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TEACHERS COLLEGE CURRENT AND ENDOWMENT DONATIONS

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Active interest of students and faculty of Teachers College in the Canton Christian College seems to have begun in 1914. It developed apparently, around Professor Graybill, of the Canton Christian College, who had spent one year or more at Teachers College after his first term of service in Canton. At first, the money raised was for part of the salary of Professor Graybill. Beginning in 1925, however, the money raised was to be in part for such current use and in part to build an endowment for a professorship. Through 1930, the total amount collected was somewhat more than \$8,800., and interest accumulated on the endowment part was \$314.25. For some years the practice continued of remitting the total of individual donations with two designations - approximately \$600. designated for current use and \$300. for addition to the developing endowment fund to finance a professorship. At a certain stage in this development, the friends at Teachers College reached the decision that the effort to aid Lingnan must be abandoned. Their reason for this decision was that the character of the student body had completely changed, almost all of the students being persons already engaged in teaching who returned for a year of special study, so that it was virtually impossible to maintain any esprit de corps and to keep alive such an interest as that in Lingnan.

Some years later, since this effort to develop such an endowment was evidently not to be resumed, the Trustees raised the question with Dr. Russell, head of Teachers College, whether it would meet with approval if the partial endowment sum should be transferred to some other use. His reply was that Teachers College had no relation to the money that had been raised, and that we were free to use our own judgment unless there was some legal reason to the contrary. The fund in hand was transferred to the capital fund then being developed as a basis for pensions for the oldest members of the Lingnan staff. (See data about pension fund.)

  
Olin D. Wannamaker,  
Secretary

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OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

February 17, 1926

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Trustees of Canton Christian College  
18 East 41st Street  
New York City

Dear Sirs

I take great pleasure in sending our annual contribution of \$800.00 towards the salary of Professor Graybill, and \$100. for the extension of his work. There will be coming to you, as soon as all the pledges are in, another check of \$800. towards the permanent endowment fund started last year.

The almost unanimous and cordial response of the student body of Teachers College to the appeals of the Christmas Chest Fund for objects international in character bespeak the spirit of internationalism abroad in America. The work of Canton Christian College has an especially strong appeal for us at this time, because of the part it must play in helping to build the new China.

With best wishes for the continuance of your great work and with kindest regards for our representative in the work, Professor Graybill, I am

Sincerely yours

*S. A. Rutledge*

S. A. Rutledge  
Director of Campaign

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February 18, 1926

Mr. S. A. Rutledge,  
Teachers College,  
Columbia University,  
New York City.

My dear Mr. Rutledge:

In the absence of Miss Ida Himes I wish to thank you for the check for \$900 sent by the Students Organizations of Teachers College for the support of Professor Graybill.

We greatly appreciate this continued interest and the activity which it inspires among the student body in the varied interests of Canton Christian College. At the present time the College is in splendid condition and it is playing a great part in the upbuilding of the people and the country.

Thanking you again for your splendid cooperation, I am

Very truly yours

Assistant Secretary, pro tem.

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For J.K.R.

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April 6, 1927.

Dr. James M. Henry, President,  
Canton Christian College,  
18 - East 41 St.,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Henry:

Mr. Farley, president of the Student Council, at Teachers' College, has just written asking that I represent the Alumni Association on a committee which is to consider disposition of funds raised through the Community Chest for Canton Christian College. I have no idea what lies back of this action, although, knowing Teachers' College, I feel that there is probably nothing reactionary intended. I am writing this in order to get information which will bring me up to date in the matters involved.

You may recall that in the fall and winter of 1924, during the Community Chest Campaign, I worked out a plan for establishing a permanent endowment fund for the Teachers' College Professorship of Education. The points which I enumerated in a tentative proposal were put into definite form by your attorney and accepted by the student council of Teachers' College. After your board of trustees had voted approval of the plan suggested, the transcripts of the minutes, accepting the tender, were filed in the office of the dean of Teachers' College. As I recall it, the money raised each year for endowment was to be placed in the hands of the trustees of Canton Christian College, by them to be invested and the avails thereof allowed to accumulate until the funds should reach such proportions that the annual proceeds would maintain the professorship in question. I recall that there was some delay in the transmission of the funds to the board of trustees. It is my impression that this occurred sometime during the spring of 1925. In order that things might continue to develop along the lines which I had started, I took some little pains to see to it that a man friendly to the project was elected president of the student council for 1925-26. I heard from him that the campaign was very successful, but have no idea whether the funds raised were actually deposited with the trustees of Christian College or not.

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ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE  
AUBURN, ALABAMA

I have written at this length in order that you might know just how much I know concerning the present situation. I am very anxious that no retroactive step shall be taken for I have faith to believe that if we Occidentals can be persuaded to keep our hands off and to keep out of the way, China will be able to work out her own destiny and that we shall be able to serve her in a friendly capacity after the present internal dissensions are over. I shall appreciate anything you can give me in the way of help in this matter.

Sincerely yours,  
*B. R. Showalter*  
B. R. Showalter,  
Director of Extension Teaching.

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Teachers College  
Columbia University  
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OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

June 8, 1927

Miss K. C. Griggs  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Ave.  
New York City

Dear Miss Griggs

Please find enclosed check for four-hundred thirty-three dollars and three cents (\$433.03) representing the contribution of the students of Teachers College for the year 1926-27 toward the permanent endowment fund of the chair of education at Lingnan University. We are sorry that the amount is small but there have been many demands on the "College Christmas Chest". The interest is still keen, however, and this sum expresses to only a small extent the regard felt by Teachers College for Lingnan.

On behalf of the Student Council may I express the hope that the University may come safely through the present crisis and that its continued success may soon be assured.

Sincerely yours

(Miss) Katherine I. Sherwin

Katherine I. Sherwin  
Executive Secretary

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TRUSTEES LINGNAN UNIVERSITY

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STATEMENT OF TEACHERS COLLEGE ENDOWMENT FUND AS AT JULY 1, 1927

Gifts received a/c Endowment	June 2, 1925	\$800.00
	May 21, 1926	872.56
	June 9, 1927	433.03
Interest earned	up to June 30, 1926	25.00
	<del>from June 30, '26- June 30, 1927</del>	<del>84.88</del>
	<u>TOTAL FUND AS OF JULY 1, 1927</u>	<u>\$2,215.47</u>

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Teachers College  
Columbia University  
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May 14, 1928

OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

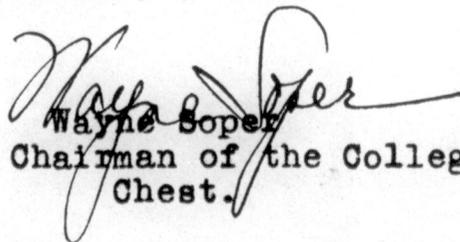
Mr. Chas. K. Edmonds, American  
Director  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Ave, Room 903  
New York City

My dear Mr. Edmonds

Enclosed you will find our check for \$275.76, which represents the accumulation of our College Christmas Chest funds remaining after other obligations have been paid, which amount is to be applied to the permanent endowment for a Chair of Education at Lingnan University. Earlier in the year in response to your inquiry I wrote you that we would have between \$200. and \$250. to apply on this endowment. You will see that this has been increased slightly, and we are happy that such is the case.

With our sincerest wishes for the steady progress of Lingnan, I am

Sincerely yours

  
Wayne Soper

Chairman of the College Christmas  
Chest.

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for My. Office —  
Copy also Mr. Grant  
by same mail

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President, Teachers College Graduate Club  
Teachers College, Columbia University  
New York, N. Y.  
U. S. A.

Dear Sir:

As your representative here I wish, in accordance with the custom established by Mr. Graybill, to extend to you and to the members of the Graduate Club the annual greetings from Lingnan University. I hope that the presence at Teachers College of Mr. Y. K. Chu, the Head of Lingnan University Department of Education, and the many other ties that bind us together will serve to strengthen the warm and lasting friendship which has been built up between these two great institutions located on opposite sides of the world.

The University opened in the fall with a large attendance. The work has gone along very well indeed, and has had none of the interruptions which disturbed life in past years. The cordial relationship which has been built up between the University and the Government has, I think, been of very great service to us. Registration has, I feel, not only helped to build up this relationship, but has helped the institution to extend its field of service in many other ways.

On October nineteenth the new Science Hall was formally opened. The Science Conference which was held on that occasion brought together many of the leading scientists of this part of the world and undoubtedly served as a great stimulus to scientific research in the Far East. On December first the ground was broken for the new Agriculture Building. This building and the Science Hall will greatly enlarge the possibilities of service on the part of Lingnan.

The Department of Education began its work in the fall with almost double the enrollment of last year. A new member has had to be added to the staff in order to take care of the work. Mr. Can Chung Ngok, the new member of the staff, was formerly the Head of the Department of Education of Kwangtung Province. Mr. Chan's presence here will make it possible for Lingnan to be of greater service to Education in the Province.

Mrs Rankin and I spent last summer at Baguio in the Philippine Islands. The climate is delightfully cool, so we were able to get a good rest and at the same time escape the heat of Canton. We spent some days in Manila and had an opportunity to see something of that very interesting old city.

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I have just returned from a very delightful trip up into the northern part of the Province. Dr. Wu, the Director of the Canton-Hankow Railway who is also the Dean of the Lingnan School of Business Administration, invited a party of us from the campus to accompany him on an official inspection trip to the northern terminus of the railway. We were most delightfully entertained by the Railway Administration. I was able for the first time since my arrival here to see something of the interior of China. The reconstruction work that is going on is very fine. I feel sure from what I saw that China has arrived at a new mile post on her way toward the things she is aiming at and that we wish her to realize.

I am enclosing some pictures so that you may see something of life in this part of the world. I shall be glad to send you any information I can that may be of help to you at any time. Please feel free to call upon me for it.

Mrs. Rankin and I extend to the members of the Club our personal greetings and wish for you a very successful year at Teachers College.

Very cordially yours,

C. E. Rankin  
(Teachers College Chair of Education,  
Lingnan University)

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OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

December 13, 1928

Mr. Charles K. Edmonds, American Director  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Ave.  
New York City

My dear Mr. Edmonds

We are enclosing a check for \$900, which represents the annual contribution from Teachers College Christmas Chest towards the support of the Chair of Education at Lingnan University. We are also pleased to state that an additional sum of from \$300 to \$350 will later be added to the permanent endowment fund which was started a few years ago. We are happy to say that our faculty and student body were very generous this year in giving to our Christmas Chest, knowing that Lingnan University would be the chief recipient of their contributions.

With heartiest Christmas Greetings and best wishes from our Student Council, I am

Sincerely,

*H. H. Linn*

H. H. Linn, Director  
College Christmas Chest

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Columbia University  
New York

OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

May 3, 1929

Mr. Chas. K. Edmonds, American  
Director  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Ave., Room 903  
New York City

My dear Mr. Edmonds:

We are happy to send you the  
enclosed check for \$450.15, which is to be  
added to the permanent endowment fund for  
the Chair of Education of Teachers College  
at Lingnan University. This amount was raised  
at our last College Christmas Chest Drive.

We trust that this little  
bit will help the cause of education in China.

Sincerely yours

*H. H. Linn*  
H. H. Linn  
Chairman of the College Christmas  
Chest.

*Last year \$275.  
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Teachers College

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November 2, 1929

Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker  
American Director, Lingnan University  
500 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Mr. Wannamaker:

We are making plans for the annual Christmas Chest Drive, the proceeds from which, this year, will be given wholly to Lingnan University. \$900.00 for current support of the Chair of Education, and the balance for the endowment fund for the perpetuation of that chair.

It is our desire to be supplied with literature concerning Lingnan which we may distribute at the college during the week of the drive. We would also like to have an assortment of small plates to be used in reproducing pictures in the weekly College Bulletin.

If you will be good enough to supply us with this material, or inform us where it can be obtained, I am sure that we will be able to make a substantial subscription to the fund this year.

Yours very sincerely,

*Howard A. Gray*  
Publicity Director

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COLLEGE CHRISTMAS CHEST

→ Teachers College

New York City  
December 3, 1929

Dear Fellow-Student:

Thanksgiving Day and accompanying holidays provide a pause in our regular academic activities at Teachers College. As a result we are apt to think of some of the things for which we, as Teachers College students, may be grateful. When we compare our chances of obtaining more educational training with the chances of students of our own age in China we have many reasons to be thankful, and at the same time, sympathetic. With the coming of Christmas we are prompted to express the Yuletide spirit in some form of action.

For fifteen years the students of Teachers College have expressed this Christmas spirit in gifts to the Christmas Chest. The funds received were used to support educational enterprises in foreign lands. This year the entire fund is to go to the "Teachers College Professorship" in the University of Lingnan, Canton, China. We hope to send \$2000.

"It is a good thing for us voluntarily to deprive ourselves that others less fortunate may be benefited thereby." The goal is that every student contribute something, regardless of the amount. Gifts have ranged from twenty-five cents to fifty dollars.

There will be a booth in the Grade Dodge Hall and one in T.C. Main Hall, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, (December 5, 6, and 7) where you may give whatever amount you care to. This is the only campaign for funds at Teachers College. "He that does what he can, does what he ought".

Sincerely,

The Executive Committee

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Teachers College  
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January 11, 1930

OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Mr. Olin D. Wannemaker  
Trustees Lincnan University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

My dear Mr. Wannemaker

I am very happy to send you a check for  
\$900.00, our pledge to the Chair of Education, Lincnan  
University.

The increment for the permanent endowment,  
probably about \$350.00, will be sent about May 1st, when  
all contributions are in.

Sincerely yours

*Don L. Essex*

Don L. Essex  
Director  
College Christmas Chest.

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January 16, 1950

Mr. D. O. Essex, Director  
College Christmas Chest,  
Teachers College, Columbia University,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Essex:

There are two ways in which your check for \$900 gives us the greatest satisfaction. The first way obviously is the fact that this money is badly needed and its receipt is of great immediate assistance to us. But there is a much more important way in which we view it. The relationship between such an institution as Teachers College and Lingnan University is one that we value in the highest possible degree, and the fact that this relationship is becoming a permanent one through the building up of the endowment for a Chair of Education means very much to us. There are so many cases in which a group of students has begun some similar service to one of the China colleges and then lost zeal for it and gradually abandoned it. Your group has done quite differently, and we are deeply indebted to you.

Cordially yours,

Olin D. Wannamaker  
AMERICAN DIRECTOR

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Teachers College  
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May 10, 1930

OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker  
American Director  
Trustees Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

My dear Mr. Wannamaker

I am enclosing a check for  
\$322.04, balance from the College Christmas Chest  
Drive. This amount becomes a part of the permanent  
endowment for the Teachers College Chair of Education.

We are very happy to be able to make this  
contribution, and regret the amount is not larger.

Sincerely yours

*Don L. Essex*

Don L. Essex  
Chairman of the College Christmas  
Chest Drive

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May 15, 1950.

Mr. Don L. Essex,  
Office of Student Organizations,  
Teachers College, Columbia University,  
New York City.

My dear Mr. Essex:

I do not know how to express the thanks we feel for the generous help you have sent us. This is doubly helpful when we realize that it is not only so much money, but that it represents a wholehearted goodwill of so many friends.

Gratefully yours,

Olin D. Wannemaker  
AMERICAN DIRECTOR

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# The Weekly Bulletin

TEACHERS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

Vol. XVI

New York, Monday, December 1, 1930

No. 11

## COLLEGE CHRISTMAS CHEST LINGNAN UNIVERSITY

It will be only three short weeks until during the holiday season we shall be wishing our friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. It has become the custom not only to convey these wishes by word of mouth, but to send greeting cards and to present gifts. All this contributes to the joy of the Christmas Season. This we do, as individuals.

As a group, we at Teachers College, have by tradition expressed our Yuletide spirit by presenting to Canton Christian College (now Lingnan University) a sum to support the Teachers College Professorship and an additional contribution toward endowment. There is no drive, no high pressure propaganda, no campaign.

If the Christmas Spirit moves us, we can give; and what worthier institutional expression could there be than the support of one of our own graduates at work on our problems beyond the seas?

WILLIAM F. RUSSELL

November 26, 1930

Lingnan University in Canton is one of the worthiest objects of support before the American public. It is an outstanding institution—the first of its rank to accept the new order in China and one that is doing immense good. Few or no institutions in China have maintained closer connections with Teachers College. I am glad to commend it cordially.

William H. Kilpatrick

November 17, 1930

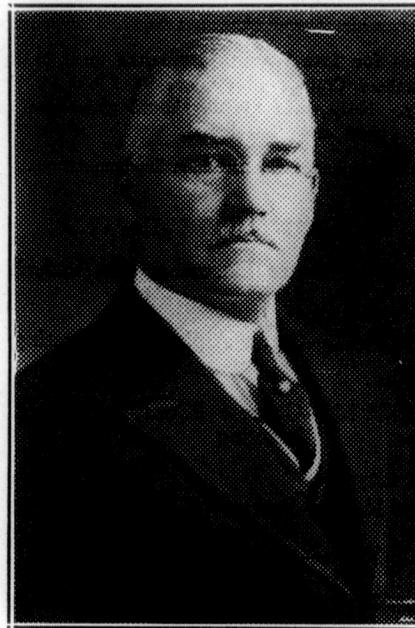
The maintenance of a Foundation for a Chair of Education at Lingnan is a sincere effort on the part of the students of Teachers College to foster better educational opportunities for the teacher in China. I deem it a privilege to endorse this very excellent endeavor.

A. G. Peterson  
President of Student Council

November 19, 1930

An opportunity to contribute will be given in the main hall of Teachers College, Wednesday, December 3, Thursday, December 4, Friday, December 5th and Saturday, December 6th.

Roger C. Bigford, Director  
Henry A. Tape, Director of Publicity  
Ward A. Shoemaker, Director of Finance



DR. PAUL MONROE

Director of the International Institute

## COLLEGE CHAPEL Milbank Chapel

Wednesday, December 3rd, 12-12:30

Speaker: Dr. Paul Monroe  
Subject: "American Educational Institutions in the Orient"

Speaker: Dr. William H. Kilpatrick  
Subject: "Lingnan University and Western Influence in China"

## ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL Columbia University

Vesper Service with a short sermon and appropriate music will be held in St. Paul's Chapel every Sunday at 4 P. M. throughout the academic year.

A cordial invitation is tendered to members of the University and the public generally to attend these Services. Trustees and officers of the University will kindly occupy the choir stalls as far as possible.

There will be organ music preceding the Service at a quarter before four.

December 7—Reverend Elbert Floyd-Jones, St. Mary's Church, Cold Spring, New York.  
Wednesday, December 3—12:00 Noon—Chaplain Raymond C. Knox. "The Essential Teachings of Jesus."

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## THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

Editor

MARGARET E. SOBER  
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Notices for THE WEEKLY BULLETIN must be left in the Teachers College Post Office by 5 o'clock P. M., Tuesday. Notices of events should give time, place and date, and must be signed.

### CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

December 1st to December 5th, inclusive

#### Monday—

7:00 P. M.—Signa Alpha Iota Meeting

#### Tuesday—

7:30 P. M.—Chinese Educational Club Meeting

#### Wednesday—

12:00 Noon—Professors Monroe and Kilpatrick Speak  
12:00 Noon—St. Paul's Chapel  
7:30 P. M.—Fashion Show  
7:30 P. M.—Lower Primary Club Bridge

#### Thursday—

12:30 P. M.—Graduate Club Trip to Ellis Island  
1:15 P. M.—Graduate Club Trip to S. S. Bremen  
6:00 P. M.—Prof. Duggan's Radio Talk  
7:00 P. M.—Columbia Evening Dames Trip  
8:00 P. M.—Advisers Club Meeting  
8:00 P. M.—Rural Club Meeting

#### Friday—

8:00 P. M.—Educational Administration Club Meeting

### REGISTRAR'S NOTICES

Monday, December 1st—Last day for filing applications for the Master's degree to be conferred in February, 1931. The degree fee must accompany the application. The privilege of later application may be considered only on payment of a special fee of \$6.00. FILE APPLICATIONS AT REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.

Students who expect to complete requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Science in February, 1931, should file formal application for the conferring of the degree at the Registrar's Office, Room 2, Russell Hall.

Candidates for the Bachelor's or Master's degree who intend to offer six unit course digests or reports in lieu of a two-point course or thesis substitute are reminded that their digests should be filed in the Registrar's Office within two weeks after the close of each unit.

### UNIT COURSE ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Unit Courses Beginning in December and January

**U133c—Teaching of health and physical education in the elementary school.** Professor Wood. M. and W. at 11, Dec. 8-Jan. 19. Room 211 T. C. Main Hall.

**U151c—Mental and social aspects of child development.** M., 7:15-9 p. m., Dec. 8-Jan. 19. Room 301 T. C. Main Hall.

Dec. 8, 15, Jan. 5—Mental development of the young child. Miss Rust.

Jan. 12—Social development of the young child. Mrs. Fisher.

Jan. 19—Mental hygiene of childhood. Speaker to be announced.

**U163c (Geog. 163A)—Raw material of clothing and shelter.** Mr. Stull. Tu. and Th. at 3:10, Dec. 9-Jan. 20. Room 418 T. C. Main Hall.

**U191h—Florence Nightingale and the beginnings of modern professional nursing.** Half-unit. Professor Stewart. Tu. and Th. at 3:10, Jan. 6-20. Room 119 Macy Hall.

**U227c (Ed. 227U)—Organization and administration of normal schools and teachers colleges.** Professor Evenden. W., 2:10-4, Dec. 10-Jan. 14. Room 232 Macy Hall.

**U235c (Ed. 235U)—Extra-curricular activities (secondary school).** Professor Fretwell. M. and W. at 1:10, Dec. 8-Jan. 19. Room 179 Annex.

**U235Ed (Ed. 235E)—Teaching of health and physical education (secondary school).** Professor Wood. Tu. and Th. at 2:10. *This unit, announced for the period Nov. 18-Dec. 2, is postponed to Dec. 9-18.* Room 179 Annex. Half-unit.

**U235Ee—Teaching of mathematics (secondary school).** Professor Reeve. Tu. and Th. at 2:10. *This unit, announced for the period Dec. 4-18, has been given Nov. 18-Dec. 4.*

**U235 Ef (Ed. 235E)—Teaching of music and fine arts (secondary school).** Professor Dykema and Miss Boas. Tu. and Th. at 2:10, Jan. 6-20. Room 179 Annex. Half-unit.

**U245c (Ed. 245U)—The one-teacher school.** Professor Dunn. M., 7:30-9:20 p. m., Dec. 8-Jan. 19. Room 278 Annex.

### PH.D. NOTES

The following dissertations have been accepted and copies will soon be on file in the Teachers College Library:

Mr. Edward C. Class—Prescription and Election in Elementary School Teacher Training Curricula in State Teachers Colleges.

Miss Myrtle B. McGraw—A Comparative Study of a Group of Southern White and Negro Infants.

Mr. Paul A. Witty—A Study of Deviates in Versatility and Sociability of Play Interest

The following dissertation has been published and the Ph.D. degree awarded:

Dr. Dorothy Seers Ainsworth—The History of Physical Education in Colleges for Women. Published by Harcourt, Brace and Co., New York City.

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Teachers College Fund

Memorandum of visit by Mr. Wannamaker — Dec. 3. 1930.

Knowing from the publicity material published by the committee in charge that the project of the Department of Education at Lingnan University would be presented at the midday of December 3, Mr. Wannamaker telephoned Professor Monroe asking that he kindly introduce Mr. Wannamaker to the student leaders in order that he might get into personal touch and be of any practicable assistance. I went to Professor Monroe's office. The latter had asked Miss Sober, Secretary of Student Activities, to gather a few of the student leaders to meet Mr. Wannamaker. He, Miss Sober, Mr. Shoemaker and Mr. Bigford had a very pleasant brief conversation before time to go to the chapel. Mr. Wannamaker suggested indirectly to Miss Sober that we usually find it helpful to have some actual representative of the University share in presenting the project at such meetings. Miss Sober explained that this had been deliberately avoided this year because the extreme financial depression seemed to make it desirable to avoid any appearance of a strenuous financial drive.

At the chapel Mr. Bigford presided and introduced Professor Monroe and Professor Kilpatrick. Each of these gentlemen spoke extremely well and interestingly, the former about the natural process whereby institutions reproduce themselves as illustrated in history of American universities and otherwise, and then spoke very warmly about Lingnan, its place in China, and the great value of having Teachers College cooperating with Lingnan. He expressed the feeling that Teachers College was deriving more value than it was giving. Professor Kilpatrick attached his remarks very nicely to those of Professor Monroe's, and spoke with emphatic approval of Lingnan University as he had seen it. He emphasized the personality of Y. K. Chu even more than that of Rankin.

Mr. Wannamaker was invited to occupy the remaining 5 minutes. He spoke very briefly expressing appreciation and emphasizing the value of the vital connection between the two institutions.

After the meeting Mr. Wannamaker invited Mr. Shoemaker and Mr. Bigford to lunch.

The great difficulty of expanding and developing this connection lies in the fact that the student body at Teachers College changes every year, probably to the extent of 75%.

Recommendation:

Investigate the possibility of having an electric advertising device at Teachers College ( Penn State, Williams, Manhattan, Kansas, University of Pittsburgh) for two or three weeks before the campus collection. This should show pictures and brief statements representative of Lingnan University, so as to pervade the consciousness of the student and faculty groups. Only a very small number would come to the public gathering and thus hear about the institution.

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OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

January 20, 1931

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Mr. Olin D. Wanamaker  
150-Fifth Ave  
New York City

My dear Mr. Wanamaker

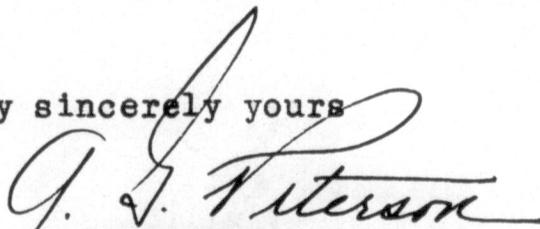
The drive for Lingnan University as has been carried on by the students and faculty of Teachers College, Columbia University, has been completed for the year 1930-31. The amount collected will be forwarded to you within a few weeks.

I am interested in securing, if possible, the amounts collected each year by Teachers College since the drive was initiated, as well as the total amount which is now in the sinking fund.

Thanking you for this information,

I am

Very sincerely yours



A.G. Peterson  
President of the Student  
Council

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January 21, 1931.

Mr. A. G. Peterson,  
President of the Student Council,  
Teachers College,  
Columbia University,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Peterson:-

In Mr. Wannamaker's absence I am acknowledging receipt of your letter of January 20. Mr. Wannamaker will be very glad to know that the amount which you have collected for Lingnan this year will be sent to us very shortly. Have you any idea how much this will amount to?

In response to your request we have prepared a statement showing the amounts received to date from Teachers College Campus Chest drives, both from the endowment fund and as contributions toward the salary of the professor of Education. I believe this statement will give you all the information you require.

Cordially yours,

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Assistant Secretary

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January 21, 1931.

ENDOWMENT FUND

1925 -	\$ 800.00
1926 -	872.56
1927 -	433.03
1928 -	275.00
1929 -	450.15
1930 -	<u>522.04</u>
	3,152.78
Accrued interest	<u>514.35</u>
Total -	\$3,667.13

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SALARY OF PROFESSOR

1914 -	425.00
1915 -	750.00
1916 - 1925 in-	
clusive \$800 per annum	
2/18/26	900.00
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February 5, 1932.

Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker,  
Trustees Lingnan University,  
150 Fifth Avenue,  
New York City.

My dear Mr. Wannamaker,

Dean Russell has given us the photograph  
you so kindly sent him of Dr. Monroe on the campus of Lingnan  
University last year. I know it will be a pleasant surprise  
to Dr. Monroe when he returns to see it in his office where I  
have hung it, and that he will want to thank you also.

Very truly yours,

*Mary Regan*  
Secretary to Dr. Monroe.

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*This refers to the  
enlargement - which was not  
intended for Dr. Monroe's office  
but for exhibition where all students  
would see. Dr. Monroe received a  
copy of the photograph framed, some  
time ago.*

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OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

February 3, 1931.

Mr. O. D. Wanamaker  
Trustees Lingnan Univ.  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

My dear Mr. Wanamaker:

The final contribution to the College Christmas Chest Fund at Teachers College was received today. Therefore, I am sending you the check for the total amount of \$807.70. We regret that our contribution this year is less than usual. Is there some way whereby the deficit can be made up from the endowment fund?

We thank you for the statement showing the amounts received from the College Christmas Chest Drives and we hope that our delay in sending you the check has not inconvenienced you.

Very truly yours,

*Margaret E. Sober*

Margaret E. Sober  
Executive Secretary  
Student Organizations

*Enter this on card  
as for "Ranchin support"*

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February 7, 1931.

Miss Margaret E. Sober, Executive Secretary  
Student Organizations  
Teachers College, Columbia University  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Miss Sober:

We are deeply grateful to our friends of Teachers College for the generous assistance represented in your check for \$807.70. We are not in the least surprised that the gift for the present year is less than you hoped for. Conditions now prevailing have increased the difficulties of all organizations dependent upon voluntary contributions.

Rather than take anything from the endowment fund to make up the shortage for the present year, I prefer to make some arrangement out of the small special reserve fund of the University. The Teachers College endowment fund ought not to be reduced. Perhaps, with all the good will and energy at Teachers College this shortage can be made up in the course of the next year or two, and we may in a few years have the nucleus of the endowment for the chair sufficiently large to make an appeal to a few prosperous alumni of Teachers College to add the necessary amount to complete the endowment. That would give so much encouragement to the undergraduates when they are approached from year to year, that I think the difficulties of raising the annual gift for continuing the share of Teachers College in Lingnan University would be greatly reduced. Nothing succeeds like success. We are trying in the same way at this time to raise a considerable partial endowment fund among the alumni of Princeton University for a smaller project in China with the assurance that such an endowment fund serves as a magnet to draw gifts both from the alumni and the undergraduates.

With renewed thanks, I am

Cordially yours,

Olin D. Wannamaker  
American Director

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February 10, 1932

Professor Benjamin R. Andrews  
Teachers College, New York City

Dear Professor Andrews:-

I believe you have had it in your very generous heart to try to arrange some sort of gathering of friends of Lingnan at Teachers College, about this time, to meet Mrs. Hoh Yam-Tong. We shall be very grateful if you can carry out this generous idea.

I have wondered whether it would be well to include Lingnan University alumni in the invitation, but I incline to think it would be better not to do so, but to invite no other Chinese except Mr. and Mrs. Hoh. My reason for this opinion is that while conditions are so tragically distressing to the Chinese, differences of opinion become most intense, and any Chinese is very reluctant now to speak in the presence of others about what is happening in China. We should have a much more satisfactory meeting, I believe, if Mrs. Hoh knows that what she says to us is not being listened to with possible critical disapproval by some Chinese present.

If we can cooperate, please let us know.

With sincere appreciation,

Cordially yours,

American Director

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TEACHERS COLLEGE  
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OFFICE OF THE PROVOST

February 18, 1931

Provost James M. Henry  
Lingnan University  
Care of Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

My dear Provost Henry:

I have just been informed that you are in the city and should be very happy to meet you and discuss with you the Christmas offering which the students of Teachers College have been sending to Lingnan University. I shall be in Detroit until Friday of next week, but am wondering if you would be available for a conference during the first week of March - possibly at three-thirty on Monday or Wednesday. If these hours are not convenient for you I should be very glad to have you set another time.

Sincerely yours,

*M.C. Del Manzo*  
M.C. Del Manzo

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# THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

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## CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

February 27th to March 4th, inclusive

### Sunday—

11:00 A.M.—St. Paul's Chapel  
6:00 P.M.—Graduate Club Coffee-Hour

### Monday—

8:00 P.M.—Lecture on Modern Architecture  
9:00 P.M.—Graduate Club Dance

### Tuesday—

4:00 P.M.—Lower Primary Club Trip  
8:00 P.M.—Lecture by Professor E. de S. Brunner  
8:00 P.M.—Rural Club Meeting

### Wednesday—

12:00 Noon—College Chapel  
12:30 P.M.—Music Education Convocation  
2:30 P.M.—Columbia Dames Meeting  
4:10 P.M.—Lecture by Dr. Hornell Hart  
6:30 P.M.—Phi Delta Kappa Meeting  
John Jay Hall  
8:00 P.M.—Race Relations Lecture

### Thursday—

12:00 Noon—St. Paul's Chapel  
8:00 P.M.—Columbia Evening Dames Meeting  
8:15 P.M.—Speech Club Poetry Reading Recital

### Friday—

6:30 P.M.—Kappa Delta Pi Initiation Dinner Meeting  
8:00 P.M.—Conference—Museum of Modern Art  
8:00 P.M.—History of Nursing Society Meeting, Women's Faculty Room, 237 Macy Hall

## ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL

Columbia University

Services on Sunday in St. Paul's Chapel will be held at eleven o'clock in the morning.

February 28—Reverend Percy G. Kammerer, Ph.D., Provost, Avon School, Connecticut.

## COLLEGE CHAPEL

Milbank Chapel

Speaker—Mrs. Daisy Law Hoh of Lingnan University, Canton, China

Wednesday, March 2, 12:00-12:45

Subject—"Women's Education in China"

Professor Kilpatrick presiding

Mrs. Daisy Law Hoh, graduate of Lingnan University, and head of a large primary school in Canton, is at present a student in Teachers College. Mrs. Hoh and her husband, Mr. Yam Tong Hoh, who is also a student in Teachers College, are both connected with Lingnan University, with which many members of the Teachers College staff and student body have long had ties of professional interest.

## RACE RELATIONS LECTURE

Mr. Leo M. Favrot to Speak

Mr. Leo M. Favrot, Field Agent of the General Education Board, will be the next speaker in the Race Relations series meeting in Horace Mann Auditorium Wednesday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Favrot will discuss "School Provision for Negro Children," a topic on which all school administrators, supervisors and teachers should be generally informed, white as well as colored.

Director Paul R. Mort will introduce Mr. Favrot. Open meeting; all welcome.

## CONTEMPORARY EDUCATION MOVEMENTS ABROAD

Horace Mann Auditorium

Tuesday, March 1 at 8:00 P.M.—Social and Educational Unrest in Korea, by Professor Edmund de S. Brunner.

Tuesday, March 8 at 8:00 P.M.—Educational Progress in Music, by Moises Saenz.

## LECTURE

### "MODERN ARCHITECTURE"

by

**Professor Henry-Russell Hitchcock, Jr.**

Under the Auspices of the Museum of Modern Art

HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29th

8:00 P.M.

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### UNIT COURSE ANNOUNCEMENTS

For full schedule of Unit Courses for 1931-32 see pp. 51-57 of the Teachers College Announcement; for regulations governing Unit Courses, pp. 19-20.

Unit Courses are also listed under the appropriate hours in the Hour Schedule, pp. 264-282.

For the revised schedule of Unit Courses for the Spring Session, consult the Weekly Bulletin of January 30, 1932.

Page numbers refer to the Teachers College Announcement.

#### Unit Course Schedule for March

**U116Eb**—The organization and administration of the various types of parent-teacher associations. Mrs. Watkins. F. 7:20-9 P.M., Mar. 11-Apr. 15. 330 Macy. (Part of Education 116E, p. 42.)

**U130a**—School health administration. Professor Brownell. Tu. 4:10-6, Mar. 1-29. 103 Dodge.

**U134b**—Teaching of elementary school science. Professor Craig. M. W. 11, Mar. 14-Apr. 18. 211 T. C.

**U146b**—Negro education and race relations. Part II. Professor Carney and special lecturers. W. 7:45-9:20 P.M., Mar. 16-Apr. 13. Horace Mann Auditorium.

**U152b**—The nursery school in relation to child development and parent education. M. 7:15-9 P.M., Mar. 21-Apr. 25. 301 T. C.

Mar. 21—A day in the nursery school. Miss Langdon.

Apr. 4—Equipment and play materials as used by the young child. Miss Heinig.

Apr. 11—The beginnings of music, art and literature as observed in the nursery school. Miss Walker.

Apr. 18—Educational techniques used in the nursery school (eating, sleeping, toilet, etc.). Miss Langdon.

Apr. 25—Integrating the child's program in the nursery school and the home. Miss Heinig.

**U164b**—Fundamentals of manufacturing. Mr. Stull. Tu. Th. 3:10, Mar. 10-Apr. 12. 418 T. C. (Part of Geography 163A-164A, p. 151.)

**U192b**—Professional publications and publicity. Half-unit. Miss Mary Roberts and Miss Dorothy Deming. M. 7:45-9 P.M., Mar. 14-Apr. 11. 125 Macy. (Nursing Education.)

**U192e**—Recent developments in European nursing. Miss Christianne Reimann (Secretary International Council of Nurses and Visiting Lecturer, Teachers College). Thursday, 7:45-9:30 P.M., Mar. 3, 10, 17, 31, and Wednesday, March 23. 130 Macy.

**U196e**—Resistance to disease. Professor Broadhurst. W. 7-8:40 P.M., Mar. 2-Apr. 13. 418 T. C.

**U206f**—The village and its relation to farm and city (p. 57). This unit, announced for Tu. at 5:10, Mar. 1-May 3, is withdrawn.

**U222a**—Statistical techniques (p. 55). This unit, announced for Tu. 7:30-9:15 P.M., Mar. 1-29, is withdrawn.

**U222b**—Introduction to statistical method. Professor Walker. F. 7:30-9:15 P.M., Mar. 11-Apr. 15. 327 Macy.

**U224b**—Vocational guidance for the deafened. Professor Kitson and special lecturers. Tu. 4:10-6. Mar. 15-Apr. 12. 330 Macy.

**U228b**—Organization and administration of normal schools and teachers colleges. Professor Evenden. W. 2:10-4, Mar. 9-Apr. 6. 232 Macy. (Part of Education 227U-228U, p. 81.)

**U234a**—Visual instruction in elementary schools (p. 51). Will be given M. W. 1:10, Apr. 4-May 4, instead of Feb. 29-Apr. 4.

**U236b**—High school administration. Professor Kefauver. M. W. 1:10, Mar. 9-Apr. 11. 179 Annex. (Part of Education 235U-236U, p. 101.)

**U236Ec**—Teaching of household arts (secondary school). Half-unit. Professor Cooley. Tu. Th. 2:10, Mar. 10-29. 179 Annex. (Part of Education 235E-236E, p. 99.)

**U236Ed**—Teaching of health and physical education (secondary school). Half-unit. Professor Williams. Tu. Th. 2:10, Mar. 31-Apr. 14. 179 Annex. (Part of Education 235E-236E, p. 99.)

**U244Fa**—The purpose and scope of Catholic education. Father Kelly. Tu. Th. 10-11:50, Mar. 1-15. 103 Dodge. (Part of Education 244F, p. 126.)

**U246b**—The rural high school. Professor Carney and others. M. 7:30-9:20 P.M., Mar. 14-Apr. 11. 275 Annex. (Part of Education 245U-246U, p. 104.)

**U253b**—The public school in adult education (p. 107). This unit, announced for Th. 7-8:40 P.M., Mar. 10-Apr. 14, is withdrawn.

#### New Unit Course

**U197b**—Radio in the classroom. Miss Margaret Harrison. Tu. 7:15-9 P.M., Mar. 8-Apr. 5. 117 T. C. (Note change of room.)

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March 4, 1932

Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker  
Chinese Cultural and Economic Institute  
National Council  
150 Fifth Avenue, New York City

My dear Mr. Wannamaker:

Possibly some one sent you a circular of the meeting held on Wednesday in our Chapel at which Mrs. Daisy Hoh spoke on Women's Education in China. There was a goodly group present, more than I had expected to see out, and I thought that you would like to know how well she succeeded. So far as I could tell she made a distinct success. The group was highly pleased and a large number came forward at the end to express their personal appreciation. I have myself in times past talked on Lignan and the general situation in China, but I was made to feel that this sort of presentation, at any rate, interested people more than what I could say.

With best wishes in connection,

I am

Very cordially yours,

*Wm. H. Kilpatrick*

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from O.D.W.

Memorandum - Teachers College

On March 3rd, J.M.H. saw Provost Del Manzo of Teachers College, at the latter's request. Dr. Del Manzo had invited two of the members of the Teachers College Student Council in, so as to have a discussion with regard to Teachers College assistance to Lingnan University.

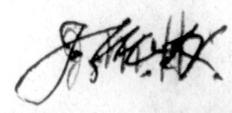
Dr. Del Manzo stated that a great many questions had arisen as to whether this should be continued at all. The general idea was that it had begun in the early days when Teachers College was a good deal of an undergraduate affair. In recent years Teachers College has become almost exclusively a Graduate School, with many of its students spending not more than a semester there, so that anything comparable to an undergraduate "student generation" was not to be found. This situation made it difficult for any organized activity on the part of the student body. Dr. Del Manzo's impression was that the money secured for the last few years has been largely by gifts from the faculty, with a very small percentage of student contributions, the great bulk of students knowing practically nothing of Lingnan. These remarks were to some extent confirmed by the members of the Student Council.

J.M.H. replied that doubtless the Lingnan organization was as much at fault as anybody for not making more serious and sustained efforts toward needed publicity at Teachers College; stated that we had some thoughts of suggesting the installation of a series of colored lantern slides and that we also hoped, beginning with next year, to have interesting movie reels available; stated in reply to a definite question as to whether the Teachers College money was needed at Lingnan, that it was very much needed; if the contributions ceased, this money would have to be made up with difficulty from other sources. In addition to the actual help of this money, the moral value of Teachers College being interested was very great. Stated further that if we could find means of combining all the gifts from Teachers College sources each year, a much larger total would be reached, and further, that if a wider publicity and more serious interest could be aroused, a movement more commensurate with the dignity of Teachers College might result.

Very pleasant feeling was shown all through the discussion. The net result was that a special meeting of the Student Council was decided on, at which time they would ask J.M.H. to be present and put the whole matter up to the Student Council.

Since then J.M.H. has been informed that there will be a meeting on Monday, March 23rd, at Teachers College, at 4:30, at which Prof. Andrews of Teachers College will "discuss the history of the Lingnan University Endowment Fund at Teachers College", after which J.M.H. will be asked to discuss the situation as it concerns Lingnan University. After this the students will be given an opportunity of asking questions.

J.M.H. is trying to arrange for Vice-President Y.L. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Hoh to attend the meeting. He would suggest that O.D.W. might find it worth while to come also.



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Cops to Mrs Hoh & to  
Dr Henry

Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York

March 2nd, 1932.

Mr. O. D. Wannamaker  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City.

Dear Mr. Wannamaker:

My thoughts concerning Teachers College connections with Lingnam University have been taking an optimistic turn of late. Today I heard Mrs. Daisy L. Hoh speak for a half hour on the subject, "Women's Education in China". Her clever presentation, assisted by a map, brought clearly to the minds of the audience the strategic position of Lingnam and the great importance of its work. The whole gathering seemed to be permeated with an absorbing interest and many gathered around the speaker to get further comments from her.

As I listened to Mrs. Hoh's speech, I was impressed by the wonderful difference between her presentation and the past speeches which centered mainly on raising money. The point is when any group of people or any institution becomes primarily enthusiastic about an object needing support, they can, in a subtle way, be brought to contribute to a greater extent, I believe, than when they are approached primarily on a financial basis.

Recently I have talked with Mr. Cyr, President of the Students Council, and he and I both thought that an opportunity may present itself soon to establish a better connection with Lingnam which will develop not only keen interest, but also substantial financial support. I personally should be pleased to see this materialize. However, should it again develop into merely a program of big American noise to raise shekels, I would once more be against it. As I recall our discussion of last year, you were considerably in sympathy with this point of view. Your liberalness in that respect excited my admiration.

No doubt you are having increasing difficulty with your work this year due to the well known depression. I sincerely hope, however, that you are meeting with some fair measure of success.

Very truly yours,

*Ward Shoemaker*

Ward A. Shoemaker

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Copies to Dr. Henry & Mrs. Hoh

March 3, 1932

Mr. Ward A. Shoemaker  
Teachers College  
Columbia University, New York

Dear Mr. Shoemaker:-

You were most thoughtful to write me such a generous letter after hearing Mrs. Hoh at chapel. I knew she would make a fine impression for she has done this on many occasions in the last few months where she has spoken about some aspect of present-day China. I only wish we could always have a Chinese visitor from the College to constitute the means of introducing it to new friends in America and to keep our old friends up to date.

I am greatly encouraged by what you say of your thought that it may be possible to establish a lasting tie between Lingnan and Teachers College. We value such a tie in the highest degree, and shall be very happy if it can be made permanent. I feel that to make the tie permanent it will be necessary to have several members of the faculty, who are deeply interested, as members of a permanent committee, the rest of the members being ex officio as officers of the Students Council. I wonder whether you would feel free to talk this over with Dr. Andrews, who is one of our very best friends, and perhaps with Dr. Kilpatrick and Dr. David Eugene Smith. We now have so many ties between the two institutions that I cannot resist the impression that something ought to be developed just as lasting as the tie with Penn State, which is the best thing of the kind we have.

With renewed appreciation, I remain

Cordially yours,

American Director

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March 5th, 1932.

Mr. O. D. Wannamaker  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City.

Dear Mr. Wannamaker:

You and I are in a like position concerning the possible tie between Lingnan and Teachers College. The problem seems to be a polished sphere and we are revolving it about in an endeavor to detect some kind of handle or thumb hole which will enable one to get a hold on it. In the main, I think the connection will have to be a very informal one such as will allow students to be thoroughly acquainted with an established avenue through which funds can be brought to the good work of Lingnan. Basically, students must learn about Lingnan for the educational and inspirational understandings it can give them. They should then realize that it has been a custom, a privilege, and an opportunity for years past for any voluntary contributions to be turned in at a certain place.

I am very enthusiastic about a humanistic movement in a western city. The organization has continued to send me printed matter but said they would not suggest I include them in my budget, since I am a student with limited funds. The result is I sent this organization many times more than I could have afforded to give them had I planned for them in my budget.

My sojourn at Teachers College may be for only a month or two more. My dissertation is taking all possible time and effort. It seems, therefore, that I would not be a very effective person for very active work with interested individuals such as Dr. Andrews, Dr. Kilpatrick, and Dr. Smith. I have ideas which I would be glad to discuss with any one concerned in bettering the relationship with Lingnan, but beyond discussion, I am forced into a position of relative ineffectiveness.

Very truly yours,

*Ward Shoemaker*

Ward A. Shoemaker

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March 7, 1932

Professor Benjamin R. Andrews  
Teachers College, New York.

Dear Professor Andrews:-

You will note from the enclosed specimen letter-head that we have been developing an organization known as "Friends of Lingnan." We now have three chapters and can create several others as soon as we organize the interested persons. We shall have a very strong new chapter at Penn State as soon as we organize it in this way.

I am sure that conditions are now favorable at Teachers College to create a chapter there. I have had several letters recently from one of your candidates for the doctors degree about this matter, and he refers to interesting conversations between him and the Head of the Student Association. You have been most generous of your time and I do not wish to impose upon you, but I should value greatly an opportunity to discuss this matter with you and several other interested members of the faculty, together with the Head of the Student Association and Mr. Ward Shoemaker, a candidate for the doctors degree. I should like to include also Professor Rankin of our faculty. I wonder whether we could have a small private dining-room there in your building, and let me be the host at such a luncheon conference. I should be happy to have you suggest the members of the faculty who ought to be invited. I should include, of course, Professor Kilpatrick, Dr. Del Manzo, Dr. David Eugene Smith, Dean Russell, and Miss Daniell.

I am sure that any organization of this kind at a college must have as its stable element members of the faculty rather than students. With such a faculty basis the thing dissolves away after a few years in spite of every effort one can make. There are, however, such strong bonds already existing between Lingnan and Teachers College that I think it would be a great pity not to strengthen them still further. Although my interest is necessarily centered upon Lingnan in this matter, I believe Teachers College would, after all, derive an equal benefit in the broadened interest of students and also of younger members of the faculty.

It will not be necessary for you to reply to this note. I will telephone you in a few days and we can talk it over by 'phone.

Cordially yours,

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March 7, 1932

Mr. Ward A. Shoemaker  
Teachers College  
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Shoemaker:-

Thanks for your very friendly letter.

You will note from the enclosed stationery that we have been trying to create an organization to be known as "Friends of Lingnan." We now have three chapters. We have the necessary material for several additional chapters as soon as we organize the persons interested. I should think it ought to be entirely possible to establish a chapter at Teachers College. I should like to have a conference with several members of the faculty regarding this, and to include in the conference, if possible, you as one who will soon be an alumnus of the College, and the Head of the Student Association. I shall try to talk this matter over with Professor Andrews and get him to help me to arrange for a luncheon conference in the near future. If there is to be any stability in an organization of this kind, the predominant element must be permanent and, therefore, must consist of faculty members rather than students. We certainly have a splendid group at Teachers College to constitute this faculty element of such an organization. I should like to have it expand out among the alumni, and perhaps we could discover a sufficient number of recent graduates interested in Lingnan to constitute alumni members on the committee of such an organization.

When I can get the arrangements nearer completion I will ask you to attend the conference.

Cordially yours,

American Director

Enclosure

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Teachers College

Columbia University

New York

March 7th, 1932

Mr. Olin Wanamaker  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Mr. Wanamaker:

We had a very successful meeting in the College Chapel on Wednesday, addressed by Mrs. Daisy Hoh. Her address was well prepared and well presented. Our Professor Reeve told me afterward that any American college student would be proud to be able to make as good an address as Mrs. Hoh made. It concerned woman's education in China and gave an historical presentation of the situation as well as an analysis of the present conditions. Lingnan University is to be congratulated on having so effective a representative.

Professor Kilpatrick made an introductory statement which helped to put the whole situation before a good sized audience.

A committee of members of the faculty set out in advance of the meeting an invitation to all members of the staff to attend, signing ourselves, "Friends of Lingnan". As you know, no campaign for money is to be made this year at the College.

The whole situation however is one in which you will be interested to follow up in your usual canvasses from the office downtown.

Cordially yours

*Benjamin R. Andrews*

Benjamin R. Andrews  
Professor of Household  
Economics

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You letter is received -  
I am dictating a list of names of the  
one staff who issued the call to  
Hoh meeting They signed as "friends of L"

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Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York

March 9th 1932

Mr. Olin D. Wanamaker  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Mr. Wanamaker:

I have your letter.

In considering the group here at the College, it would be well to include the following who signed the recent letter for the meeting at which Mrs. Hoh spoke: Dr. David Eugene Smith, Dr. William H. Kilpatrick, Dr. William D. Reeve, Dr. Harold F. Clark, Dr. Frank M. McMurry, whose address is Park Hill, Yonkers, Professor Isabel M. Stewart, and Professor Sarah M. Sturtevant.

*and*  
*Donald G. Tenk*  
I am interested in your letter and will be glad to go further with the plans.

Sincerely yours,

*B R Andrews*

Benjamin R. Andrews  
Professor of Household  
Economics

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You must count as you know on the psychology of the interruption <sup>to</sup> the old plan. <sup>good</sup> Would not a follow up this year be a circular on the College sent to the staff by your office. The above <sup>is</sup> given

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Sent a letter to the Staff  
giving the Trustees' address  
& saying "Contributors will  
of course be welcome at  
the office of the Trustees"

Mr Rankin suggested & I  
think rightly that we  
could not well ask the Dean  
or Provost to sign our letter  
as "Friend of L."

Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York

March 10th, 1931

Dr. Henry, Provost  
Lingnam University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Dr. Henry:

I have been asked to make a statement of the history of the relationship between Teachers College and Lingnam, particularly as regards the contribution made by the students. The matter will come up before the Student Council, as you may have heard, a week from next Monday.

Can you give me a statement of the date of the first contribution and amount of money which has been contributed yearly by the students down to the present?

Also have you a partial list, at least, of other enterprises in China or elsewhere in the field of college education, which are supported by American college groups, Yale, Oberlin, Pennsylvania State, etc?

Sincerely yours,

*B. R. Andrews*

Benjamin R. Andrews  
Professor of Household  
Economics

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March 10, 1932

Professor Benjamin R. Andrews  
Teachers College, New York, N.Y.

Dear Professor Andrews:-

Thank you for your letter with its very welcome commendation of Mrs. Hoh's talk in chapel.

Referring to my letter, which you acknowledged in your postscript, I do not wish under any circumstances to press for a renewal of the form of solicitation which used to be carried on at Teachers College. I leave entirely to your own judgment the question as to whether it would be well for you and me to talk over the best mode of relationship between the two institutions now or, perhaps, just after Mrs. Hoh speaks before the Women's Graduate Club of Columbia University, on March 16th. A number of Teachers College friends are invited to that meeting, and perhaps we could discuss this question more successfully after they have heard Mrs. Hoh on that occasion.

I will telephone you in due course and ask for an appointment.

Cordially yours,

American Director

✓ Copy for Dr. Henry *sent*

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OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

March 11, 1931.

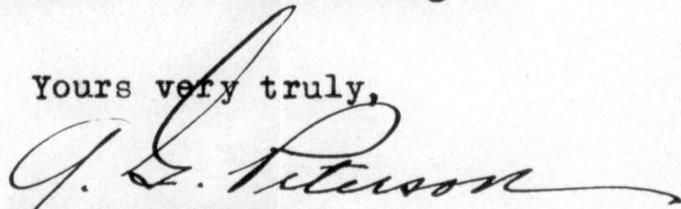
Dr. Henry  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Dr. Henry:

As a result of a meeting held by the Student Council, we have set the date for the purposes of discussing and disseminating information about Lingnan University on March 23rd at 4:30.

We hope that this will be satisfactory to you. I will give you more detailed information relative to the organization of the meeting as early as possible.

Yours very truly,



A. G. Peterson  
President  
Student Council

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Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York

OFFICE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

March 16, 1931.

Dr. James M. Henry  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

My dear Dr. Henry:

Our meeting for next Monday afternoon  
will be somewhat as follows:

Tea from 4:30 to 5:00

Dr. Andrews of Teachers College will  
discuss the history of the Lingnan  
University Endowment Fund at Teachers  
College.

At this point will you discuss the  
situation as it concerns Lingnan  
University.

After your discussion the students  
will be given the opportunity of asking questions.  
Having the Chinese students, whom you mentioned,  
will be of great help in putting the problem before  
the group.

I hope that the flu has left you by  
this time and that you are enjoying the best of  
health.

Very sincerely yours,



A. G. Peterson  
President  
Student Council

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March 18, 1931

Professor Benjamin R. Andrews,  
Teachers College,  
Columbia University,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Andrews:

I am sorry that you have had to wait so long for the information asked for in your letter of March 10th. So far as I can find out from our records, the first contribution from Teachers College to Canton Christian College was made in June, 1914, and was \$425.00, continuing, according to our records, as follows:-

1915	-	\$750.00	-	Support, Prof. H.B.Graybill
1916 to	-			
1924, incl.-	-	800.00	(Annually)	" " " "
1925	-	800.00	-	" " " "
"	-	100.00	-	Special equipment for Prof. Graybill
"	-	800.00	-	Beginning of Endowment Fund for Professorship of Education
1926	-	900.00	-	Support, Prof. Graybill
"	-	872.56	-	Endowment
1927	-	900.00	-	Support, Prof. Rankin
"	-	433.03	-	Endowment
1927/28	-	900.00	-	Support, Prof. Rankin
"	-	275.00	-	Endowment
1928/29	-	900.00	-	Support of Prof. Rankin
"	-	450.15	-	Endowment
1929/30	-	900.00	-	Support, Prof. Rankin
"	-	322.04	-	Endowment
1930/31	-	807.70	-	Support, Prof. Rankin

You will see by this that from the beginning in 1914, the amount ran up shortly to \$800.00 a year, at which figure it was kept until 1924/25. At that time, as I remember it, we made a special effort to increase the amount, suggesting the idea that anything over \$900.00 go toward endowment, with the

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result that in 1925 and 1926 the largest sums were raised. Since then there has been somewhat of a decline.

We have on hand something over \$3,000 as the beginning of an endowment fund.

With regard to other similar enterprises in China, I cannot give you exact details but believe that without question the most important are those supported by Yale, Princeton, the University of Pennsylvania, Oberlin, and Cornell, the sums involved in these ranging from \$20,000 to \$50,000 a year. In addition, as for instance in our own case, there are Pennsylvania State College, University of Pittsburgh, Williams College, and Kansas State Agricultural College, which provide anywhere from \$150.00 to \$4,000 or \$5,000 a year. Grinnell College supports a movement in China, Dartmouth has a high school where it partially maintains a man, while Smith College has adopted Ginling as its sister college. There probably are a dozen others, if one could get the complete list.

Hoping this will give you something of the information you want, and also that you will not hesitate to ring me up in case there is more information you think I can give, I am,

Cordially yours,

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James M. Henry,  
Provost

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Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York

May 9th, 1932

Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker  
Lingnan University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Mr. Wannamaker:

I believe it would be well to follow up the Teachers College situation by sending a circular of information about Lingnan with blanks affording an opportunity to contribute to members of our staff and to do it in the name of the Trustees of the University for the present spring. Then arrange next year the organization of "Friends of Lingnan" at Teachers College.

All members of our staff received the invitation to the talk in our Chapel by Mrs. Hoh over the signatures of six or eight of us as friends of Lingnan.

The circular could go out now or be timed to reach people June 1st. Some of the staff would be gone then, however, so that an immediate appeal seems desirable.

Cordially yours,

*Benjamin R. Andrews*

Benjamin R. Andrews  
Professor of Household  
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*about 750 copies of  
"letter folder" - without letter  
are still on hand*

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May 10, 1932

Professor Benjamin R. Andrews  
Teachers College, New York

Dear Professor Andrews:-

Thank you for your letter of May 9th. I am immediately sending an appeal to the members of the Teachers College faculty. We shall certainly be grateful for whatever they can do since we have never faced greater difficulty in keeping our work alive. After having cut the budget approximately 25% we are still in need of some \$10,000 to meet our absolutely necessary expenditures for the fiscal year beginning July 1st.

We shall be deeply grateful for whatever contribution you can pledge for the new year.

With grateful appreciation of your personal interest in this whole matter, I remain

Sincerely yours,

American Director

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May 25, 1932

Professor Benjamin R. Andrews  
Teachers College,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Professor Andrews:

We wish to send to the faculty of Teachers College a letter typed on the back of a photograph showing Professor Paul Monroe as he was received by Teachers College alumni at Lingnan University. We have the picture prepared on thin cardboard, and with a Chinese cord to hang on the wall, thinking that a good many of the teachers might be interested - at least temporarily - in retaining it.

I hesitate to send these through the mail because I think the pictures will be in most cases slightly crumpled and spoiled. If we deliver the entire package, each picture in its own envelope and addressed to the individual teacher, could you have these placed in the letter-boxes at Teachers College?

Since it is so late in the season I shall be grateful if you will either write immediately or telephone whether this is a practicable plan.

Thanking you for your friendly cooperation in this detail, I remain

Sincerely yours,

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HORACE MANN SCHOOL FOR BOYS  
231 WEST 246<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK CITY

June 3, 1932.

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

Mr. Olin D. Wanamaker,  
150 Fifth Avenue,  
New York, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Wanamaker:

I have been greatly interested to receive your letter with the accompanying photograph of the faculty of Lingnan University. Our interest here at the Horace Mann School for Boys is a little the greater because of the fact that Professor Rankin was for one year a member of our Department of English.

I wish it were possible for me to be of some financial assistance, but right now I regret to say that I cannot give any such help. I shall, however, keep the needs of the University in mind, and possibly may, either myself or through friends, be of some assistance at another time.

Yours very truly,

*Charles C. Tillingham*

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Tillinghast is Prof. of  
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June 4, 1932

Professor Charles C. Tillinghast  
Horace Mann School for Boys  
231 West 246th Street, New York City

Dear Professor Tillinghast:-

Thank you heartily for taking the trouble to reply to my letter. We are always happy to know that educators in this country are acquainted with Lingnan University and friendly toward our effort. I am sure you will help us whenever you find it practicable to do so. In these days it is futile to believe that such institutions as ours can be supported by simply going with hat in hand to the Rockefeller Foundation or ringing the doorbells of a few multimillionaires. No such institution can any longer be supported unless it has a great number of small contributions annually.

The picture we sent you, by the way, was not the faculty of Lingnan as you seem to think. It is a group almost entirely of former Teachers College students who greeted Dr. Monroe on his visit to Lingnan. Not all of them are now connected with our institution. Our entire faculty would be many times as large as this group and would contain many more Americans.

Has it ever occurred to you that it would be a fine element in the education of boys attending school to encourage them as a group to take an interest in some foreign institution. We supply, for instance, several teachers from America to the Middle School at Lingnan. This corresponds to the Horace Mann School for Boys. Graduates from the Middle School either go through Lingnan, or go to some other college in China, unless they go into business. A relatively large number of them finally come to America for advanced and post-graduate work. Would it not be a fine thing to establish a correspondence between our Middle School and your School? And would it not broaden the world vision of your boys if they might annually make a moderate joint contribution to our Middle School?

Professor Rankin, to whom you refer, will be at Teachers College again next autumn. Perhaps he might visit your school and speak to the boys and interest them in this idea. We have various groups of friends in different centers constituting an organization called "Friends of Lingnan." Could we not establish a group at your school including those members of the faculty who might be interested and a group of the students or the entire body of students? We might show lantern slides of the school once a year, or possibly motion pictures. We have

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Professor Tillinghast

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June 4, 1933

had some made and if our young Chinese operator develops enough skill they will eventually be very entertaining.

In any case I shall be grateful for your friendly consideration of this matter.

Sincerely yours,

American Director

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cc to Mr. Rankin  
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TEACHERS COLLEGE  
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NEW YORK

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OFFICE OF THE  
WELFARE DIRECTOR

My dear Mr. Wauwauaker,

On Monday evening, the  
sixth of November, a few of us  
at Teachers College are meeting  
very informally for dinner in  
honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hoh Yau Top,  
and we should be very happy  
to have you join us on that  
occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoh are ex-  
pecting to leave for China on  
Wednesday of next week, I believe,  
and Dr. Benjamin Andrews, who  
is really responsible for this

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occasion, suggested that a number of persons who have been interested in Leipzig University and who are friends of Mr. and Mrs. Holt would be glad to have an opportunity to meet them before they return home.

We are planning a very small dinner at half-past six in Whittier Hall (1230 Amsterdam Avenue) and after dinner a large number of student friends and guests will be asked to have coffee in one of the parlors, and to meet Mr. and Mrs. Holt.

We hope very much that you will find it possible to come on Monday evening.

Sincerely yours,  
Harriet Hayes

October thirty-first 1933

November 2, 1933.

Miss Harriet Hayes,  
Teachers College,  
Columbia University,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Miss Hayes:

Do pardon this hastily dictated note in reply to your most friendly invitation. I sincerely regret that I shall be out of the city and cannot share in the farewell to my very good friends, Mr. and Mrs. Hoh. Indeed, I shall even have to leave this note to be signed by someone else.

Accept the grateful appreciation of our Board of Trustees for your kindness to two Chinese whom we value so highly at our institution.

Sincerely yours,

Olin D. Wannamaker,  
American Director.

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Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York

November 2nd, 1933

To Members of the College Staff:

Mr. and Mrs. Y. T. Hoh of Lingnan University, Canton, are to speak in the Whittier Hall Parlors at 7:30 o'clock, Monday, November 6th, on "Educational Conditions in China and the Contribution of Lingnan".

Many members of Teachers College have long maintained a personal interest in the University at Canton and the undersigned "Friends of Lingnan in Teachers College" invite members of the College Staff to hear this report of progress by Mr. and Mrs. Hoh who are returning to service in the Department of Education at Lingnan.

Sincerely yours,

Benjamin R. Andrews  
Harold F. Clark  
William H. Kilpatrick  
Frank M. McMurry  
William D. Reeve  
David Eugene Smith  
Isabel M. Stewart  
Sarah M. Sturtevant

Friends of Lingnan in Teachers College

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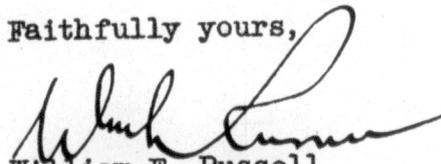
May 21, 1940

Mr. Olin D. Wannamaker  
American Director, Lingnan  
University  
150 Fifth Avenue  
New York City

Dear Mr. Wannamaker:

Please forgive my long delay in responding to your letter of May 2. So far as I know, Teachers College has nothing to do officially with the money that was raised for Lingnan University, and it seems to me that unless there is some legal restriction, you are free to do with it what you want. I am sure that there is nothing on the minutes of the Board of Trustees of Teachers College with regard to this money. Possibly your own minutes would reveal some restriction.

Faithfully yours,

  
William F. Russell

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May 2, 1940.

Dr. William F. Russell  
Dean Teachers College  
Columbia University  
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Dean Russell:

Under present economic conditions, there seems scarcely the least hope that the fund which was gradually accumulated from the gifts of our friends at Teachers College for the ultimate purpose of becoming an endowment for a professorship in education will reach that total for many years to come. I need scarcely tell you how difficult it is to get persons to give money at the present time for any endowment in China. We limit ourselves to obtaining the necessary funds for current operations.

Because of this situation I wish to raise a question for your consideration in reference to the total accumulated in that fund - \$5,211.99.

We have been handling this as one item in our endowment funds, adding to it each year its percentage of the income on all endowment investments. The question I wish to raise is whether it would not seem to be complying completely with the spirit of the matter if this very small endowment item might be combined with another partial endowment fund. This other item to which I refer reached a total of \$20,065.14. The conditions under which that endowment was set up do not require that it should be built up to any particular total. We are permitted to use the earnings on this fund for developing the work for women in our institution. If we should add the small funds derived from friends at Teachers College, the earnings on the two funds combined would enable us to do something very important for the women in the University. We could secure a thoroughly trained and a mature woman to go out to the University as soon as peace is restored and give the proper direction and initial development to the Department of Home Economics, very badly needed at our institution.

Perhaps it might be more completely in keeping with the original intention of our Teachers College friends to keep the small endowment fund separate, but to use the income of that fund to add to the income on the other fund for the purpose mentioned. Under such an arrangement, the possibility

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would always exist that we might be able to obtain a considerable sum and add it to the share of education fund to make a sufficient endowment to support one teacher in education.

I shall appreciate your giving me your reaction to these suggestions.

Sincerely yours,

Olin D. Wannamaker  
American Director

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