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December 29, 1917.

President Harry Pratt Judson,  
Chicago, Illinois.

My dear Mr. President:

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November 22, 1917.

My dear Mr. President:

You will, I am sure, be interested in the Bulletin of our University Patriotic League which I am having mailed to you today. This organization is proving an effective means of giving concerted expression to the patriotic impulses of the University population and, what is equally important, it is serving, by translating into comforting if modest action the restless desire of students and Faculty to help directly in the National crisis, to make us more patient with our usual and seemingly less heroic tasks.

Similar organized efforts are no doubt being put forth in other colleges and universities, and the question naturally arises whether a Nation-wide concert of action on the part of the colleges through some American University Patriotic League might not contribute an element of strength to the Nation's cause, and at the same time help to maintain in each institution of learning a proper balance between interest in the war with its pressing demands and devotion to that patient and laborious training whose benefits to our Country are no less vital because they are deferred.

Very sincerely yours,

*George Norlin*

Acting President.

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Chicago, Illinois.

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*Charles F. Johnson*  
Acting President

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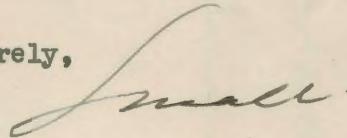
OFFICE OF THE DEAN

November 27, 1917.

My dear Chief:

Respecting the subject of the note from Mr. Norlin, of the University of Colorado, my impression is that in spite of the multiplicity of organizations an American University Patriotic League might have a vocation in setting standards for something approaching uniformity of action in the different colleges and universities of the country in the way of focalizing efforts to promote loyal sentiments and programs. The Bulletin of the University of Colorado Patriotic League spoken of in the note has not reached me, but without having seen it, my judgment would be that we should at least express interest in the idea and willingness to give it a chance in every proper way to prove itself worthy.

Sincerely,



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Dean.





Chicago, November 30, 1917

Dear President Norlin:

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Chicago, January 4, 1918

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Your favor of the 29th of December is received. I shall be interested to know what form the proposed organization may take.

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Mr. George Worlin  
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