November 6th, 1895.

President W. H. Harper,
University of Chicago,
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear President Harper:

On my return from Atlanta I find your letter of October 12th concerning the matter of athletics. I wish to send you a few words in reply, although I may seem rather late in doing so.

First of all, however, I wish to send you my hearty congratulations on the receipt of your new gift from Mr. Rockefeller. Although it is in substantial accordance to what you stated to me on the train, the publicity given to it affords an occasion for more hearty congratulations. I foresee the development of professional schools as the result of this gift and the accompanying conditions. I sincerely hope you will persist in your scheme of making the schools of law and medicine both graduate schools. I felt for ten years, and urged at Cornell, before the establishment of the law school there, that the time was ripe for a law school to which no student should be admitted who had not received the baccalaureate degree. Every law school in the country has a very considerable number of men who have received a collegiate training. They are obliged to sit by the side of those who have had no adequate preliminary instruction, and the consequence is that they cannot go forward at a pace that would otherwise be practicable. The rate of progress must always be adjusted to the possibilities of the average class. The Trustees at Cornell thought the matter impracticable; the most eminent lawyer on the
November 6th, 1936

President W. H. Harper
University of Chicago
Chicago, Illinois

DEAR PRESIDENT HARPER:

On the return from Arizona I find your letter of October 15th concerning the matter of scholarships. I wish to thank you for the generous contributions I have made to help me in the pursuit of my work in your University. I am glad to report to you the receipt of your contribution.

In the recent years I have taken an active part in the development of the educational system of the University. I am glad to report that I have been able to contribute to the welfare of the University.

I am enclosing the report of the committee on which you were a member. I hope you will find it satisfactory. I am glad to report that the results of the recent examinations have been very satisfactory.

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Yours truly,

November 6th, 1936
Board saying that he would be satisfied in every way if we received twenty-five students within five years. I scouted at his timidity, and the result was that we had more than fifty students the first year, and about one hundred and twenty-five the second. I hope, therefore, you will not be timid and will use your opportunity to raise the standard throughout the country.

Now, in regard to the matter of athletics, I thank you for your frankness in writing me. It seems to me that our conference failed to accomplish any very definite result, for the reason that every institution has felt free to modify the rules recommended in such a way as they desired. Just what ground we should take in reference to men who have played on other teams, either as coaches or as professional players, is not a very easy one to determine. The Michigan Alumnus Magazine states that there are four students in the law school there who have played on professional teams for a salary. At the same time it is represented that they are genuine students in the University honestly and faithfully working for a degree. To admit that students of this class have a right to play against our college and university teams of course put many of the institutions at a great disadvantage. It is a matter to be discussed who has authority to arrive at a definite conclusion that will be binding upon the institutions.

I can understand your point of view in reckoning the time for a degree by the term instead of by the year. I anticipate that this will be objected to for the reason that it enables you indirectly to keep a given student on the team for an almost indefinite time. One of our athletic enthusiasts, who also has the requisite mathematics, has figured out that if a student were kept in for a single quarter during his
No one can be free of want, for want is a part of us. The struggle within the years is not against the finish line, but against the fear of the unknown. Even as we face the challenges of life, we must keep moving forward, always looking for ways to improve and adapt.

The community

You are hereby notified of the matter of appointment. I thank you for your attendance in writing. It seems to me that our conference calling for the appointment of the gentlemen present for the purpose of conferring with the chairman of the committee to which the nomination was referred for the purpose of making the necessary recommendations is not a very exact one. It appears that the committee is composed of an association of people who play little or no part in college or university administration. The minutes contain no specification of the number of members or the names of the persons present.

The important question is, who are the students? To whom and what students? To whom and what students? The committee and the chairman.

The important issue is, the need for college and university personnel. It is a matter of public opinion and public interest.

I am most grateful to express my appreciation for all that will be done and to commend our efforts to the Committee on Education.
undergraduate course he would arrive at the baccalaureate degree after he has been able to play on the football team for twelve years; and that as a candidate for Ph.D. he could, under your rule, play for nine years more, and so continue to cover the University with glory long after the maturer college presidents have ceased to be interested in earthly athletics. How far these considerations would weigh in a general council on the matter I do not know, but I think your University would be obliged to meet objections of this kind.

Allow me to say that I think great harm comes from playing football teams connected with athletic associations. They have no moral backing to restrain them from any brutality that is necessary to secure success. I believe the history of the Chicago Athletic Association team when playing with college teams will show that they are generally determined to succeed by disabling the opposing team, if necessary. I can recall at least four games where that seems to have been the determination from the first. Y. M. C. A. teams are not open to the same objections because they are generally surrounded by a moral atmosphere that imposes some restraint. I was very sorry, therefore, that you played against the Chicago Athletic team.

Three promising players have been taken out of our team this year by the Faculty in consequence of their inability to keep the pace in their studies. I will add for my one personal consolation that this strictness on the part of the Faculty and two important casualties that occurred in the game with Champaign left our team very much weakened for the game with your team last Saturday.

Very heartily yours,

C. Cadman.
Unfortunately, some parts of the text are not clear due to the quality of the image. However, the text appears to discuss the importance of making connections to many areas of the country to gain a broader perspective and access to different opportunities. The writer mentions the need to continue to focus on the infrastructure and to continue to serve the community with a clear vision for the future. They also discuss the importance of the concentration of power and how it affects the nation.

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The text concludes by stating that the writer will work with their team to ensure that the community remains strong and continues to grow.
My dear President Harper:

I called on Mr. Hammond at his request to-day and told him that there was no way in which we could use him in our athletic work. I have come to this conclusion after thinking it over thoroughly. We cannot afford to employ anybody as our expenses are already as high as we can carry. The work will be attended to all right.

I am very sorry to tell you that Mr. Herschberger is prevented from playing on the team by his parents. This is a tremendous disappointment and drawback. We feel that we cannot get along without him. He was by all odds the most valuable man playing behind the lines. The restriction grew out of a newspaper article which magnified a slight injury which he received while playing an injury which would have kept him from practice only three or four days. His mother has been under a nervous strain due to her youngest son having contracted typhoid fever. He has been sick for four weeks but is now convalescing.
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Doubtless this had an effect on her. We must do everything to get her consent to his playing. Herschberger himself can do nothing more as he fears that he will not be able to attend college at all, if he shows discontentment with her ruling. Herschberger is sent to college by his sister who does not object to his playing. We must have your help in this matter. I think that a letter from you would change the mother's feelings.

Sincerely

A. A. Stagg
The University of Chicago

To whom it may concern,

[Handwritten text not legible]
My dear President Harper:

I am sorry to write you from a sick bed. The Doctor says I have an attack of malarial fever, which may run for twenty eight days or may break up at any time. He is inclined to think it will break up soon. I have had it already for nine days. I write you to ask you to give Williamson something to do to work off his fees. I forgot to mention it to you when I have seen you before. This may take the place of the request I made to you in reference to Mr. Inglis. Williamson is a good steady fellow and a magnificent football player. I think he will do credit to the institution in his studies and in every other way.

Sincerely yours,

A. A. Stagg
The University of Chicago

Dear Professor Baxter,

I am sorry to write you from so far away. Work and the recent scene I have been involved in welfare have made me drowsy. The prospect of going on my own will please me very much. I have been very busy recently to write as I want to do so as soon as possible. I have made an effort to write a letter, but I am not sure how to express you to arrive tomorrow sometime. I am not sure I can go. I know you know what you have been doing. I am afraid you may not like the change of the weather. I am afraid I will be of no use to you. I hope you will not lose your patience.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]
My dear President Harper;

I hope that you will see to it that the Board does not act upon important matters of policy in my absence. Some actions have already been taken which I decided to object to as interfering with the work of our Dept. Frankly, I do not consider some members of the Board capable of wise action, and I do not care to have the work of the Physical Culture Dept. made more burdensome.

I believe that it is right to ask that X to have it granted since it is my particular charge which is concerned X one which I have thought X labor and prayer a great deal. Sincerely, A. A. Stagg.
June 24, 1876,

My dear President Harper:—

I have changed my mind in regard to the advisability of having a form of student athletic association for the present. I do not see how the University Athletics could be helped by placing the power or a measure of it in the hands of the students if I do see most decidedly how they could be hampered by such a move at this time.

Again, I believe that I know the student since as on the whole matter that is no stamp of general cry for the change. Further, I should not willingly release the burden which embodies the 'crossing.'
X criticism & worry. Planning of the last three years, until I can see that a greater good will result to the University by so doing. That you may know that I am free from personal aspirations. Therefrom, I will add that a quiet, simple life of peace & good will has means more to me than JT's & salary. X has purely tempted me to be faithless to my trust.

Sincerely,

A. A. Staff.
From the Chicago Office of the
Massachusetts Benefit Association
of Boston, Massachusetts.

John C. Rand
Vice President and Resident Director.
1012 Ashland Block.

Chicago, Ill. May 6th, 1895

My Dear Mr. President:

I was sorry not to find you on my call to the University this morning, but I can briefly state in writing what I intended to say by word of mouth.

From Professor Stagg, with whom I had a long conference this morning, I learned the status of Philip's case before the Athletic Board. If I am informed correctly, a motion was made to except Philip from the operation of the rule made last January, regarding the failure of students to pass in required studies. That motion was not seconded, although there was a free and prolonged discussion on the merits of the case. So I take it, the matter is in a situation to be renewed, and the way is open for another motion of a similar character to be made, and if seconded, and passed favorably, such action would not conflict with any recorded vote of the board.

I understand also from Professor Stagg that you announced to the board that they had authority thus to suspend the operation of the rule in question.

Now as to my final plea in Philip's case. It would appear from what Professor Stagg told me that the commendable and faithful work done by Philip on the outside matter of "Cap and Gown", the time spent in rehearsals and concerts on the Glee Club, have had no weight whatever with the committee; and Philip is judged by his technical failure to pass in a certain study, no allowance being made for the hard study, late hours, and absorbed devotion to an enterprise which already has and will continue to reflect great credit upon the University.

According to Professor Stagg, the prevailing argument against reinstating Philip was the fear that criticism would be made of the inconsistent action of the faculty in formulating a rule, and then immediately suspending the same in certain favored cases. In answer to that objection, I can only say that if any of the cases which come before you can show a good reason why the operation of the rule should be suspended, it is not only the privilege, but the duty, of the Athletic Committee to accept the situation, meet the question fairly, and decide upon the merits of the case. This fear of public criticism is a sword which cuts both ways. I need not suggest to you the fact that the board is liable to equal criticism if they should blindly adhere to an iron-clad interpretation of a rule without fairly and honorably meeting a clean cut and pronounced exception which would commend itself to the impartial judgment of outside interested parties. "Adherence to principles can be quoted in favor
I cannot see why the Board has taken the course of action that it has. I cannot understand the motivations that have led it to this decision. I have been a loyal member of the faculty for many years, and I have always been committed to the academic mission of the institution. I have worked hard to uphold the standards of excellence that have defined our institution, and I have always been proud to be a part of this community.

You may be aware that I have recently been named to a prestigious research fellowship, which will allow me to conduct important work in my field. I believe that this opportunity will enable me to make significant contributions to the advancement of knowledge and to the betterment of our institution. I am deeply committed to this work, and I hope that you will support me in my efforts to pursue it.

I understand that the Board has made its decision based on a number of factors, but I believe that these factors do not justify the action that has been taken. I am confident that I can continue to make valuable contributions to the institution, and I am committed to doing so.

I hope that you will reconsider your decision and that we can continue to work together to advance the goals of the institution. I am available to discuss these matters with you at any time.

Sincerely,
[Signature]

[Name]
of one side as well as the other. It is a question whether greater glory and an added reputation for liberal management may not come to a board, who would be brave and wise enough to stand upon advanced and higher ground in courageously meeting a question which might ultimately seriously effect the University should all of its friends be knowing of the facts.

Philip's visit home yesterday put me in possession of a fact which I wish to bring to the attention of the board through your friendly offices, and it is to my mind a convincing argument why he should receive justice at your hands. Philip tells me that early in the season when he made his agreement with Dean McClintock, he was told that mathematics was a necessary study, and that he would be obliged to take it during the coming term. Some time afterwards the rule which we are discussing was passed by the faculty, and Philip was told by Dean Judson that a change of study could be made which would enable Philip to select a subject coming within his ability to handle in connection with his "Cap and Gown" on which he was working hard. Dean McClintock said on the contrary that no change could be made and Philip's selection had to stand.

As I understand it now, had he been given the opportunity to make a change to another study, he could easily have made a mark sufficient to have passed him satisfactorily. I claim on his behalf that had he been so premitted he would not have come under the operation of the rule. He is today suffering unjustly, and I feel that the Athletic Committee can under all the circumstances make an exception in his favor. Particularly do I think it unjust in that the punishment is not immediate, but prolonged in its nature. He has to be handed over for an entire term, and with this cloud hanging over him he cannot give that free hearted and intelligent devotion to his studies that he ought. I feel that the penalty is entirely disproportionate to the technical offense committed, and were his breach of the rule a flagrant, deliberate, wilful violation I should not ask any favor at your hands. But as above indicated, I feel that it has been sprung upon him unawares, and that he did not have a fair opportunity to take precautionary measures and pull himself through in a satisfactory manner, as he could have done had he known his privileges in the case. It is on this ground that I ask a suspension of the rule in his case.

I cannot close without expressing to you personally, and through you to other members of the board, the complimentary references to Philip's standing and his good work in things in which he has taken an interest.
He certainly has been loyal to the University, and today his heart is very much absorbed in planning and engineering things that will redound to the growth and prosperity of the Institution he loves so well.

I remain, as ever,

Very cordially yours,

[Signature]

President W. R. Harper
Chicago University
Chicago, Sept. 26

My dear Dr. Harper,

There is one phase of our athletic difficulty with Michigan and Wisconsin, which, it seems to me, is of so serious a character that I venture to suggest it to you for the consideration of the Board of Athletics. I refer to the fact that our rivalry, with the institutions mentioned, is likely to engender such a feeling of hostility that graduates will be disinclined to enter our graduate schools or professional departments from any one of the universities concerned. I cannot help feeling that our graduate departments will suffer seriously unless this present controversy is soon settled, through a conference of the Athletic Boards or representatives of the faculties of the universities concerned, or in some other way.

Sincerely yours, Frank F. Abbott.
My dear Pres. Harper:

That details
I gave Mr. Rand I told with
the idea of discouraging him
from further attempt to release
this boy from the jealousy of delin-
quency in this studio. Had he good
sense about the matter he would
never have troubled you or
any of the committee further.
Apparently he was not at all
aware that his object was instead of accepting
what I told him as it was intended,
used it for the same use other
members of the committee.
I can readily see how she
might have made it rather
embarrassing under the cir-
cumstances. And I am sorry. Allow
me to say, however, that I told Mr.
Rand right at the beginning that
I did not think that it was right.
to remind the faculty in his son's case. You will understand therefor that what I said was not spoken in any attempt to smooth my own pathway nor to lay the burden on others' shoulders. Further it seems to me that the "embarrassment" would have amounted to little in any case if the unfortunate members of the committee had spoken candidly to Mr. Rand on the merits of his son's case. If you authorize members of the committee desire to know the details honestly as I gave them I am ready at any time to state them.

In regard to the baseball game I believe that I have held to the rule which was adopted. The majority of the committee played at Evanston on Tuesday last. As there were only three students who accompanied the nine whom I knew nothing of, these were selected from the roll I shall think that the editing must have been due to a game between Dwell Hall and the School which I did not know until my return. Of course I have no official love for "crunt" games. I believe that some of the baseball team has chemistry this quarter.
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

Madison, February 5th, 1895.

My dear Mr. President: At the meeting of the general Faculty of the University of Wisconsin, held yesterday, the rules recommended at the meeting of College Presidents at Chicago, after having been duly considered by the Athletic Council of the University, were taken up for final consideration, and after some modifications were adopted.

Rule 1 we had no occasion to consider, as athletics here have long been under the control of an Athletic Committee or Council.

Omitting the first rule then, the rules 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 were adopted without change. In regard to Rule 5, however, a separate resolution was adopted, providing that the restrictions in the latter part of the Rule should not go into effect during the present year. This provision was made in deference to the requests of other Universities desiring that that restriction should not have ex post facto effect.

Rule 8 was modified by the addition of a clause "except in case of the Intercollegiate Meet of Track Teams". It is our belief that no harm comes from the management of intercollegiate track athletics by an Athletic Association; and the inconveniences of providing so many judges and other officers for all the events by the colleges themselves would be so numerous as to make such meets practically impossible.
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Mediation Report No. 1935

My dear Mr. President:

At the meeting of the General Faculty of the University of Wisconsin held November 15th, 1935, it was recommended that the minutes of the meeting of College Presidents at Chicago, after having been delayed through the adjournment of the Allied Committee of the University, were adopted.

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Rule 6, relating to consultation as stipulated herein, have not been amended. The committee of the Allied Committee of Colleges is not advised of the intent to adopt that rule, however, as was adopted without change.

The section relating to non-residency, non-membership, non-attendance in joint, the hours of, and, however, a separate resolution was adopted to provide that the restrictions in the latter part of the rule should not be applied to the residence of the present year. This provision was made in addition to the resolution of the present year.

Rule 8 was modified by the addition of a clause "except in cases or the Intercollegiate Meet at their terms." It is to our great pleasure to know that the management of intercollegiate team sports is not the only purpose of the University of Wisconsin. The incomes from the management of intercollegiate team sports shall be used to meet college and extra-curricular expenses in accordance with the requirements of the Board of Regents.
Rule 9 was adopted without modification.

Rule 10 was thought to be objectionable in its phraseology, and as liable to give unnecessary offence. After very mature deliberation, the Faculty voted to recommend the adoption of a rule differently stated; also to recommend that an exception be made in favor of boat crews and baseball teams. It is doubtful whether our baseball team can thrive unless occasionally it is permitted to replenish its treasury by playing with a professional or semi-professional team. It is certain that our boat crew must be allowed to row with rowing associations outside of college, or it cannot row at all. The University of Wisconsin crew has never been able to secure a race with any University or College crew. In view of these facts the Faculty adopted in place of Rule 10 the following: "College teams shall engage in contests with college teams only, except that the Committee on Athletics of any college may grant permission to engage in contests with non professional boat crews and with baseball clubs."

The rules as amended by our Faculty and recommended to the favorable consideration of the other colleges and universities are herewith appended.

Very respectfully yours,

C.K. Adams
President.
Rule 9 was adopted without modification.

Rule 10 was then put to a vote of the representatives on the recommendation of the faculty. After many minutes of discussion, the resolution was carried by a vote of 34 in favor of post graduate and 19 against. It is the opinion of the faculty that a graduate can improve his efficiency if he writes on and poses for examination in a profession to which he is accustomed to teaching by playing with a professional team in the same professional class. It is certain that any post given must be allowed to have some relation to the professional nature of the course of study to which the faculty is accustomed to teaching in the University of Wisconsin and new programs never before seen to become a factor in any University or college owe...

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The results as announced by our faculty are not encouraging to the

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P.S. Since having the following rules struck off, I notice an ambiguity in Rule 1, which I have endeavored to correct by inserting, with the pen, a clause limiting the restriction as I think we all intended. C. K. A.

Very respectfully yours,

C.K. Adams
President.
IV. Regulations governing Athletic Organizations.

A. Intercollegiate Rules.

1. No one shall participate in any game or athletic sport unless he be a bona fide student doing full work in a regular or special course as defined in the curriculum of his college; and no person who has participated in any match game as a member of any college team shall be permitted to participate in any game as a member of another college team until he has been a matriculant in such college, under the above conditions, for a period of six months. This rule shall not apply to students who having graduated at one college shall enter another for professional or graduate study.

2. No person shall be admitted to any intercollegiate contest who receives any gift, remuneration, or pay for his services on the college team.

3. Any student of any institution who shall be pursuing a regularly prescribed, resident, graduate course within such institution, whether for an advanced degree or in any one of its professional schools may be permitted to play for a minimum number of years required before securing the graduate or professional degree for which he is a candidate.

4. No person who has been employed in training a college team for intercollegiate contests shall be allowed to participate in any intercollegiate contest as a member of any team which he has trained, and no professional athlete and no person who has ever been a member of a professional team shall play in any intercollegiate contest.

5. No student shall play in any game under an assumed name.

6. No student shall be permitted to participate in any intercollegiate contest who is found by the faculty to be delinquent in his studies.

7. All games shall be played on grounds either owned or under immediate control of one or both of the colleges participating in the contest, and all games shall be played under student management and not under the control of any corporation or association or private individual; except in the case of the intercollegiate meet of track teams.

8. The election of managers and captains of teams in each college shall be subject to the approval of its committee on athletics.
I. Registrars, Committee, and Associate Organization

A. Intercollegiate Rules

1. No person shall participate in any game or activity of a college as a member of the college faculty, and shall not participate in any game or activity of the college faculty and a member of the college faculty who are participating in any game or activity of the college faculty shall not participate in any game or activity of the college faculty in which a member of the college faculty is participating.

2. No person shall be permitted to participate in any intercollegiate activities unless he is a member of the college faculty.

3. All players shall be members of the college faculty.

4. No student shall be permitted to participate in any intercollegiate activities unless he is a member of the college faculty.

5. The selection of members and captains of teams is at the discretion of the committee on intercollegiate activities of each college.
9. College teams shall engage in contests with college teams only; except that the Committee on Athletics of any college may grant permission to engage in contests with non-professional boat crews, and with baseball clubs.

B. Local Regulations.

All athletic organizations using the name of the University, are subject to the following regulations:

10. The captains of all athletic organizations likely to represent the University in athletic exhibitions at Madison or elsewhere, are required to furnish lists of candidates for positions in such organizations to the Council for approval.

Any candidate whose work is unsatisfactory in any study is likely to be rejected.

11. The lists specified above are to be in the hands of the chairman of the Council at the following times: Football and track teams, 15th of October; baseball team and boat crew, 15th of January.

11. All changes in the personnel of the teams, either by the dropping or adding of men, shall be reported promptly as they occur, by the respective captains of the teams to the chairman of the Council.

12. Within three days before leaving Madison to meet teams at any other place, the captain of each athletic team must file with the chairman of the Council the names of all the men to be taken on the trip together with the schedule of games to be played. The chairman will in turn furnish to the Registrar a certified list of players approved by the Council for each trip.

13. A student matriculating in any department of the University later than the beginning of the second semester will be excluded from athletic teams for the remainder of the college year.

14. No adult special student will be permitted to be a member of any University athletic team until he has completed one full semester of continuous residence at the University.
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only those that full time of any college may
to apply for membership of the University and shall be granted permission to belong to the non-professional post

I. Local Recreation

All athletic organizations under the name of the University
are subject to the following regulations:

1. The purpose of all athletic organizations is to enhance the University's athletic excellence and to maintain the highest standards of conduct in all activities.
2. A member of the University's athletic team shall be required to attend all practices and games.
3. The name of the team shall be approved by the Faculty Council.

II. Inter-Collegiate

The Inter-Collegiate games are to be held in the name of the team as follows:

1. All changes in the personnel of the team, after the end of the term, shall be reported promptly, as the case may be.
2. The name of the team shall be approved by the Faculty Council.
3. Within three days after the selection of the team, the team must

3. A member of the University's athletic team shall be required to attend all practices and games.
4. No member of the University's athletic team shall be permitted to be a member of a non-University organization.
Jan. 31, 1895.

Dear Sir:

Mr. E.H. Clark, Treasurer of the Grand Stand Fund, has recently transferred the matter to me. Below is a statement of the finances up to date. Will you kindly enclose the amount subscribed by you; viz.

to A.A. Stagg, Treasurer, Faculty Exchange, or #5728 Madison Ave.

**Receipts**

- Subscriptions from Faculty: $305.00
- " Students: $87.50
- " Alumni: $122.70

**Expenses**

- Printing: $6.10
- Sign Fence: $79.00
- Total Expense: $85.10

**Receipts from advertising spaces**: $303.75

**Total Receipts**: $818.95

**Total Expenses**: $85.10

**Balance**: $733.85

Total cost of Grand stand: $1210.50

- Amount Paid: $733.85
- Amount due: $476.65

**Uncollected subscriptions**

- Students: $28.50
- Faculty: $95.00
- $123.50

**Deficit**: $353.15

Sincerely,

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Dear Sir:

Mr. C.H. Clarke, Treasurer of the Grand Strand Fund, has received
in the treasury the matter referred to below as a statement of the finances of
the organization. Will you kindly examine the amount appearing in your
books to date. If you kindly examine the amount appearing in your
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Total cost of Grand Strand

| Amount payable             | $1,200.00|
| Amount due                 | $1,200.00|
| Unsold tickets and receipts| $1,200.00|
| Deficit                    | $1,200.00|

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Dr. Hon. R. Harper
U. of C. Chicago.

My dear Sir:

I read with disappointment your views on athletics as reported in the newspapers last week. Sunday's Tribune of Chicago expresses my views on the subject clearly.

It is most necessary to play football in a way to cripple and kill. If it were not necessary or right to cripple or kill my son to develop 11 out of 1,000 students, I would rather that a father who has a son in the Chicago University now said to me, save the 20th, I have a serious interest in this University and voted to make Ahlstrom College with you bank a strong support which is reputed to be your views on athletics.

FRIDAY, FEB. 6.

R. B. Anderson.
My dear Sir,

Will you please upon us when I can get the

Harpur address article in the "Lynbrook" clipping for

the Advocate, greatly;

Very gratefully,

A. L. Chase

Past Capt. Ch. F. Cogswell,

Marine

July 16, 1885.
President Harper, in his championship of college athletics, talks in a more light-hearted vein of the abuses that have of late been so notorious than one would have expected of him. We may grant, he says, that limbs are broken and lives lost; but we must remember there is no form of life's activity which is not attended with risk. "If the world can afford to sacrifice the lives of men for commercial gain, it can much more easily afford to make similar sacrifice on the altar of vigorous and unsullied manhood. The question of a life or of a score of lives is nothing compared with that of moral purity, human self-restraint, in the interests of which, among college men, outdoor athletic sports contribute more than all other agencies combined." But, he adds, if athletics have been prostituted by gamblers and pugilists, let the college world come to the rescue and assign them to the place to which they belong. This, it may be said, is what the public has been waiting with a good deal of patience, and for a good while, to see the college-world really set about doing. But President Harper declares for his own institution, that they will see to it that no man upon any university team shall ever have a second opportunity to disgrace either himself or the university, and that at home and with other institutions they will endeavor to cultivate a spirit that will be truly elevating. If the other universities and colleges will also agree to do the same, there will presently be effected some decidedly radical changes.
zoomdar, who had expressed regret that there was no one in India to found a Lectureship on the Relations of Christianity to other Faiths, similar to the recently-created Lectureship bearing Mrs. Haskell's name in the University of Chicago. It was that which led Mrs. Haskell to repeat in Calcutta her generous and far-sighted deed. The Lectures are to be given in Calcutta every year and it is hoped that the endowment will enable the trustees to command the services of the ablest expounders of Christianity. By special request of the donor, Dr. John Henry Barrows is to be the first lecturer, she insisting also that the Lectureship shall bear his name. This, in view of his relations to the World's Parliament of Religions, is altogether appropriate. It is expected that Dr. Barrows will go on this high and singularly responsible mission either this winter or next. It is obvious that such a Lectureship, in such a city at this time, will call for qualities of consummate ability and fitness. The English Government universities and other schools in Calcutta and other cities of India, although giving in them little or no direct religious instruction, have raised up a generation of educated men, as familiar with the English language and literature as with their own. The previous experiences of President Julius H. Seeyle, Joseph Cook and Dr. Pentecost have shown the kind of hearing that may be expected there. Rev. Dr. J. S. MacDonald, editor of the Evangelical Review, President of the Missionary Conference of Calcutta, and for some thirty years a missionary
Manhattan Hotel NY
Nov 17 1896

Dear Dr Harper,

This cutting from the New York Evening Post shows that the Eastern papers take every chance to give us a "dog."

I do not believe they ever offend them a check for $2000 to play. They may have guaranteed that their share of the gate receipts should be a liberal sum.

We shall clear through all their misinformation and come out ahead with out weeks.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
Dear Pres. Harper,

I know of no way to handle P. Allin's case. We have little enough now to meet athletic expenses during the next few months. C. Allen denies accusing P. Allin the same mentioned C. X. says the life guard was out of your expectation of his securing outside teaching. I am against securing outside teaching. I am against

I can not help feeling that it is an after thought. I am not involved any obscurities. I am not involved any obscurities江湖. I am involved the prospect of such an arrangement except on the date above mentioned when I strictly declined any chance of such a disposition of our athletic funds. It would be very unwise to let Phil know any arrangement of that kind could be made because he is a very outspoken talkative fellow though.
possessing admirable qualities as well.

Before sending out our invitation to the college I wrote from Prof. Conway MacMillan that he had taken steps to call a Convention. He has since sent out a call for that Feb. 8th at the Palmer House.

Find Mr. Lewis letter enclosed.

Also some letters of recommendation which he wishes returned in case he fails of appointment. From all I can gather from those who know him of his work he will do honor to any appointment.

Certainly he would help our athletically.

P.S.
My dear President Harper:—

At my advice Mr. Buck

writes you regarding a communication which he received from Casper Whitney in which Mr. Whitney says that he has proof that Nichols read 250 lines of a newspaper for playing a game of baseball in Juneville, Wis., last summer. Mr. Buck together with Mr. Matthews and R. T. Harper desire Nichols to appear before the Board, because of the nature of the summons, to be subjected to questioning upon the matter.

Personally, I do not believe that that is the best method of procedure. Further, I believe that it is somewhat fraught with danger.

The effect of such a method of examination before a body of plumpers almost would be to Warp him & cause him to display the same recklessness of nature which he did when he played for money. No one knows what this would lead to. Certainly an unnecessary disturbance would result.
I believe that you could best bring this matter to Mr. Nichols' attention and get his answer to the Charge. Then bring it before the Board for action.

I am afraid that an examination before the Board would serve to magnify the offence out of all proportion to its real bearing. All the Board cares to know is whether the Charge is true or not. The act of playing for money cannot be condemned in itself, though I feel that under the circumstances of last year's favor by the Board, Mr. Nichols did an ignoble thing.

I learned today that Jones went off a couple of times with Nichols last summer, which means that we shall lose both Jones and Nichols if the temper of these members of the Board whom I have been afraid to tell anything. Notice of the other members of the Board know about Jones' playing for money, but Nichols would be the last person to make a fuss if Jones played. He would be inclined to break everything. I think & therefore he should be carefully handled. I can't tell you how much this news has disturbed me. It seems such an absurdly reckless act for a few dollars reward. The visions of easy conquest have scattered.

Q.S. Nichols knowing them among a general way. Sincere, you can tell this. for him. About nine as stated at the C. for the express to be about 10 oclock. He may arrive on his way through your letter in spite of finding out things in their present position. O. G. Stagg.
President Harper:

I understand that I am not to be hampered in any way in my work through this arrangement of finances; that Major Rust is not to request reasons why this or that expenditure; that I am not to be compelled to explain for what purposes certain money is to be used; that I am to put my own interpretation upon "extraordinary bills" as not to be called to account by him for the same; that so far as Major Rust is concerned, my presentation of statements and vouchers for money received and spent by me is sufficient.

Sincerely,

A.A. Stagg