my colleague in this immediate difficult and worthwhile task, the problem as it presses upon me, which is that to carry on the work as it is now being maintained, we must have an increased income of something like $10,000 a year excessive of Journalism. Once we can get the work to which we are already committed, and for which we have already secured teachers on a firm basis, we can with great enthusiasm go in for further developments. If, for instance, you could secure $2,000 Gold a year to pay the salary, house rent, etc. for Henry Chou in the Department of Education, it would be an immediate help. He married one of the daughters of the well-known Pastor Hueie of New York City, which fact may give you a lead in securing his support.

My question regarding speakers for the Formal Opening was that you let me know at once of any persons who would be suitable for conducting the Sunday service, or for making other addresses, so that we can plan accordingly.

I hope that Nash will be of no little help in working up a good delegation. The general disturbances in China are not only not to be a hindrance, but ought to add a vivid interest to the trip. People can thus see for themselves what it all means, and what its bearing is on such an enterprise as our University. If their presence here would enable them to see for themselves, as I venture to hope will be the case, that we have a large and influential constituency of Chinese friends and an established place in the life of the nation, it ought to be satisfying to them and extremely valuable to us. I do not see much probability that conditions of travel will be disturbed, or that their personal safety will be in any way involved.

In regard to our general policy, I think we can sum it up in the statement that we intend to maintain a general College of Arts and Sciences essentially as it exists at present, with the development of graduate studies, especially emphasizing the social sciences, and stressing particularly religion, Chinese, education, sociology, political science, economics and journalism.

I am glad to learn of the possibility of Doctor Alice Luce, and shall take this up promptly. It is certainly a generous offer. You can appreciate the fact, however, that even travel one way costs us almost as much as a single person's salary, and it may be that we can pick up a permanent person in China, who, while lacking the qualifications of Doctor Luce, would at least prove in the end more economical to us. Could you not induce some one who knows her to assist in getting this feature, at least in part, in which case there would be no question about our wanting her.

We shall try to keep you informed of events and have photographs sent. Nash, however, is taking a large collection, which with those that are being continually sent to the office from the Construction Bureau ought to cover the needs.

I sympathize heartily in the apparently increasing difficulty of securing gifts from Americans for objects in China. As a matter of fact, however, the present situation here ought to be turned into a stronger argument than ever, espec-