am sorry that they did not arrive in time for your purpose. Next time I will plan to be more prompt.

Again let me say how much we appreciate your interest in the University.

Yours very sincerely,

Secretary.

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2806 Cathedral Ave
Washington D.C.

June 29/16

My dear Mr. Diefenderfer

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Your letter was
received upon my return to Washington last
night. I took up the matter of the photo
of Purple Mountain and succeeded in
getting one which I shall send ^{as} you
directed to Mr. Willard.

Hoping to have the pleasure of meeting
you again should you ever visit
this City

Very sincerely
George F. Sherman

Gen. P. Ahen

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AUG 29 1919
WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF
WAR PLANS DIVISION
WASHINGTON

Aug 26/19

Dear Mr Williams

Many thanks
for your letter and the interesting
article by Mr Lin. You are indeed
fortunate in having such a
practical and enthusiastic
native fosterer to push the good
work along. I am deeply
interested in the work in China
and will do all I can to interest
people in this country.

A card this morning from one
of my Filipino graduates of the
Forest School in the P. I. tells me
that he and three other graduates
have landed in the U. S. and

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M. L. Hines.

The Catalogue of the Hankow University has not been received by me. Please send another copy to my home address, 1438 Belmont St.

I would like very much to talk over China matters with you, not only school matters but one another concerning a military subject. It is true that a few carefully selected young officers attend our Military Service Schools & then if competent to attend the Staff College & later the General Staff College here. It would give a few of the coming military leaders a wider horizon, would give them an insight into broad questions of political & military strategy and would tend to bind China & the U.S. into closer bonds. If you will

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will take up graduate work
in forestry in the U.S. The men
selected are men who have
distinguished themselves at the
School & in the Forest Service.
Several years graduate work
will mean much to the future
of the service in the P. I. Why
not follow this policy and give
a few carefully selected Chinese
graduates a year or two in
American Schools. Such a
policy would be followed by a
substantial raise in the
standard of instruction at
Hankow and would infuse
life into the service in China.

I will take up with Prof. Townsend
of Yale the matter of forestry instruction.

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read an article by me in the
September Century you will under-
stand what I mean.

Hoping to see you in Washington
or during my September trip to
New York

Very sincerely
George B. Cohen

B.S.

Mr. Lin mentioned the fact that
there would be graduates at the Forest
School next June - what year was
referred to? 1918

TRANSFER

Nanking

August 18, 1919.

Lieut. Col. George Ahern,
Army War College,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Col. Ahern:

I have recently received a letter from Mr. Baillie, of our staff, acquainting me of your so generously providing a silver medal to be given each year to the most deserving graduate of each class in the Nanking Forestry School. We appreciate greatly your deep interest in this work. I venture to enclose a report, prepared by Mr. Lin, of our Forestry Department, on, "Some Suggestions For The Development of Forestry Education In The University Of Nanking". This will give you from the inside some of the problems we are facing in the development of Forestry School.

The work undertaken by Mr. Baillie, with your inspiring co-operation, has grown so that now, that school, the University of Nanking, is doing the most advance of thorough work in that field of any Institution in China. If we can secure that backing to maintain the leadership we have already acquired, there will be opportunity for extending a meritorious influence along the lines of most constructive helpfulness to the Chinese people and Government at this most crucial time in their history.

I am also mailing, under separate cover, our late catalogue, which will indicate the range of activities in the University, and what is specifically undertaken in Forestry.

I was at Washington Thursday and Friday of last week. In conference with several of the Senators on the Far Eastern problems. I had hoped, while on this visit, to have the opportunity of calling on you and talking over the conditions in China.

I should greatly appreciate any suggestions that may occur to you on perusal of Prof. Lin's paper. Prof. Toomey, of Yale, regarded Mr. Lin as one of the most brilliant graduates in School Forestry and the greatest force for the promotion of Forestry in China.

Awaiting your further word,

Sincerely yours,

JW:CS
Encl.

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Lt. Col. Geo. P. Ahern

September 17, 1919.

Lt. Col. George P. Ahern,
Office of The Chief of Staff,
War Plans Division,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Col. Ahern:

Your letter of August 26th found me at East Northfield, Mass., where I was taking a brief respite with my family. I am just back in New York and taking up matters again.

I am deeply interested in your suggestion about students coming over for further forestry study. You will be delighted to know that two of our graduates were appointed by the Chinese authorities under the Indemnity Fund. They appointed four in all to come over for forestry study. I shall try to see that these men meet you while here, and have the advantage of your invaluable counsel.

I read with great interest your illuminating article in "The Century". It makes a man proud to be an American in the light of such organization and achievement, such as was accomplished by our Army in the boys in France. Thank you very much for calling my attention to it.

I think your suggestion would find a most ready response on the part of such men as Hon. C. T. Wang and other leaders of the Government. Mr. Wang is a most intimate friend of mine, as well as others of the Peace Envoys and Leaders in China, and I shall, at the first opportunity, bring your suggestion to their attention.

I feel deeply concerned that the bonds between America and China should be deepened and strengthened. They are a real Democratic people, with convictions bred into the marrow through generations of teaching and through a practice of democracy in their village life, labor guilds, etc., unparalleled elsewhere in the world. They are a people of vast resources, in a land of unlimited possibilities. America's future will be more secure as she deepens the understandings with the Chinese and strengthens the Chinese plans for an effective representative Government.

I shall appreciate very much an opportunity for conference with you, and I hope you will let me know any time you are in New York.

Very sincerely yours,

JW:CS

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1, BALFOUR BUILDINGS

Shanghai, 10th October, 1911

Rev. R. E. Diffendorfer,
156, Fifth Avenue,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

In accordance with instructions received from A. J. Bowen, Esq., B.A., President of the Nanking University, I am mailing you under separate registered cover tracing of the survey of the site of the University at Nanking, together with six coloured sun copies. The sixteen properties belonging to the University, as indicated by the letters from A. to P., have been edged in blue and the foreign buildings standing on these properties are coloured red and the native buildings yellow. The area of each lot is indicated in superficial feet. The figures in circles distributed over the survey indicate the spot levels. I have refrained from colouring the linen tracing to facilitate your taking extra sun copies.

I shall be pleased to furnish any further information you require.

Yours faithfully,

A. E. Algar

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November Tenth
1911

My dear Mr. Alger,

Your letter of October 10th is before me together with the tracing of the survey of the site of the University of Nanking and the six colored sun circles. I thank you for the careful work done on these surveys and for your proposals in directing the same.

You will appreciate the suggestion which we have received by the staff of the University. To have Mr. Williams of the University here now and to be expected to make some fine illustrations and a small number of the University. To say the least, we are a little puzzled about the future of the University.

Yours sincerely,

Very respectfully yours,

Mr. J. H. Alger,
Pulford Bros.,
Shanghai, CHINA

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DUDLEY P. ALLEN, M. D.
8811 EUCLID AVENUE
CLEVELAND, O.

Jan. 22, 1914.

Mr. Russell Carter,

New York, N. Y.

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My dear Mr. Carter; *1/26*

When Mr. Williams was in this country working in behalf of the Nanking University I promised him a gift of \$3,000 to be paid you upon request. I am sending this with the understanding that its expenditure is to be under the direction of the Medical Faculty of Nanking University and is to be used by them for the furtherance of advanced study and investigation along scientific lines. The purpose is to meet expenditures which ordinarily could not be provided for out of the appropriation made by the Board.

Very sincerely yours,

Dudley P. Allen

(Dictated)

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December 12, 1912.

Mr. Dudley P. Allen,
8811 Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Allen:

At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees of the University of Nanking, it was voted to express to you the Board's grateful appreciation of the invaluable help which you have given to the University. The Trustees have been greatly encouraged in going forward with the trust which has been laid upon them by the generous response which you and other friends have made to the unique call which has come to the home churches from the present wonderful opportunity in China. Nowhere is this opportunity larger or more inviting than in Nanking, and the cordial attitude of the Chinese and the unanimity of mind among the missionaries with regard to the University have been matched by the unprecedented spirit of cooperation among the Home Boards and Societies. Everyone whose interests touch at all the field of work of the University has taken up an attitude of complete cordiality and goodwill toward it, so that we have now in the University and its affiliated schools the completest illustration of cooperation and unity in missionary work of which we know. This is one of many assurances to us that the blessing of God is upon the work.

We are anxious that the full equipment needed by the University and the endowment required for its present work may be secured, so as to enable Mr. Williams to return to take up the equally important work of developing the interest and the support of the Chinese.

For all that you have done in helping to meet the needs of the present urgent situation, so rich in opportunity if we are faithful and otherwise so full of peril, our Board desires to thank you.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

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January 26, 1914.

Dr. Dudley P. Allen,
c/o Ritz-Carlton Hotel,
46th St. & Madison Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Allen;

We were greatly delighted Saturday to receive your check for three thousand dollars, your promised gift through Mr. Williams to the Nanking University, to be expended under the direction of the medical faculty of the Nanking University, for the furtherance of advanced study and investigation along scientific lines. With the present budget of the University and the Medical School barely covering the necessary ordinary expenditures, we appreciate what a pleasure it will be to the faculty of the medical department to have such a fund as this for research work, and for investigation along lines that otherwise they would be unable to pursue.

They are gathering together a fine medical staff at Nanking, Dr. Lasell having been secured this fall from the Paiman Mission, and he has already taken up his work at the University, and there seems to be the same fine spirit of co-operation in the medical department, that there is in the Arts College.

We feel sure that these young men at Nanking are bound to make the medical department of Nanking, one of the very strongest, if not the strongest, medical department in China. Your gift will certainly be a great help to this end.

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No. 2 - Dr Dudley P. Allen.

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Dr. Shields was in the office Saturday, and was very greatly pleased with the fact of this receipt, but also with the fact of your statement in the letter to him, that the purpose for which he desires a hundred dollars, seems to be quite within the scope of your gift.

With the hearty appreciation of all,

Yours very sincerely,

C.F.

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Alumni in America

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February 4th,
1921.

Mr. C. Y. Tong,
140 Baldwin St.,
Athens, Ga.

My dear Mr. Tong:

I was very glad to get the picture of yourself received a few days ago. I wish that I could give you some recent news with regard to the University. No letters have come within two or three weeks and I am getting anxious to hear again.

It may be news to you, however, to know that Mr. C.L.Chein has prepared a sericulture exhibit which will be shown at the International Silk Exposition to be held in New York city February 7th to 12th, that is, beginning next Monday. I have not seen the exhibit yet but I am sure it is very fine.

Mr. Moss returned to America last month but on account of Mrs. Moss's health they are still in California.

Every one writes very encouraging news about Mr. Griffing and the work he is doing in cotton. Mr. Buck says that they made fifteen thousand selections of Chinese cotton plants and they are busy now taking records of them.

Mr. Sie, you will be sorry to learn, is not very well and we are hoping that he will soon take charge of the outside work. That will keep him out doors in the open air and away from the confinement of the class room.

Mr. S.S.Chein and Mr. Chun, a graduate of the Syracuse Forestry School and with a Master's degree in forestry from Harvard Forestry School, have worked out extensive plans for a herbarium and arboretum and this work will be gotten under way this Spring. The University is now taking a great deal of interest in building up the Chinese library, a fact which I know will please you very much.

Write to me when ever you have time. I am always glad to hear from you. Remember me kindly to the other Nanking boys. Mrs. Reisner joins me in wishing you good luck with your work.

Very sincerely yours,

JHR
VAE

February 4th,
1921.

Mr. Y. T. Yet,
390 S. Lumpkin St.,
Athens, Ga.

My dear Mr. Yet:

I want to acknowledge with thanks your recent photographs, the one of yourself and the one of the four Hanking boys. I am very glad indeed to have these. It is good to see you all, even if it is in a picture and I am not able to talk with you.

I have just written a rather long letter to Mr. Tong, telling him about some of the recent developments in the University. I am sure he will in turn tell you about them.

I shall be glad to hear from you about your plans for the Summer, which will probably take you to some cotton farm or experiment station.

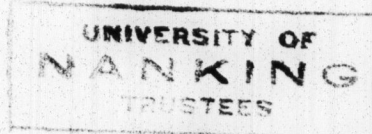
My kind regards to all the Hanking men at Athens.

Very sincerely yours,

JHR
VAE

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~~Dr. Williams~~
Letter to Nanking Alumni in the U.S.



~~J. Williams~~
May 17, 1922.

Mr. H. Y. Y. Li, ✓
72 Mt. Vernon St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Mr. Li:

In Mr. Williams' absence, I am writing this short letter and enclosing some items of interest to you all. I am sure you will all rejoice at the growth of the University during the past ten years, and we feel confident that the next ten years will be much better. Mr. Bowen has repeatedly written during the past year that never has the relation of the students, Alumni and the Faculty been more helpful and happier; and we rejoice to see the increased activities of the Alumni and in the assurance that "Alumni Hall" will soon be a reality.

But this was to be a short letter! We want to hear from each one of you, - what you are doing. I hope you will keep us up to date on your changes of address and we will send you items of interest from time to time. With the establishment of the New York office, it will be easier to, and we must, keep in closer touch with one another than we have in the past.

Mr. Williams has been very busy since his return to the United States, and is now on a several weeks' trip to the Middle West in the interests of the University.

With cordial good wishes, in which Mr. Williams joins, I am

Very sincerely yours,

John H. Reisner

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104 Harvard Place
Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. J. H. Reimer,
Marlboro
Orange Co. N. Y.

Alumni

Dear Mr. Reimer,

I am very glad to inform
you that I had passed the Tsing-hwa Exam.
and after a solid month of hard & pleasant
journey I arrived Cornell Uni. Ithaca on
the 10th Sept.

Ithaca is a fine place - very
good for studying. Furthermore, everything here
is like Nanking, thus I have no homesick
at all. The students coming from Nanking
enter the graduate school without difficulties,
so I was admitted. I am specializing
genetics & Entomology, hoping to finish in
one year then transfer to Phila. silk
cotton college for 2 years; then plan to
go to Europe for one year to study more
my subject - sericulture.

silk and tea, China would be very poor. Even a constant handicap of these two products means that China becomes poor & poor. As I am an agricultural student, I ought to work hard in this matter for my country. Mr. T. H. Chein has done excellent work in Nanking this year. His work means a great deal to the silk industry in China. I hope that I can do the second step of sericulture that is to improve the silk factory in such a way that we can sell our raw silk easily, that our silk we just fitted to the American mills. As you have a high reputation in China that you are going to help China in great extent I beg you will pay more attention to this silk industry and help us to stir up and to work up this industry until we return back to our first place.

In these 3 & half years, I devote my whole time & energy to learn, investigate this industry. I will not stop my studying and getting experience, until I can really master this industry and really can fight for this industry. Any instruction and information from you is very valuable; I hope you will spare some

In view of the importance of silk industry in China, I decide to seek a better knowledge in this line. I hope to get a thorough knowledge in the first part of sericulture and also a better and good experience in the silk factory and silk manufacturing and rearing. As silk is the chief agriculture product in China the export to Foreign Country amounts to billions. In spite of the skillful handling of this product by our ancestors and in spite of the cheap labor and nature good weather in China to raise of the work, China stands in 3rd place for silk production in the world. Japan stands first, working energetically and cunningly, she tries to hold all the business in America; and also tries to manufacture and produce such kind of silk that the American factories just want them. In this way, Japan gets billion dollars from China. I intend to stir this thing in China and do the same thing as the Japanese in order to draw the money from Japan. Without

time to instruct me.

Before I left China I was introduced to Mr. D. E. Doudy, the chief manager of the New York Silk Testing House and now the director of the silk testing house in Shanghai. Mr. Doudy gave me a very useful instruction and promised to let me work in his house in New York for two summers. Mr. Doudy is our great friend. He is trying every way to make the silk industry progressive. The establishing of the silk testing house in Shanghai will permit the American merchant to buy more silk from China.

Hoping to learn from you often and with best wish to you and your family. I am

Yours student
Feng Rui.

New York,
October 7, 1921.

Mr. Feng Rui,
104 Howard Place,
Ithaca, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Feng:-

Your letter came about three weeks ago and I have not had an opportunity to acknowledge it. I am glad to know that you are at Ithaca and hope that you are getting along nicely and like your work there. I was rather surprised to learn that you had changed over from cotton work to silk culture, and I must confess I believe it was the best thing for you to do. My only suggestion is that you do not try to undertake too many things. This will give you a general training, but it seems to me that for you to do the thing which you say you want to do, it will require considerable detailed training.

I am glad that you are in touch with Mr. Douty, as he is in a position to be of considerable service to you in getting good points of contact in America, and I know that he will be only too glad to do whatever he can for you.

I am enclosing herewith part of a Mandate issued by the Chinese Ministry of Education regarding the registration of the University of Nanking. You probably have learned they registered the College of Agriculture but not Forestry. For this I am sorry. I think Forestry should have been registered also, but we are glad that they felt that the College of Agriculture was of such standard that they wanted to give us official recognition. I shall be glad to have you pass this information on to the other students as I know they will all be interested in it.

Remember me kindly to all the Chinese students at Cornell. I am not sure whether I shall get to Ithaca again or not, but I may. If I do I shall want to see you all.

With kind regards and wishing you every suc-

Mr. Feng Rui--10/7/21

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cess in your work, I am,

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

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W. H. Allen

June 16, 1922.

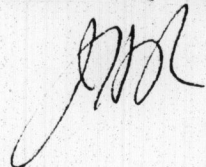
Mr. Feng Rui,
104 Howard Place,
Ithaca, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Feng,

I was under the impression that Mr. C. L. Chien wrote the article or bulletin on the New Silk Testing House in Shanghai, of which Mr. Douty is General Manager. Can you give me definite information concerning this and better still, if you have it, will you send me this article with the translation? I want it for the Executive Secretary of the Silk Association of America who is very much interested in our work. I am sure that you will be glad to cooperate in this matter.

With kind regards and best wishes to you and to the other Nanking boys at Ithaca, I am

Yours very sincerely,



JHR:LB

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THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
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P.O. Box 74, Evanston, Illinois,
May 31, 1922.

Mr. John H. Reisner,
150 Fifth Avenue,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Reisner:

I thank you for the letter of the 17th of this month together with the report of the University Developments in Nanking which I enjoy reading heartily and wish it continued and further expansion.

I have been taking undergraduate courses in commerce here majoring in Foreign Trade and shall get my first degree in commerce by June. For next year I have been contemplating in going to Boston University. In case I can get enough funds I will go to Harvard University for Political Science.

If not because of this Chinese Students' Alliance Annual Conference here in September I would like to leave here for Boston right after the Commencement here.

All Nanking men are doing fine here and we wish you all success and joy in your work here. Same to Dr. and Mrs. Williams please.

Sincerely yours,

S. Livingston Hu

P.S. Since I came here I have been using that name "Livingston".

Hu

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Dear Fellow-Students and Compatriots:

This is to inform you of the 13th Annual Conference of the Mid-western Section of the Chinese Students' Alliance. The place is Evanston, Illinois, and the dates are September 4 to 12.

The announcement book will be distributed in July. We cannot do it earlier because we want to get more advertisements which will help to defray the expenses. As we have planned, our announcement book contains many things of interest. It's worth our while to keep a copy for memory. It will be sent to you free of charge as soon as it is out of press. Kindly let us know your summer address.

For your consideration, we outline some information about the conference:

1. Place: Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.
2. Time: September 4th to September 12th.
3. Fee: For the entire period, sixteen dollars for men and eight dollars for woman delegate. This sum covers the room and board and there is no other charge.
4. Information regarding railroads and reduced rates will be found in the announcement book.
5. There is opportunity for some delegates to earn part of their payments as student waiters. Application should be sent at once to Theodore B. Tu, Chairman of Meals Committee.
6. All mails should be sent to Theodore B. Tu, Chairman. P. O. Box 444 and telegrams to Garrett Dormitories, Evanston, Illinois.

Points of special interest to the delegates:

1. Business meetings.

There will be two business meetings in charge of the Sectional Executives. According to our Constitution the new officers of the Section for the next year will be elected by the delegates.

The success of the administration depends upon intelligent and responsible voters. You are one of these voters.

2. Literary contests. There will be both Chinese and English literary contests. Silver cups are for the winners.

3. Athletics. There will be contests in soccer football game, basketball game, tennis, track and field meet. For the team works

any local club recognized by the Chinese Students' Alliance may enter the contests. Those belonging to clubs that are not constituents of the Chinese Students' Alliance may enter the track meet and swimming contests and also the tennis singles. Silver cups and gold and silver medals are for all winners.

4. Platform addresses:

We have invited many men of world wide reputation who are friends of China, to address the conference. President Warren G. Harding is one of the speakers we have invited. Others like Hon. William H. Taft, Hon. Paul S. Reinsch, Prof. John Dewey, Prof. Edward A. Ross, Wellowby, are among the speakers.

5. Entertainment and social.

As our location is most favorable for social activities, the Board has appointed a special committee to work on this line. The definite programs will be announced in our announcement book. One thing we wish to assure our fellow-students in this connection is that they will not be able to find opportunity for regret or worrying. We guarantee even to make their dreams sweet and happy.

6. Northwestern University and Evanston. (Quoted from the Summer Session Bulletin of the University):

"The campus of Northwestern University, extending for nearly a mile along the shore of Lake Michigan, is a spot of rare natural beauty. A thick forest of oaks has been left as nearly as possible intact. As one walks along the shore he sees on one hand, through groves of oaks, the towers and ivy-clad walls of the University buildings, and on the other an attractive stretch of sandy beach, piers and rolling waves. Far out to the horizon is the expanse of the great inland sea. Here is the place which nature and man have combined to make effective for the recreation of summer students in mind and body.

"The city of Evanston, in which the University Campus is located, is a city of spacious avenues, attractive shops, ample hotels and palatial homes. It is a half-hour's ride north of Chicago . . .

"The University and the City have been mutually helpful through the years, and each is proud of the other . . ."

We are sending you this note in the hope that this will help you to remember your conference. We say "your conference" because it IS yours. This conference brings your fellow-students of your nationality together. This conference gives you all the opportunity you want to discuss problems of your country and find possible solutions through her future leadership—you are one of the

leaders. This conference helps you to become acquainted with your compatriots who are also studying in this country and who, as you yourself, are also thinking seriously in terms of your nation's safety and prosperity, and with whom you are to co-operate in realizing your ambitions for the sake of your nation. Constant associations make common understanding possible whereby co-operation can be enlisted.

Friends, your home is in China. Your people hunger and thirst after your service. Can you afford to lose the opportunity that gives you chances to get acquainted with your future co-workers and face your problems sympathetically and co-operatively during the short period of eight days? Remember that this is the only chance that you can get together in 365 days. Perhaps a year from June or a year from August or even a year from September you should go home; this is your last chance to attend the conference. If you have come to this country just recently, then you should come to the conference. This will enlarge your vision and increase your enthusiasm. It broadens your plans, profits your educational and social career. Maybe you have been in this country for some time. But have you ever stopped to think of the significance of an annual coming together for mutual good and fellowship? Aren't you lonesome for your fellow-countrymen? As a future leader have you realized how much will your plans be profited through attending a conference of this nature? Will you attend the conference?

Attached please find a blank for your convenience. Will you make use of it at once? The administration appreciates your prompt action in order that its officers make the best accommodations for you.

Yours cordially,

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS,

(Signed) Theodore Burgess Tu, Chairman.

Theodore Burgess Tu:

I will attend the 13th annual Conference.

Enclosed please find check or money order for \$2.00 or.....,
as a deposit. Very truly yours,

Name in both Chinese and English. Address until September 4, 1922.

501 W. 123 St.,
New York City, N. Y.
January 3, 1924.

Dear Alumni:

You have probably heard the sad news of the untimely death of Dr. King Shu Liu, our beloved friend and teacher. Undoubtedly his personality and accomplishments are too well-known among our fellow-students. For many years he has been the chief source of our inspiration -- and his work and assiduity deserve our greatest praise. That he should pass away in the prime of his life is a great shock to all of us. Deeply we mourn for such a great loss. Yet mourning in our hearts does not sufficiently express our sentiments. To perpetuate his memory and to pay our tribute to him, we, the Alumni of the University of Nanking in the city of New York, make the following proposals:

That a memorial fund, namely; "Dr. K. S. Liu Memorial Fund" should be established:

That the sum shall consist a minimum sum of two hundred dollars, United States Currency, to be raised from the Nanking Alumni now studying in the United States;

That the sum raised shall be used for a collection of Chinese books to be kept in the library of the University of Nanking for the memory of the deceased.

As a great friend of the late Dr. K. S. Liu and an admirer of his work and teaching, we feel sure that you will agree with our action and render whatever service you can to make it a success. Should the foregoing proposals meet your approval, we shall be only too glad to hear from you through the enclosed card by the return mail. As the number of our Alumni in the United States is quite limited (about 40) so the goal of the memorial fund cannot be achieved unless by your generous offer; we, therefore, earnestly request that you will do your share to the utmost. The proposals which we made are tentative. Your criticism and suggestion for any modification or extension of the memorial fund to a larger scale will be welcome.

Anticipating your kind co-operation and with best compliments for the season, we remain,

Yours very sincerely,

Committee on K. S. Liu Memorial Fund.

S. Y. Li 李小緣

Chengshen S. Chen 陳偉聲

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THE INTERCOLLEGIATE
COSMOPOLITAN CLUB

TELEPHONE
CATHEDRAL 8300

2929 BROADWAY
NEW YORK CITY

My dear Mr. Li,

I am enclosing a dollar
for the K.S. Lin Memorial
Fund. I very much wish
that I could send more, as
I have admired Dr. Lin
a very great deal. But I
am unable to just now.

With all good wishes
for the success of the Fund, I
am sincerely yours,

Chas. Volgate

International House, the new home of the Intercollegiate Cosmopolitan Club, is now being constructed on Riverside Drive, adjoining Claremont Park, opposite Grant's Tomb. When completed, in July 1924, it will accommodate 525 students in residence, while its Assembly and Social Rooms, Cafeteria, Gymnasium, etc., will provide for several times that number. It is being erected for men and women students, irrespective of religion, nationality, race or color, from any land, who are studying in the colleges, universities, and professional schools of the City of New York.

72 Mt. Vernon Street,
Boston, Mass.,
Jan. 25, 1924.

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Mr. S. Y. Li,
501 W. 123rd. St.,
New York City,
N.Y.

My dear Mr. Li:-

Enclosed you will find two dollars for the thing you suggested in your letter. I am sorry to say that I am unable to give more as I wished to.

Dr. Liu was a good friend of mine more than 15 years ago and I esteemed him and regarded him so highly. My wife wrote me that she made something for already.

I should answer you earlier as you know that I found myself quite busy. The final examination was just over yesterday so that I take the liberty of writing and sending you my regards.

Yours sincerely,

G. H. Pao.

**THE INTERCOLLEGIATE
COSMOPOLITAN CLUB**

**TELEPHONE
CATHEDRAL 8300**

**2929 BROADWAY
NEW YORK CITY**

February 9, 1924.

Mr. S. Y. Li,
501 W. 123rd St.,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Li,

I am sending you herewith a check for
two dollars , my contribution toward the
Memorial Fund of late Dr. K. S. Liu.

Wishing you every success in this matter,
I am

Very sincerely yours,

Peter W. Lin

International House, the new home of the Intercollegiate Cosmopolitan Club, is now being constructed on Riverside Drive, adjoining Claremont Park, opposite Grant's Tomb. When completed, in July 1924, it will accommodate 525 students in residence, while its Assembly and Social Rooms, Cafeteria, Gymnasium, etc., will provide for several times that number. It is being erected for men and women students, irrespective of religion, nationality, race or color, from any land, who are studying in the colleges, universities, and professional schools of the City of New York.

137 Mansfield Street,
New Haven, Conn.,
Feb. 6 1924.

Dear Mr. Li,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated Jan 8,
concerning the Memorial Fund for Dr. K. S. Liu. I heartily support
every detail of the plan. Enclosed please find a money order for
five dollars for my share. Wishing you every success,

Your sincerely,

Ki-ling Li

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May 6, 1924

Contributors to the Dr. K. S. Liu Memorial- as received and reported
by S. Y. Li.

Miss Holgate	\$ 1.00
S. Y. Livingstone Hu	5.00✓
Dr. Williams	10.00✓
C. H. Hsiung	4.00
C. Y. Tang	2.00✓
C. C. Pan	1.00✓
K. H. Wang	2.00
C. Y. Yung	10.00✓
K. C. Liu	10.00✓
C. S. Chao	4.00✓
C. S. Chen	5.00
S. Y. Li	5.00
H. C. Chen	2.00✓
L. B. Moss	1.00✓
T. H. Tsu	2.00✓
J. T. Illick	5.00✓
T. T. Li	5.00
Y. Mao	4.00✓
T. C. Liu	4.00✓
Peter Lin	2.00
F. Djang	5.00✓
Rui Fang	2.00
Wm. C. H. Tung	4.00✓
C. T. Chao	2.00
T. Leon Chen	5.00
L. C. Ren	5.00✓
Francis Tsu	5.00
J. C. Thomson	5.00✓

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January 8, 1924

JAN 9 1924

Mr. S. Y. Li
501 W. 123rd Street
New York City

Dear Mr. Li:

I have your letter, telling me of the effort the Alumni of Nanking University are making to raise, among themselves, a fund in memory of the late Dr. K. S. Liu. If others than alumni can properly be included and you find that there is still something lacking when these have all been heard from, I should like to make a small contribution.

Very sincerely yours

JLS:S

J. Leighton Stuart

~~unanswered~~
unanswered according to the judgment of the Committee.

Garrett Dormitory.
Touanston, Ill.
Jan. 7. 1924.

My dear Mr Li,

Enclosed, please, find a
check of four dollars for the memorial
fund of late Dr. K. S. Lin, which is to
be used for collecting Chinese books
for the library of Wankang University in
memory of the said friend & teacher, as well.
I heartily endorse the plan proposed
by your people in New York. Please
let me know the progress of the plan
from time to time.

Very sincerely yours,
Chiang Kai-shek