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1520 Spruce St.
Philadelphia 1925
Oct. 17

The Peking University Conf. Balt.

Dear Sirs.

Thanks so much for including me on the list of those receiving your communications as to the Chinese situation.

I was very much interested in the leaflet by Dr. Stuart "The American Response to Chinese Opinion."

I gave it to my friend, Dr. Mr. W. Keen, of Philadelphia when I am visiting, and he has asked me if you could possibly spare him ten or a dozen copies for distribution, as

he thinks it the best thing
he has seen.

If you can do so, will you send
it

Dr. W. W. Keen

1520 Spruce St.

Philadelphia.

Yours very sincerely

Mary Hinkley Wearing

Address

11 Fresh Pond Lane

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By

Frank Paul Lane
Cambridge

Nov. 12 1925

Dear Mr. Lewis,

I'm so sorry not to be able to answer your appeal for further funds for Peking University. My heart is surely in deepest sympathy with the movement, but my autumn benevolences have been such that I cannot give any more. I hope you will understand. I am going to repeat what I said the other day on the phone. That my sister, Mrs. Hartshorn, with her daughter, and I, hope to join your party next August for the dedication of the

rex University. Will you send
us from time to time any
data you may have as to
plans. In no way to be
prejudicial of the trip is to
estimate.

Yours sincerely
Mary Hinchley Dean

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11 Fresh Pond Lane
Cambridge

April 6, 1926(?)

Dear Mr. Luce,

Thanks for your note of
April third. Of course my own
disappointment to receive Mr. Lewis'
notice about the postponement
of the trip to Peking, but I
fully realize the impossibility of
going to China now, and so was
prepared for the announcement
from your office. In a recent
letter from Peking my friend
there said that the civil war
had completely tied up shipping

at the University City. which must
be a very real disappointment to
every one concerned. Poor old China.
if only one great and mighty
leader would arise to steer the
ship of state into safe harbor!
I very much fear that we cannot
go with your party next year - this
seemed the propitious year -
but I should be pleased to
know your arrangements as
they shape themselves.

Thanking you for the booklet
which you are sending.

I am yours sincerely

Nary Hinchey Deering

11 FRESH POND LANE
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

Oct. 3rd

Dear Mr. Lee.

As happened last year, so again I fear it must happen this year. I have to pay my yearly promise to Teaching in two installments, \$10.00 this month, and \$15. in January. I am indeed very sorry, but it can't be helped, and I hope it will not inconvenience you.

Thank you very much for sending me the interesting excerpt from Dr. Stuart's letter about the Summer Conference of 1933. I do hope that there will be no further trouble in North China.

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With every good wish for Youching
I am yours sincerely
Mary Hinkley Deane

Dear Mr. Deane
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the purchase of the book on the subject of the history of the city of New York. I have the pleasure to inform you that the book is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for delivery in a few days. I have also the pleasure to inform you that the book is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for delivery in a few days. I have also the pleasure to inform you that the book is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for delivery in a few days.

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" Jack Paul Lane
Cambridge
Dec. 7

Dear Mr. Wamamaker.

I did not need
to be reminded of my pledge,
but had delayed sending, as
money is not so abundant as
usual. However I send
the \$25.00 with my best wishes
for Christmas. I am delighted
that Lucretia Porter is at Harvard
this semester.

With kindest remembrance to
Mrs. Wamamaker and yourself
Very sincerely
Mary Hickley Deane

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Dear Mr. Hammanaker,

I was expecting the little reminder
of my pledge to Yuching. If I did not know
in whose name to make the cheque out. I am
also gratefully acknowledging the receipt of the
delightful Yuching dogs. I am fascinated by
them. It is very nice to know that the
University is carrying on as usual, and I send
congratulations to Dr. Stewart.

Yours very sincerely

Mary Hinchley Dearing

My love to
Mrs. Hammanaker

11 FRESH POND LANE
CAMBRIDGE
MASSACHUSETTS

Dearing

Nov. 16

NOV 21 1928

Dear Mr. Mc Brier,

Thanks so much for your
communications re the dedication of
Teaching Ministry. My sister, Mrs.
Hartshorn, her daughter Miss Burnham
and myself visited Yushing last
March. And man of course tremendously
impressed with the work
that it is. I had expected great
things. I was more than satisfied.
In 1919 I spent a year in Peking

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and took great pleasure in having
a class in English literature at Prof.
Lucius Porter's request in the old
University inside the walls. I am
most happy to feel that I have
had any little connection with
Yonkers. And some time again
I hope I may be able to help
in a small way when the need
comes.

Very sincerely

Mary Huskley Deane
(Mrs. John D.)

Mr Wasserman
NOW in the time she
can help. She gave
only \$20. Probably
she could GET
more MB

November 21, 1928

Mrs. Mary Hinckley Dearing,
11 Freshpond Lane,
Cambridge, Mass.

My dear Mrs. Dearing:

Thank you very much indeed for your letter of November 16th. I am gratified to know that you visited Yenching last March and wish to thank you for the satisfaction you expressed with our much-loved university.

We appreciate such friends as you. We are all striving at this particular time to complete our campaign before December 15. You have already had a letter from Mr. Wannemaker. We thought all friends of Yenching would be glad to assist in any possible manner at this time. You may have friends who can at this crucial time assist by making a contribution, and if so, I am sure you will be glad to appeal to them for such contribution as they can make.

We are sending you by separate mail some literature which you might use for this purpose.

Very sincerely yours,

EMM:RL

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Fred Good Love
Cambridge

Nov. 24, 1928

Dear Mr. Mammarella -

I wonder if you have associated my name with the Hearings with Mrs. You and Mrs. Mammarella stayed some time for a few days at 75 Bluff, Chelsea. My husband died in 1916, and I am living in Cambridge with my sister. One of your wife's Cousins, Mary Anne Maguire, lives very near us - and I feel very much interested in all the Hunkles.

I do want to help Teaching.

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but I have not any much to
give. I would like to send a
big cheque. but my little has to
be distributed among a great many
interests. I am sending you
\$5.00 now, and again February
first another \$5.00

My sister, Mrs. Wm. N. Hartstone,
is enclosing her cheque too. \$10.00
We are deeply interested in
Yonahing.

Yours with every good
wish.

Mary Hinckley Deering

Deering
\$5.00

Paid in full
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11 Fresh Pond Lane

Cambridge

Jan. 2, 1935

Dear Mr. Lee,

I am sending my second
payment of my \$25.00 pledge for
Guelmup for the year '34-'35-
with my personal good wishes for
a Happy New Year to you - and
to the cause for which you give
generally.

Very sincerely

Mary Hinkley Deering

P.S. As this is the 39th birthday of my
son, Lt. Milton Adams Deering who was killed in
the Great War, I send this pledge in his memory.

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11 Fresh Pond Lane
Cambridge
April 1st 1935

Dear Mr. Gee,

Please find enclosed
the last installment of my
pledge for 1934-35 for Teaching
Christianity. Pledge #906.

With my good wish for Dr. Stuart
and his great work, as well as
for all the workers.

I am yours sincerely
Mary Huieley Dearing

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MRS. JOHN LINCOLN DEARING
11 FRESH POND LANE
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

Dec. 28th

Dear Mr. Mc Brien,

We are so anxious about Peking
and Tientsin and all the dear people, our
own friends, who may be tied up in a
besieged city. It is wonderful to receive
your letter of December 17th telling us that
the Faculty and University Administration
are determined to "face the issue, to live....
to get on with the people;" to organize for
national reconstruction according to Jesus Christ's
principles. Our gift comes from a very
great love for China, for our friends here, for
the Christian Church, and for the Kingdom.
We wish it were a larger gift.

Sincerely,
Mary Dearing
Elizabeth Hartshorn

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MRS. JOHN LINCOLN DEARING - 11 FRESH POND LANE - CAMBRIDGE

Jan. 20th 1944

To the Trustees of Gooding -

If it were possible, in these days of many calls, I should like to be sending a large cheque for Gooding, in whose welfare I have been deeply interested for many years. For Dr. Stuart I have profound admiration and great sympathy - and for Lucius Polk - also a long and careful friendship, which causes me sorrow at his present condition. The letter from Miss Coynon was poignant and information. It should reach many people.

Cordially

Mary Huckleby Dearing

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EARLHAM COLLEGE
RICHMOND, INDIANA

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

August 4, 1933

Mr. George G. Barber
President Board of Trustees
Yenching University
150 Fifth Avenue
New York City

My dear Mr. Barber:

I am just in receipt of your letter of August 1 in which you do me the honor of requesting me to become a member of the Indiana Advisory Council of Yenching. You point out that membership involves neither dues nor obligation to give money but that the members of the Advisory Council are expected to take a real interest in the development of a stable China and to help cultivate friendship with the Chinese people. It is a great pleasure for me to accept membership on the Council under these circumstances.

I became well and favorably acquainted with the old Peking Union University which developed into Yenching during my stay in Peking as legal adviser to the Chinese Government during the Great War. In fact, I served as a member of the Board of Arbitration which was asked to interpret certain agreements as to the name of the Union University. I thoroughly appreciate what Yenching means to the future of China and to Chinese-American relations. I have endeavored to keep in touch with matters Chinese and with my Chinese and Chinese-American friends since returning from Peking and to promote a better understanding of Chinese affairs in this country through speaking and writing within the limits of my time and strength. I have just returned from a speaking engagement at the Institute of Public Affairs of the University of Virginia where I discussed the development of American Policy in the Far East. Therefore, in agreeing to take a real interest in Chinese matters I do not understand that I am taking on any new obligations.

I am sorry to say that at present and for an indefinite time I do not imagine that I shall be in a position where I will feel that I ought to make any financial contribution because there are so many calls which I am already obligated to heed, but I can honestly and wholeheartedly promise to do my bit in promoting interest in China and in Yenching University.

I am

Very sincerely yours,
W.C.D.

Dr. Wm. C. Dennis

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May 15th, 1930

Chancellor Frederick M. Hunter, Educ. D.,
Denver University,
Denver, Colorado.

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My dear Dr. Hunter:

This is to put in writing the substance of our recent conference about some form of association between Denver and Yenching Universities. The far-reaching benefits to American youth of whatever may serve to make vivid and concrete the increasingly important relations of our country with others, especially those in the Pacific area, are fully recognized by yourself and your associates. The primary place of China in our international outlook is equally obvious. The friendly feelings that have existed between these two peoples make it the more desirable that this mutual goodwill and understanding be made a matter of even more intelligent effort in the case of the coming generation. The admirable plans already in process at Denver University for fostering international interest among your students, strengthen the hope that faculty and students alike would welcome a direct contact with a somewhat similar institution in China. Yenching University is the outgrowth of colleges established by Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational mission agencies, and is now on a broadly non-sectarian Christian basis, coeducational, registered as a private university under Chinese law but also incorporated under the Regents of the University of the State of New York, so that it has the protection and recognition of the Chinese Government while maintaining the academic standards and enjoying the degree-granting privileges of its New York State charter. It has the largest physical plant and endowment, faculty and student enrollment of any of the Christian colleges in China, and has been requested to conduct graduate work on behalf of the whole group. Its location in the bracing climate of North China, and the historic charm of Peking add to its attraction for American students. The relationships of varying types which we have with Harvard, Princeton, Wellesley, the University of Missouri, and probably before long with Washington University, were described to you in some detail, and give precedent for the present proposal.

Specifically my suggestion is that we jointly undertake to secure two fellowships:

1. For one student from Denver to pursue graduate studies at Yenching counting toward a Master's degree, preferably in some phase

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Dr. Hunter - - #2

of Eastern Asia political or social history and present tendencies:

2. For one Yenching student to do graduate work at Denver preferably in the subject to be determined on by Denver University for extension work overseas. My present recommendation as to this subject is Chemistry, with special emphasis on Physiological Chemistry, partly because of the notable work being done at Denver in this subject, and partly because of its practical importance in China. If Denver University would undertake an advisory sponsoring of such a department at Yenching it would have no slight academic value to our young and struggling institution and would doubtless make less difficult our efforts to provide for it financially. All such efforts would of course be undertaken in close consultation with the authorities of Denver University.

Such modest beginnings as outlined above would doubtless grow into further exchanges to our mutual benefit, such as visiting professors in such fields as art, music, the drama, etc.

I shall be glad to correspond with you either during the next few weeks of my stay in America, or after my return to China. Mr. Conant, our representative with headquarters in Denver, will also be ready to confer with you in person, and Mr. Wannamaker of our New York office will always be in a position to make decisions on our behalf.

Very sincerely yours,

JLS

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Englewood, Colo.

June 18, 1950

Bayard M Hedrick
551 Fifth Ave
New York, N. Y.

If Stuart is in New York please tell him Chancellor Hunter is there Pennsylvania Hotel today and balance of week. Suggest he see him if possible and complete Denver-Yenching affiliation
Stop, Will go Texas from here with Stuart Tuesday morning

Conant.

Take up in case of a visit to Denver - 7-21-31

THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

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Denver Unit

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