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Chicago, October 3, 1911

My dear Mr. Carpenter:-

I greatly regret on returning to Chicago to find that the cankerous cares of riches have choked the flowers of Elizabethan literature in your mind. However, I suppose there are compensations in being a millionaire, and I hope that you will get all of these compensations. Frankly, we are sorry to lose you as one of us, but we shall of course still feel that in another sense you will continue to belong to us.

With all best wishes, I am,

Very truly yours,

H. P. Judson

Mr. Frederic I. Carpenter,
3333 Woodlawn Ave., Chicago.
Chicago, October 3, 1917

Mr. President:

I trust that the important case of Dr. Jones has occupied the House of Representatives in your mind. However, I suppose there will be compensation to which a mention of the facts will go far.

Yours truly,

W. A. Johnson
May 7, 1908

My dear Mr. Carpenter:

Your favor of the 6th inst. is at hand. Any time when it is convenient if you will call up my secretary I shall be gratified to have an appointment with you on the matter of Modern Philology.

It has struck me for the last few days that farm life has its drawbacks at some seasons. I hope that you at least enjoy the dissolving views from your windows and trust that you may not be compelled to readjust your plans and raise fish in place of chickens. However, if the weather ever does clear up I am sure that it would give Mrs. Judson and myself great pleasure to inspect your plant and see just what it is that you actually are raising.

With sincere regards to yourself and Mrs. Carpenter, I am,

Very truly yours,

Mr. F. I. Carpenter,
Barrington, Illinois.
My dear Mr. Carpenter:

Your favor of the 3rd inst. at hand.

And I am glad to announce that you will call on my Secrecy
I shall be happy to have an appointment with you on the matter
Of Modern Photography.

It has struck me you gave that name like a joke
I am surprised of some reason. I hope that you will explain the

Announcing same from your window and Grant that you may not go
committing to destroy your plane any longer, I am pleased to observe
How we are learning and growing. Get pleasure to perceive your plane
and see what you are that you continue to exist.

With sincere regards to yourself and Mrs. Carpenter, I am,

Very truly yours,

Mr. E. I. Carpenter,

Barnetton, Illinois.
April 23, 1925.

President Ernest D. Burton,
The University of Chicago,
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Mr. Burton:

Answering yours of April 21 reference the Carpenter situation:

Yes, I should establish a Frederick Ives Carpenter Professorship upon the understanding that the income from their gift would be supplemented to the point of at least a $5,000.00 salary and to couple the gift with the understanding that when they were able to add $150,000.00 to the principal the University would then establish a Frederick Ives Carpenter Distinguished Service Professorship.

I see no harm in the precedent as outlined because we should be safe in the matter, i.e. they agree continually to provide at least the $5,000.00 per year and any time they fail to do so, we could discontinue the professorship if we so desired.

Yours cordially,

[Signature]

Should mainly on F.I. To be part?
May 2, 1925.

My dear Mr. Swift:

With reference to the Carpenter situation, Mr. Tufts inquires whether he or Mr. Manly should in any way take part in the work of solicitation?

Very truly yours,

William E. Scott (signed)
June 29, 1925.

Mr. Trevor Arnett,
Mr. James H. Tufts.

Dear Sirs:

I have received a letter of which the following is a copy.

May 27, 1925

Mrs. Frederick Ives Carpenter,
5533 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Mrs. Carpenter:

My understanding of your preference in regard to the manner of expending the bequest of Mr. Carpenter to the Department of English for the purchase of books is as follows: In general, you prefer that only the income from the bequest should be used for the purchase of books, but if an opportunity should arise for the purchase of a collection of volumes which in the opinion of the Head of the Department of English and the Library Adviser for the Department would justify the expenditure of the capital sum, you desire that this course of action be authorized and taken.

In accordance with your request, I am putting this understanding in writing and submitting it for your approval.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) John M. Manly.

Approved:
(Signed) Emma C. Carpenter
Mrs. Frederick I. Carpenter
Date: May 29, 1925.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Secretary.
June 20, 1952

Mr. Trevor Arnett
Mr. James H. Tuite

Dear Sirs:

I have received a letter of which

the following is a copy.

May 25, 1952

Mr. Manager, Government Services
2727 Woodruff Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Manager:

I am writing for the purpose of bringing to the attention of the Department of Education for the Province of Ontario the fact that the Department of Education is not only receiving very small amounts of money for the province of Ontario, but also an opportunity for development of a collection for the purposes of the Department of Education and the Library of the Department of Education in the country at the request of the Department of Education you and your governing body to examine the possibility of the collection being of the utmost value in that it offers some of the best of Canada's educational and social history.

I am therefore writing with your request to find out if you would be interested in providing space for the collection of the Department of Education.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Secretary
June 26, 1925.

My dear Mrs. Carpenter:

Among the gifts which it was my privilege to announce at Convocation last week from the list furnished by the Development Committee, I was particularly touched by the gifts from yourself and your son, and the bequest from your husband. They bring to those of us who have long been members of the University community, and who have known your family through these many years, a very warm feeling of appreciation. Gifts from within our University community -- for we have always thought of you in this relationship -- seem doubly significant because they represent not only a material gift, but a certain personal affection which cannot attach in the same way to gifts from those who have not been a part of the life and growth of the institution. So I am sure that I voice the feeling of all of your friends in this expression of appreciation.

With personal regardly -- I am

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Frederic Ives Carpenter,
5533 Woodlawn Ave.,
Chicago, Ill.

James H. Tufts,
Vice President.

JHT:CB
June 26, 1935

My dear Mr. Gropper,

Among the gifts which I was pleased to announce at Convocation last week from the Late Mr. Gropper through the Development Committee, I was particularly pleased to announce the gift from your family and your sons, Jack and Peter, of a very warm feeling of appreciation. Gifts from within our University community -- for we have always counted on you in this area -- seem particularly significant because they represent not only a material gift, but a certain personal attention which cannot escape in the same way to gifts from those who have not been a part of the life and growth of the Institution.

So I am sure that I voice the feeling of all of your Likeys in this expression of appreciation.

With best regard, I am

Sincerely yours,

James H. Tisch
Vice President

Mr. George H. Gropper

Mrs. Finley R. Gropper
Office 111
May 4, 1925.

Mr. William E. Scott,
University of Chicago,
Chicago, Illinois.

My dear Mr. Scott:

Answering yours of May 2, reference the Carpenter situation.

Will you please say to Mr. Tufts that this matter has been assigned to Mr. Aitchison, who will follow it through, but that if he feels the need of assistance he will promptly get in touch with Mr. Tufts or Mr. Manly.

While the President was not able to get Mrs. Carpenter to see that she could do the big thing we hoped for, we still expect to get something, looking toward some bigger thing later.

Yours faithfully,  

[Signature]

Harold H. Swift
May 3, 1939

Mr. Wilson M. Scott
University of Chicago
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Scott:

I am writing some of my students to inform you of the

following information.

Will you please note to Mr. T. the fact

that your request for papers on the

leaves of a plant has been received by the

Department of Botany and we will try to get

you a supply of them.

Will you also be willing to have the

proceedings of the meeting with Mr.

Trues and Mr. H. Whipple.

We are pleased to see that one of the

papers was given by one of the members

of the Committee and we are especially

happy to see some

printings appearing on some of the

papers.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]