

Rabi, I. I.

January 27, 1949

Dear Professor Rabi:

I was away when your letter asking about Institute grants arrived, and I have only just caught up with it.

Our grants are much like fellowships although perhaps the theory behind them is broader in scope. Members have no duties or obligations to the Institute aside from the general one of residence here. They are given subsistence grants to maintain them in residence and to enable them to continue their own study and research. The grants have been considered tax exempt primarily, I believe, because they are not compensation for services rendered. As you know, some of the Institute grants are supplemented by aids from funds of other foundations which are tax exempt.

I am not sure what you have in mind in the case of Professor von Laue. His membership covered a few months during the past fall term; his grant-in-aid was for the purpose of furthering his own scientific work. The sum provided was expressly to cover transportation and living expenses. In his case, and in all cases involving Members from occupied zones, the fact that the visit would be beneficial to his own country as well as to his colleagues here, had to be stressed. There are many in our membership who are scholars and scientists of eminence to whom grants are given. Although study in the narrow sense may not be the primary purpose behind such grants, freedom from academic duties and the opportunity to collaborate with colleagues here combine to make the general purpose obvious.

So far as I know the theory behind our grants has not been brought into question.

Please let me know if this does not cover the point you had in mind.

Yours sincerely,

(Mrs. John D. Leary)
Aide to the Director

Professor I. I. Rabi
Department of Physics
Columbia University
New York 27, New York

Columbia University
in the City of New York

[NEW YORK 27, N. Y.]

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

January 18, 1949

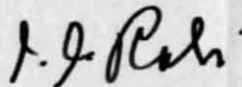
Mrs. John D. Leary
Aide to the Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Leary:

Thank you very much for your letter describing the steps necessary to bring foreigners to your staff.

One of the questions I should like answered is the theory under which a well known scientist can be granted a stipend rather than a salary. A stipend, I take it, is tax free and the salary is not. Usually, the stipend is considered to be some kind of fellowship, which the recipient uses for further study at some institution. Such a theory would hardly work for von Laue. How do you make it stick, or is it ever brought into question? If you can enlighten me, please do so.

Sincerely yours,



I. I. Rabi
Executive Officer

IIR:vg

January 14, 1949

Dear Professor Rabi:

Dr. Oppenheimer has asked me to write to you about the arrangements we make in inviting foreign members to the Institute.

Usually we send a formal appointment letter stating the amount of the grant-in-aid and the time covered by the invitation. It is then up to the member to get an appropriate visa from his consul. As a rule a student's (4(e)) visa is granted: this has the disadvantage that it is temporary and does not allow employment here except with specific permission in unusual cases. I should think for your purposes a professorial (4(d)) visa would be preferable; it is permanent and allows employment. Invitation to membership here is not a justification for such a visa and our members seldom obtain it.

In occupied territories, the procedure is different. State and Army approval are necessary for Japan and Germany; the coordinating agency in this country is the Civil Affairs Division, Department of the Army, Washington.

Policy was unsettled in Japan last year and may, of course, change in the future. At present, after informal exploratory correspondence with the member, the Director writes to General MacArthur who passes the problem on to Dr. H. C. Kelly, who is on his staff in Tokyo. To date we have had full cooperation from the occupying authority with regard to the scientists; but in some cases the families of the scientists have not been permitted to come. In writing to General MacArthur it is essential to give assurance that full financial support and transportation expenses will be provided, and to indicate that it will be of profit to the occupied country as well as to us to allow the visit. So far our members from Japan have had to come by air and we have cabled passage money ahead.

Similar representations must be made in the case of Germany but not to the Commanding General. The Director writes to the Chief, Civil Affairs Division, giving the reasons for the invitation and the necessary financial guarantee. Our German members have had to get permission to travel from the Combined Travel Board in their respective zones; in most cases they have been referred to the Cultural Exchange Division of OMGEUS also. Whether this is still necessary there we do not know. Our experience in the case of German scholars has also been favorable although very special intercession was required with the Civil Affairs Division of the Army to get permission for Mrs. Max von Laue to accompany her husband.

There is a new and separate Military Permit Office in Washington; as yet we have not received its address. I presume that the Civil Affairs Division would still be the agency to approach.

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One other procedure might be helpful in your cases. Under the Department of Commerce there has been set up a system of certification by which the Department certifies foreign scientists for employment here. After such certification the State Department will issue a visa with permission to receive compensation in this country. I am not sure whether this is applicable to any other than German scientists. Mr. Ray Hicks of the Department of Commerce in Washington could give you full information.

Since, in general, considerations of income tax, of immigration and visa policy, and frequently of occupation policy, are involved, it is essential to get straight whether the offer made is for a job or for study under a grant-in-aid. Both procedures can be followed but in important respects they must be handled differently. The Department of Justice is very sensitive to any attempt to cross the line.

I hope this information will be helpful. Please let us know if there are any details you might need.

Yours sincerely,

(Mrs. John D. Leary)
Aide to the Director

Professor I. I. Rabi
Department of Physics
Columbia University
New York 27, New York

P.S. It perhaps should be mentioned that our grants-in-aid are considered non-taxable and, in the majority of cases, the members are here to continue their own studies; they are under no obligation to render any services to the Institute.

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Columbia University
in the City of New York

[NEW YORK 27, N. Y.]

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

January 4, 1949

Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer, Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Robert:

Would you or your secretary, or somebody, let me know the theory and the arrangements which you make for bringing foreigners into the country on a "stipend"? We made such an arrangement for Aage Bohr, but that was on the basis of a scholarship since he does not have a doctor's degree. How was the arrangement made in the case of Yukawa? I would very much like to use the system if it is adaptable to our needs.

I have no particular news except that the electron neutron interaction seems to be going up to around a neighborhood of 10,000 volts. The new data is beginning to look very impressive.

As ever,

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I. I. Rabi

IIR:vg

September 19, 1940

Dear Dr. Rager:

I have talked over your letter of August 4 with the officials of the League of Nations and with the members of our School of Economics and Politics. I very much regret that there seems to be no possible opportunity here for you at this moment. The studies in which you are interested fall a little outside our range. I think the best advice and help you could get would be from the officials of the New York Department of Labor with whom you have worked.

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE, Director

Dr. F. A. Rager
73-20 Austin Street
Forest Hills (Long Island)
New York

FA/MCE

W. Sturges ✓

Mr. Frank Aydelotte
Director, Institute for advanced Study
PRINCETON, N.J.

New York, August 4

Dear Mr. Aydelotte:

*PM Reply ✓
for Jm*

as advised by friends I am applying to you on my case. Presently I am busy with some research project of the Graduate Faculty of the New School. But this appointment comes soon to an end.

For your convenience I am including a curriculum of mine giving you my background. For further details- and with reference to the intended link of your Institute with the League of Nations- may I add that I used to be , when occupied with the International Labor Office, in close touch with several sections of the League.

During the period of my appointment with the New York State Department of Labor I had to prepare several reports on training, retraining and adjustment problems and I am feeling that it is primarily on this field on which I should like to do a more elaborate study, since the interest of this country seems now to be focussed on these issues and since I chance to dispose of special experiences on this point.

I would highly appreciate any advise or, if possible, aid on how to finance such studies.

Yours very sincerely

Dr. Rager

Dr. F. A. Rager

73-20 Austin Street, Forest Hills (L.I.)

Frederick Rager

~~223 East 50th Street~~ 7320 Audin Street, Forest Hills (L.I.)
New York City

Education Doctor of Law, University of Vienna, 1914

Languages English, French, German, Italian

Experience 1921-1938: Secretary, Austrian Chamber of Labor, the Scientific and Legislative Institute for the Austrian Trade Union Movement.

As Secretary for the Chamber of Labor, drafted and advised on legislation covering labor laws, unemployment insurance, labor exchanges, vocational guidance, emigration and immigration, housing, settlement of workers and transportation problems. As Secretary, was, also, a member of the Migration Committee of the International Labor Office, the Permanent Conference of Private Associations for the Protection of Migrants in Geneva, the Unemployment Advisory Board (Vienna), the Executive Body of Vienna Labor Exchange, the Executive Body of Vienna Vocational Guidance, and the Examination Board of the University of Commerce of Vienna.

In 1928, represented the Austrian Government in Canada, negotiating on behalf of the Austrian High Commissioner for Emigration and Settlement of Austrian Workers.

In 1932, lectured in the United States under the auspices of the International Institute of Education on Social Insurance; also lectured in Germany and Switzerland.

1938-1939: Unemployment and Migration Department of International Labour Office, Geneva. Research and writing on unemployment and migration problems. Prepared two documents on immigration into Germany and into France (unpublished).

February-April 1940: Bureau of Research and Statistics, Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance, State of New York Department of Labor. Prepared memoranda on training and adjustment programs.

Publications (in German)

The Vienna Commercial Bank (1918), an historical study of the first Austrian Banking Institute of the 18th Century

The Laws on Continuation Schools in Austria (1924)

The Protection of Juvenile Workers (1924)

The Protection of the Austrian Labor Market (1st ed., 1926; 2nd ed., 1928)

Old Age Relief in Austria (1st ed., 1927; 2nd ed., 1929)

International Survey of Laws for Clerical Workers (1937)

February 13, 1939

Dear Dr. Rajchman:

Thank you very much for your great kindness in sending me a copy of your thesis. I am sending it to one of the physicists here, whom I think it will interest.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Dr. Jan Rajchman
1730 Spruce Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

AF/MCE

January 25, 1939

Dear Dr. Rajchman:

I have your letter of January 22 and I shall be very glad to see you some day next week if that is convenient for you. The late afternoon is for me the best time. If you will mention an afternoon next week or the week after, at 4:30 or 5 o'clock, I can I think readily meet your convenience.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Dr. Jan Rajchman
1730 Spruce Street
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1730 SPRUCE STREET

• PHILADELPHIA •

PENNSYLVANIA

January 22, 1939

Dr. Abraham Flexner
Institute of Advanced Studies
Princeton N.J.

Dear Dr. Flexner,

I would like to have the pleasure of seeing you and talking to you. It is very unfortunate that this meeting could not be arranged last year. I went abroad this Summer in order to obtain a Doctor's degree in Zurich and came back only six weeks ago. I intend to stay in Philadelphia for an indefinite time.

I can come to Princeton for the evening quite conveniently. I can also come during the week-end. Any date which will be convenient for you will be such for me.

Hoping to have the pleasure of seeing you soon and being able to pay my respects to you, I remain,

Very Sincerely Yours,

Jan Rajchman
Jan Rajchman

Telephone:
Pennypacker 0884
or during office hours Camden 8000

February 18, 1939

Dear Professor Ladenburg:

I wonder if the accompanying thesis interests you. It is the work of a young Dr. Rajchman, whose father was until recently head of the Health Section of the League of Nations - a most able and devoted man. If the thesis lies outside your field, won't you turn it over to somebody whom it may interest?

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Professor Rudolf Ladenburg
Department of Physics
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

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came referred to Chandrasekharan
G. N. RAMACHANDRAN, M.A., D.Sc.
LECTURER, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE
BANGALORE, INDIA

International House,
500 Riverside Drive,
New York 27.

July 16, 1948

Dear Miss Russel,

Thank you for your kind letter of July 14. I am glad to learn that Dr. Chowla and Chandrasekharan are also working here at Princeton. I definitely expect to be in Princeton on the 20th and shall be very pleased to go round the Institute and to meet some of the members on that day.

Yours sincerely,
G. N. Ramachandran

Miss Katherine Russel,
Director's Office,
The Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, N. J.

Ramachandran, G. N.

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July 14, 1948

Memorandum to: Dr. S. Chowla
Dr. K. Chandrasekharan

Dr. G. N. Ramachandran of the Department of Physics, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India is in this country, attending the International Congress of Crystallographers at Harvard. He plans to visit the Institute on July 20th. If you plan to be at the Institute on that date, and would like to meet and talk with Dr. Ramachandran, would you please let Mrs. Leary know? She will meet him on his arrival and arrange to show him the facilities of the Institute and to introduce him to those of our Members and Faculty who are in residence. In my letter to Dr. Ramachandran, I mentioned that you both were in residence and that he might have the opportunity of meeting you. His address from the 19th through the 21st will be in care of R. B. Patnaik, John Jay Hall, Columbia University, New York 27, N. Y.

Katherine Russell,
Director's Office

July 14, 1948

Dear Dr. Ramachandran:

Thank you for your note of July 6th. I regret that Dr. Oppenheimer and the majority of our Members and Faculty are away for the summer months since the Institute is not in session during this period. You are, however, most welcome to visit the Institute and to meet and talk with those of our Members who are in residence. Two of your countrymen, Dr. S. Chowla and K. Chandrasekharan are here and I know they will be pleased to see you. If you will ask for Mrs. Leary on your arrival, she will make arrangements for you to meet some of our Members and to be shown the facilities of the Institute. We should appreciate knowing whether you definitely plan to come to Princeton on the 20th.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Director's Office

Dr. G. N. Ramachandran
c/o R. B. Patnaik
John Jay Hall
Columbia University
New York 27, N. Y.

G. N. RAMACHANDRAN. M.A., D.Sc.

LECTURER, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

BANGALORE, INDIA

Crystallographic Lab.,
Cavendish Laboratory,
Cambridge,
6th July, 1948.

Dear Dr. Oppenheimer,

I am coming to the United States to attend the International Congress of Crystallographers at Harvard towards the end of July. I should very much like to be able to visit the Institute for Advanced Study. Although I am working on a different subject, I should appreciate meeting some of the workers at the Institute. I hope to be in Princeton between 19th and 21st July and I shall be glad if you would permit me to see the Institute on the 20th. My address at New York will be c/o R.B.Patnaik esq., John Jay Hall, Columbia University, New York 27, N.Y.

Yours sincerely,

G. N. Ramachandran

Dr. R. Oppenheimer.
Director,
Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton N.J.
U.S.A.

Chowla
Chandrasekharan

Inst Gen-Ramsay

19 July 1956

Dear Mr. Ramsay:

We are in receipt of your letter of July 12 asking for information regarding schools of aeronautical engineering. We are not in a position to supply the type of information you request and suggest that you contact Princeton University which has a School in that subject.

Very truly yours,

Velma A. Mumper
Office of the Director

Mr. Kenneth Ramsay
705 Lincoln Street
Glenview, Illinois

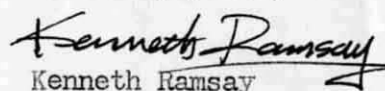
705 Lincoln Street
Glenview, Illinois
July 12, 1956

Director of Admissions
Princeton Institute for Advanced Studies
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Sir:

I am interested in entering the field of aeronautical engineering. I was told to write to you for information concerning which are the best schools of aeronautical engineering. I would appreciate it if you could send me information of this type, thank you.

Sincerely yours,


Kenneth Ramsay

Just Ben Rand

Dr. Rand called again. Said that she wanted to to see RO briefly about a couple of things to do with the Institute. She seemed unable or unwilling to say any more, and I suggested that she write to you, and that if you thought it would be helpful, we would then make an appt. She agreed.

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Rand, E. K.

October 11, 1944

Professor E. K. Rand
107 Lake View Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear Rand:

Many thanks for your letter of October 9.

We have arranged for a substantial research fund for Lowe in addition to his pension, so that he can keep on with his work for the next few years. Consequently, the whole question of the appointment of a successor to him does not arise at present. Whenever there is an opportunity, I should like to talk over with you the interesting suggestions in your letter.

Yours sincerely,

Frank Aydelotte

107, LAKE VIEW AVENUE
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

October 9, 1944

Frank Aydelotte, Esq.
President of the Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Aydelotte:

I venture to ask a bold question of you, namely, whether in your future plans for the Institute for Advanced Study you intended by any chance to keep up the palaeographical work that Lowe has been doing with brilliant success in these past years. I understand that the time for his retirement has come, or at least is imminent. If that is true and if it is also true that you would favor the continuation of the kind of work that he has been doing, I have two names to suggest for your consideration.

One is Bernard M. Peebles, A.B. University of Virginia, Ph.D. Harvard '40, an eminent mediaevalist in various fields but especially equipped for just the kind of work that Lowe has been doing. He wrote his Doctor's dissertation under my supervision, and I have followed his work with keen interest. He had a fellowship at the American Academy of Rome before taking his degree, and he also taught at Fordham University. He held the place of Mason Hammond for two years when Hammond was in charge of the American School of Classical Studies at Rome. He then returned to Fordham and from Fordham went to St. John's. He is now a technical sergeant in the Army doing excellent work in Italy, particularly in connection with the survey of monuments of art. I think, however, he would like to return from the work at St. John's, stimulating though that is, to the scholarly undertakings which he was pursuing with great success. He had been appointed editor of St. Sulpicius Severus's life of St. Martin by the Bollandistes in Brussels -- a very high honor. You would find him vigilant, original, conscientious, self-sacrificing -- ready to play the game.

My second choice is also a former pupil and dear friend of mine about whom you may know more. He is Professor Leslie W. Jones of City College, New York. I started him in palaeography in the summer of 1925 when we were in Tours and Paris together, and since then he has gone ahead with great energy and success. He collaborated with me in the second of my books in the series Studies in the Script of Tours, did the same with Professor Morey of Princeton in a very important work on the illustrated manuscripts of Terence and published a large volume himself on the script of the School of Cologne. He has published numerous articles on palaeographical subjects, many on the script of Tours, in which, starting with results that I had attained, he pursued the trail further in an original and profitable way.

F. Aydelotte

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Jones has a peculiar capacity for getting work done quickly in neat and orderly fashion. He does not delve into details so minutely as Peebles. Not that he could not do so but that he likes to get a certain piece done, leaving it for his critics to point out minor defects which can be readily emended thereafter. It seems to me that that is a most valuable quality for anybody to possess who works on problems at the Institute.

I place Peebles first and Jones second, not that the appointment of Jones would be that of a generally inferior person. I recommend him because I believe that he would fit in well with your family and maintain the high standard on which you have insisted.

If I can give more information about either of these men, I shall be glad to do so. I quite understand of course that you may have other plans in mind, waiting for an unusual man to turn up rather than thinking about the subject that he professed.

With our kindest wishes to you and Mrs. Aydelotte, I am

Always yours,

E. K. Rand

EKR:r

April 3, 1933

Dear Professor Rand:

Thank you very much for your kind note of April 1. I cannot tell you how greatly I am heartened by the approval and encouragement of men like yourself.

I am equally delighted to know of the establishment of the Society of Scholars at Harvard. Perhaps, if we live to be a thousand years old more or less, we may find that the world cares as much for mediaeval studies as it does for football.

Please give my warmest greetings to Mrs. Rand, and believe me

Ever sincerely,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Professor E. K. Rand
107, Lake View Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts

AF:ESB

E. K. Rand

107, LAKE VIEW AVENUE
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

April 1, 1933

Dr. Abraham Flexner
The Institute for Advanced Study
100 East 42nd Street
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Flexner:

Many thanks for sending me the bulletin of your new Institute. I am especially glad to see that the members of this "Paradise for scholars" (you doubtless have noted the smaller paradise established here) are to devote some time to teaching. This chance for the investigator to express his new ideas before an audience fit though few is necessary, in my opinion, not only for his own well-being but for the effectiveness of his research.

With my best wishes, I am

Faithfully yours,

E. K. Rand

December 28, 1931.

Dear Professor Rand:

Thank you very much for your prompt and extremely suggestive letter.

It is your experience and judgment that I was anxious to obtain.

I have written similarly to some thirty or forty other scholars and scientists. If you happen to think of anyone whose suggestion might, in your opinion, be particularly valuable won't you please let me know for I may not have included him in my list?

Mrs. Flexner joins me in warmest New Year greetings to you and your wife.

AF:AMK

Sincerely yours,

Professor E. K. Rand
107, Lake View Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

107, LAKE VIEW AVENUE
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

December 31, 1941

Dear Dr. Flexner.

Many thanks. I might suggest
my colleague Professor Charles H. Gulick, now
Chairman of the Committee in charge of the Rockefeller
"Humanities Fund" here, in case you had not already
written him. Happy New Year.

Sincerely,
Yours,

E. K. Rand

Rand Corporation

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS

The RAND Corporation will occupy its new building as of February 1, 1953. Effective that date, please change the address on your records from 1500 Fourth Street, Santa Monica, to:

**The RAND Corporation
1700 Main Street
Santa Monica, California**

Just. Gen. Randall

OHIO UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
ATHENS, OHIO

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

October 20, 1958

Mrs. Wilder Hobson
The Institute for Advanced Study
Office of the Director
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Hobson:

Thank you for your note of October 2. My plans have changed so that I will not be in Princeton on October 29 and 30. I will write to you at a later date to make a new appointment.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Randall

Charles A. Randall
Professor of Physics
Chairman of Department

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Inst Gen Randall

19 November 1958

Dear Dr. Randall:

Thank you for your note of November 15th. Wednesday, December 3rd is unfortunately a day when Dr. Oppenheimer will be very much occupied. He would be glad to see you on Thursday the 4th, if you could arrange that.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. Wilder Hobson)
Secretary to the Director

Dr. Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Department of Physics
Ohio University
Athens, Ohio

Randall visited Inst 12/3/58

OHIO UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
ATHENS, OHIO

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

November 15, 1958

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Professor J. Robert Oppenheimer, Director
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Professor Oppenheimer:

I shall be in Princeton on Wednesday December 3. If it is convenient,
I would like to visit the Institute for Advanced Study on that date. I
shall arrive and depart on the same day.

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Chairman of Department

CAR/mjh

2 October 1958

Dear Dr. Randall:

Thank you for your note of September 25th. Dr. Oppenheimer will not be in Princeton on the 29th and 30th of this month, but the Institute will be in session. Would you like us to attempt to make a hotel reservation for you?

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. Wilder Hobson)
Secretary to the Director

Dr. Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Department of Physics
Ohio University
Athens, Ohio

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ATHENS, OHIO

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

September 25, 1958

Professor J. Robert Oppenheimer, Director
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Professor Oppenheimer:

I expect to pass through Princeton in late October and would like to plan a short visit to the Institute. This visit is merely to get acquainted with the Institute and its activities.

Would you please suggest a date and time which would be convenient for you.

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Chairman

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Int. Gen. Randall

OHIO UNIVERSITY
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DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

November 25, 1958

Mrs. Wilder Hobson
Secretary to the Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Office of the Director
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Hobson:

Thank you for your note of November 19, 1958. I have several visits scheduled for my trip and since I am unable to stay over for December 4, I plan to arrive on December 3. I trust this will not be an inconvenience to you. It is a disappointment not to be able to meet Professor Oppenheimer. I have long been one of his admirers.

My visit has a two-fold purpose and I hope you can help me. First, I am seeking physics faculty and wish to meet, even briefly, young men who might be available in September 1959. Second, since I have not had the privilege of visiting the Institute, I am looking forward to this experience.

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Chairman of Department

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DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

December 11, 1958

Mrs. Wilder Hobson
Secretary to the Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Office of the Director
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Hobson:

I wish to thank you for your part in making my December 3rd visit to The Institute for Advanced Study a success. Please convey my thanks to Mrs. Edgerton also.

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Randall, Jr.

Charles A. Randall, Jr.
Chairman

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Randers

The University of Chicago

Verkes Observatory
WILLIAMS BAY, WIS.

1941 January 21

The Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
School of Mathematics
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Sir:

I understand that Mr. Gunnar Randers has applied for a fellowship at the Institute for Advanced Study for the year 1941-42 and I am writing to support his application.

Mr. Randers is a theoretical astrophysicist of high standing and his work on the theory of rotating stars introduces methods and ideas which necessitate an entirely new start on the whole problem. The equilibrium of rotating compressible gaseous configurations with internal currents is clearly a problem of extreme complexity and the fact that Mr. Randers has nevertheless succeeded in proving some very general theorems in this field is an indication of his ability as a mathematician. Mr. Randers is also interested in problems of general relativity; and though I myself am not competent to judge, I gather that his ideas are novel and open new lines of research. Both the groups of problems in which he is interested require relatively advanced mathematical methods for their treatment and I feel certain that at the School of Mathematics of the Institute for Advanced Study he will find the necessary stimulus for the solution of the difficult problems he has on hand.

Mr. Randers has an attractive personality and has both scientific ambition and determination. It is very much to his credit that he has persisted in his scientific work during the last year in spite of various difficulties and anxieties consequent to the invasion of his country.

Sincerely yours,

S Chandrasekhar
S. Chandrasekhar

(925) Randers

THE W. J. McDONALD OBSERVATORY
OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
FORT DAVIS, TEXAS

OPERATED JOINTLY BY
THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO AND
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

January 12, 1941.

Dr. Frank Aydelotte, Director,
The Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, New Jersey.

Dear Dr. Aydelotte:

I am writing on behalf of Mr. Gunnar Randers, who is making an application for an advanced fellowship at the Institute for Advanced Study.

Mr. Randers is at present a member of the staff of the Yerkes Observatory of the University of Chicago. He came to us from the Mount Wilson Observatory on July 1, 1940, to fill the place of Dr. Louis Henyey, who is spending one year at Cornell and Columbia Universities on a Guggenheim fellowship. Were it not for the fact that Dr. Henyey expects to return in the fall to the Yerkes Observatory I should certainly have recommended to the University that Dr. Randers' appointment be continued.

He is an exceptionally capable young man, having done some outstanding work in theoretical astrophysics. He is a former student of Professor S. Rosseland of Oslo, and has participated in several theoretical investigations which have been carried out at Professor Rosseland's institute. At the Yerkes Observatory Mr. Randers has been engaged in the study of certain problems connected with the structure of rotating stars, and has made important advances in this field. He has also been interested in problems of relativity in their relation to cosmology and he has published a paper on this subject in a recent issue of the Physical Review. At the Mount Wilson Observatory he devoted most of his attention to a discussion of the evolution of extragalactic systems; the results of the work were printed in the September, 1940, issue of the Astrophysical Journal.

Mr. Randers is a citizen of Norway. He is married, but has no children. Both Mr. and Mrs. Randers are persons of great personal charm and I am sure that they would fit into any community. Mr. Randers came to the United States in the summer of 1939. The invasion of Norway by the Germans made it impossible for him to return to his home, and we were fortunate in being able to secure his services. I can recommend him to you unreservedly as one of the most capable young theoretical physicists with whom I have been in contact.

Very sincerely yours,

Otto Struve

Otto Struve, Director.

January 25, 1941

Dr. Walter S. Adams
Carnegie Institution of Washington
Mount Wilson Observatory
Pasadena, California

My dear Dr. Adams:

In Dr. Aydelotte's absence, I acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 22 about Dr. Gunnar Randers. I am holding this for his attention when he returns at the end of next week.

Very truly yours,

MARIE C. EICHELSER
Secretary to Dr. Frank Aydelotte

January 17, 1941

Dr. Otto Struve
The W. J. McDonald Observatory
of the University of Texas
Fort Davis, Texas

My dear Dr. Struve:

Your letter of January 12 regarding
Mr. Gunnar Randers has come while Dr. Aydelotte
is away on a holiday, and I shall bring it to
his attention when he returns next week.

Very truly yours,

MARIE C. EICHELSEER

Secretary to Dr. Frank Aydelotte

Ranganathan, S. R.

August 3, 1948

Dear Professor Ranganathan:

Professor L. K. Hua has written to Dr. Oppenheimer advising that you are in the United States and that you would like to come down to Princeton and to visit the Institute for Advanced Study. The Institute is not in session during the summer months, and the Director and members of the Faculty are mostly away. Some of our members are, however, in residence, among them Dr. K. Chandrasekharan and Dr. S. Chowla. I know they will be very pleased to have you come down for a visit. Will you let me know what day is most convenient for you? We shall all do our best to make your visit a pleasant one.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Secretary

Professor S. R. Ranganathan
c/o Mr. Milan, Librarian
United Nations
Lake Success, N. Y.

Wrote

July 13, '48

c/o Miss M. Wyle,
British Council,
56 Portland Place,
London W.1.

Dear Professor Oppenheimer,

I am speaking

for Prof. S. R. RANGANATHAN. He was
a professor on Math. and later University
Librarian of Madras. Now he is a
professor of Library Science at University
of Delhi and President of Indian Library
Association. He is the author of a new
scheme of library classification which is
known as column classification and was
invented by him in 1925. He is the
author of 25 books on various aspects
on Library Science.

Now he is a guest of the
British Council and he is coming
to U.S.A to attend the international

committee of Library experts appointed
by UNO. He will ~~be~~ be at Lake
Success from 2nd - 9th Aug. He
will spend several days elsewhere in
O.S.A. He respect our Institute very
much, he would like to have an
opportunity to visit Princeton. Please
let him know the most convenient
time for his visit. His address in
O.S.A. is

c/o Mr. Milan
Librarian of UNO,
Lake Success, N.Y.

He is a friend of Dr. Chandrasekhara
(Physicist) and Dr. Minakrishnasundaram.
Dr. S. Chouda of our Institute perhaps
knows his name too.

Now I am taking the opportunity
to say something of my own. Within
the month since my arrival I visited

more than ten towns and dozens of different
math. organizations. Discussions after discussing
trips after trips, really I am a little
tiring about it. It makes me to think about
my peaceful life at Princeton. I always
felt very sorry, I could not have the chance
to say fare well to you personally when I
left Princeton. I shall come back at the
end of August or the beginning of Sept.
I wish I can see you at that time.

Please give my best regards
to Mrs. Oppenheimer,

yours very sincerely

L. K. Hua

Rank, James L.

13 August 1943

Dear Mr. Rank:

I am sorry to say that I do not know of anyone looking for research assistants in your field at the present time, but I shall be glad to place your letter on file and let you know if I hear of any opportunity.

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE

James L. Rank, Esq.
30 Mercer Street
Princeton, N.J.

Dr. Frank Aydelotte, Institute Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey.

Dear Sir: Do you know of any work
available for one able to do
research in politics or history?
I have done work for Records of
Civilization at Columbia, Dept. of
History, also Encyclopedia Britannica.
Edited books on Geography for
publishers in New York. Let
me know of possible appointment
doing a research job here.
Have been on defense project
at Princeton almost a year.
Would you suggest to whom
one should apply for
work similar to above?

Sincerely, James L. Rank

30 Mercer Street, Princeton, N. J.
August 12, 1943.



BOARD OF GOVERNORS
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RONALD RANSOM
MEMBER OF THE BOARD

December 16, 1940

My dear Dr. Aydelotte:

I want to tell you how much I enjoyed spending the better part of Friday and Saturday of last week with Walter Stewart and his colleagues on the staff of the Institute. I appreciated the opportunity of seeing at first hand the work that this group is doing. I think it is one of the few things about which we can be optimistic these days.

I enjoyed seeing you at lunch and having the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Aydelotte. I hope that whenever you are in Washington you will let us know.

Cordially yours,

Dr. Frank Aydelotte,
Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, New Jersey.

A. LAWRENCE LOWELL
171 MARLBOROUGH STREET
BOSTON

March 28, 1940

Dear President Aydelotte:

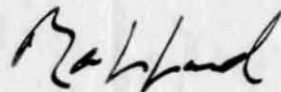
Many thanks for your kind letter of March 25th, and for the most interesting pamphlets you were good enough to send me. I have read them with much profit to myself, and with enhanced anticipation of the third speech which you are sending me.

It was a very great pleasure to see you in Princeton, and to hear about your important plans for the future of your Institute. In these terrible times it is, indeed, most comforting to know that all progress in the world has not been arrested.

With renewed thanks, and kindest regards,

I am,

Yours sincerely,



President Frank Aydelotte

The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, N.J.

March 25, 1940

Dear Professor Rappard:

I send you herewith two speeches of mine on the subject we were discussing the other day, and I have a third which is now being printed and which I very much want you to see. I shall send it to you in Geneva if, as I fear, it does not come out until after you have gone.

It was a keen pleasure to see you here last week. I wish you every possible success in securing support for the wonderful work you are doing at Geneva.

With kindest regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE

Professor William E. Rappard
171 Marlboro Street
Boston, Massachusetts

FA/MCE

INSTITUT UNIVERSITAIRE
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Adr. Tél. : INSTONAL-GENÈVE

TÉLÉPHONE 27.100

GENÈVE, June 1, 1938

132, RUE DE LAUSANNE

WR/JA.

Dear Mr. Flexner,

Just a line to tell you how very sorry I was to be deprived of the pleasure of seeing you in Geneva yesterday. There is perhaps no one I would have liked to meet again more than you, and that both for personal and for professional reasons.

Arthur Sweetser, whom I saw this morning at the League, where I am sitting on a Committee, which deprived me of all freedom and of all leisure yesterday, told me of your splendid and successful work, both in promoting scientific work and in relieving the misery created by the unspeakable intolerance of some of our close neighbours.

That ~~double~~ purpose is exactly that which we are endeavouring to pursue in a smaller way at this Institute. As we are threatened with financial difficulties which may impede our efforts in both directions, I should have been particularly grateful for your advice as to how we might best meet the problems rising out of the tapering off of the Rockefeller subsidies with which we are threatened. Nothing could be more generous than the assistance of the Rockefeller Foundation which we have enjoyed from the start here of this Institute, and our sincere gratitude makes a discussion of these problems all the more embarrassing.

Should you be coming back to Geneva or could I meet you elsewhere in Europe, I should be ever so grateful if you could let me know. If not, I might possibly see you in America this Summer where I am to deliver the Harris lectures between August 1st and August 20th in Chicago.

Again regretting deeply the bad luck which prevented me from seeing you yesterday, and hoping to have the pleasure of meeting you in the near future, I am, with best wishes,

Yours very sincerely,

Abraham Flexner,
Hôtel Westminster,
Paris.

Rabbin

March 27, 1934

Dear Dr. Rashevsky:

Professor Donnan of University College has written me in your behalf. I have written Dr. Warren Weaver of the Rockefeller Foundation, and it occurs to me that it may be worth your while to apply for a fellowship to the National Research Council of Washington, D.C. Professor Donnan's high recommendation should surely carry great weight. I regret that the Institute for Advanced Study is at present doing nothing outside the field of mathematics.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Dr. E. Rashevsky
515, West Hutchinson Avenue
Pittsburgh (18), Pennsylvania

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

AF:ESP

Refer to
Prof. V. Kellomäki

The University of Chicago

Department of Physiology

Rashevsky

March 1, 1933.

Dr. Abraham Flexner,
150 East 72nd St.,
New York City.

Dear Dr. Flexner:-

I know little about the Institute for Advanced Studies of which you are the Director, but I infer from the appointment of Dr. Albert Einstein and some others of whom I have heard that its main purpose is to select men of the highest quality and originality in their respective subjects and to give them every possible facility and encouragement in developing new and fundamental fields of research. Personally I am greatly interested in the application of modern physics to biological problems - the field often called biophysics - and I am writing to you to suggest, if there is any prospect of an early appointment in this field in your Institute, that you should consider seriously the claims of the young Russian physicist, Nicholas Rashevsky, now of the Research Laboratory of the Westinghouse Electric Co. at Pittsburgh. He is a man of unusual originality and promise who has already published much excellent scientific work, chiefly in mathematical physics. He has contributed many papers chiefly on relativity theory, quantum theory, radiation and related subjects, to standard physical journals (Zeitschrift f. Physik, Philosophical Magazine, Physical Review, etc.) since 1920-21; and within the last few years he has become interested in the physical aspects of ~~biological~~ biological problems and has written a number of very interesting and original papers on the theoretical analysis of cell division, growth, nerve action, memory and related processes. These have appeared in the Journal of General Physiology, Protoplasma and similar journals.

There can be no doubt of Rashevsky's independence and originality, also of his enthusiasm, critical spirit and industry. He has an attractive personality, is a man of wide interests and cultivation, expresses himself extremely well, and I have been struck in discussing scientific subjects with him with the range and exactitude of his knowledge, all combined with good sense and realism. I consider him one of the ablest and most versatile of the younger men, and in this opinion most scientific men of my acquaintance who know his work agree. Only the other day I had a letter from Prof. F.G. Donnan, the physical chemist of the University of London (who has a great interest in biological problems) referring to Rashevsky (quite incidentally) as "a young man of great promise who should be given every possible help". I mention his opinion as being entirely unprejudiced, based simply on reading Rashevsky's papers. I think

The University of Chicago

Department of Physiology

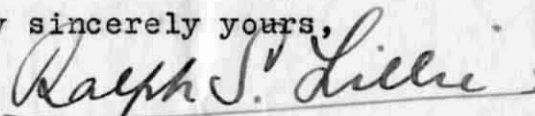
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Dr. Osterhout could also tell you something about his work. I have written or spoken to many of the general physiologists recently about Rashevsky in the effort to secure a position for him in a good university or research institute (as his present position is not at all suitable), and I have tried to do something for him here, but the financial stringency makes new appointments difficult or impossible just now. I hope your Institute is in a better situation, but in any case I have every confidence in recommending Rashevsky as a man who could almost certainly be counted on to contribute something of fundamental importance to knowledge in this difficult field.

I enclose a biographical sketch which he sent me, and if you wish I shall ask him to send you the complete list of his papers. He could probably send reprints of most of these, if desired.

With kind regards, I remain

Very sincerely yours,



R. S. Lillie.

Biography of Nicolas Rashevsky

Nicolas Rashevsky was born Sept. 20, 1899, in Tchernigov, Russia. His father was president of several sugar companies whose field of operation was principally in south Russia. He received his higher education at the University of Kieff, where early in 1919 he was appointed instructor. At the end of 1919, he joined the White Army, and participated in the Russian Civil War until the end of 1920, when he went to Constantinople. During 1921 he taught physics and mathematics at Roberts College in that city. At the end of 1921 he was called to Prague to join the Council of Russian University Professors. He was first engaged in the organization of physics courses for Russian students in the University, and the Polytechnic Institute of Prague. He taught courses of graduate grade in heat, thermodynamics, and theory of the electromagnetic field.

In 1920, he married Emily Zolotareva, whose father, an army officer, was killed in the World War. There are three daughters, aged ten, eight and five years.

In 1924 he came to the United States and has since been employed in the laboratory of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., as Research Physicist. He has worked on a considerable variety of problems, particularly in the fields of thermionics, optics and thermodynamics. At present, he is in charge of the X-ray and Biophysics Group in the Physics Division of the Westinghouse Research Laboratories. A complete list of his publications since 1918 is attached. He is a Fellow of the American Physical Society, and a member of the Optical Society of America, the American Mathematical Society, the German Physical Society, the Swiss Physical Society, and the Physical Society of Pittsburgh. He is also a Lecturer in the Physics Department of the University of Pittsburgh.

March 9, 1933

Dear Professor Lillie;

Thank you for your kind favor of the first in reference to Mr. Rashevsky. The Institute for Advanced Study will begin next autumn with a school of mathematics and mathematical physics. There is no likelihood that we shall expand further for some time to come, and I have no idea when we shall enter the field of bio-physics; though it seems to me unlikely that there will be an opening for Mr. Rashevsky at this time, I shall send your letter to Professor Veblen.

With all good wishes and high regard, I am

Very sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Professor R. S. Lillie
Department of Physiology
The University of Chicago
Chicago, Illinois

AF:ESB

Maass & Davidson
Attorneys

Cable Address "Maasherb"

Herbert H. Maass
Willur C. Davidson
Monroe L. Friedman
David J. Levy

20 Exchange Place

New York, July 8, 1941.

Dr. Frank Aydelotte,
The Institute for Advanced Study,
Fuld Hall,
Princeton, N. J.

Dear Dr. Aydelotte:-

Recently I wrote to Mr. Raskob, who advised me that he received a copy of your report of the Economics Section of the Institute, and I quote further from his letter:

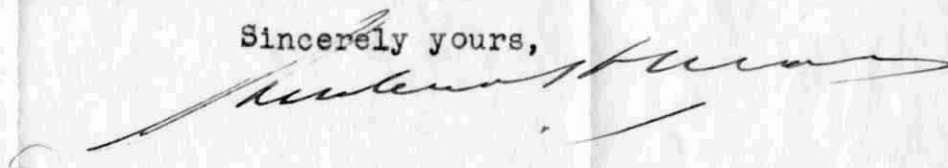
"I should be much interested in receiving any articles dealing with consumer instalment credit and sales of finance companies and their credit practices."

If, as I sense, there are such publications issued by the Institute, will you be good enough to see that Mr. Raskob receives copies of them.

At the same time I acknowledge yours of July 1st, and await with eager interest Mr. Larson's sketches and estimates.

With kind personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,



HHM:JR

July 9, 1941

Mr. Herbert H. Maass
20 Exchange Place
New York City

My dear Mr. Maass:

In Dr. Aydelotte's absence I have received your letter of the eighth. I made inquiry and I learn that the Institute has not published any articles dealing with consumer instalment credit, etc. The National Bureau of Economic Research, 1819 Broadway, New York City, has issued seven volumes on this and allied subjects, and five studies are under way. Mr. William Carson would be the person to address at the National Bureau of Economic Research.

Mr. Larson has not submitted any estimates in connection with the housing plan, but I shall write to Dr. Aydelotte as he may have talked to him about prices.

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM S. DAWLEY

ESB

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

July 21, 1941

Dear Mr. Aydelotte:

I talked with Mr. Riefler about Mr. Raskob's wish to have more material on consumer finance. I don't think he *(Mr. Riefler)* is inclined to have the Bureau send him copies gratis. I am, therefore, sending you below the list of publications with the prices, (some of which I do not have), if you want to pass this information on to Mr. Maass.

Publications of National Bureau of Economic Research
1819 Broadway - Consumer Finance studies:

Chapman, J. M.	
Commercial Banks and Consumer Installment Credit	\$3.00
Bernstein, Blanche	
Pattern of Consumer Debt	2.50
Saulnier, R. J.	
Industrial Banking Companies and Their Credit Practices	—
Coppock, J. D.	
Government Agencies of Consumer Installment Credit	—
Holthausen, Merriam, Nugent	
Volume of Consumer Installment Credit	1.50
Durand, D.	
Risk Elements of Consumer Installment Financing	—
Young, R. A.	
Personal Finance Companies and Their Credit Practices	2.00
Plummer, W.C. and Young, R. A.	
Sales Finance Companies and Their Credit Practices	3.00

Very sincerely yours,

Marion R. Wins

JOHN J. RASKOB
EMPIRE STATE
NEW YORK CITY

May 22, 1941

Frank Aydelotte, Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Aydelotte:

Thank you very much for your
letter of the twentieth, enclosing your report to
the Board of Trustees of the Institute for Advanced
Study, which I shall read with much interest.

I shall take the liberty of com-
municating with you again if ~~there~~ I should like any
further information or have any questions to ask.

I particularly appreciate Mr.
Maass' interest in having you send this copy to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. J. Raskob

(Copy to Mr. Maass)

May 20, 1941

Dear Mr. Raskob:

One of the Trustees of the Institute, Mr. Herbert H. Maass, has suggested that you would be interested to see a report which I made to the Board of Trustees on the work of our School of Economics. Under the direction of economists at the Institute, the National Bureau of Economic Research has been making some exhaustive factual studies in the field of instalment buying and consumer finance, which are sketched in a brief outline in this report.

I take pleasure in enclosing a copy of the report herewith and if you should like any further information about these studies I should be most happy to obtain the information for you.

Believe me,

Yours very sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE, Director

John J. Raskob, Esq.
350 Fifth Avenue
New York City

FA/MCE

(Copy to Mr. Maass)

July 19, 1940

Dr. Paolo Rava
71-60 Austin Street
Forest Hills
Long Island, New York

Dear Dr. Rava:

I have shown Professor Earle your papers and gone over the whole matter with him. I very much regret to say that it does not appear possible for us to offer you any kind of appointment at the Institute for Advanced Study next year. Your specialty is a little aside from the work we are doing, and I would suggest to you very strongly that you try to follow out Professor Chamberlain's advice in some American law school. Did you ask Professor Chamberlain whether there would be any possibility for a research appointment at the Columbia Law School? That would be ideal for you, but I think you ought also to try Yale, Harvard, Michigan, and Chicago.

I am sorry that there is nothing here, but if I can be of help to you in any way in finding an appointment elsewhere, please don't hesitate to call on me.

Always sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE

FA:ESB

DOTT. PAOLO RAVÀ

71-50, Austin St.,
Forest Hills,
Long Island, N.Y.

July, 16, 1940.

Dear President Aydelotte :

Since I had such a nice reception by you at Princeton, I visited Mr. Moe, whom you have been so good as to introduce me to.

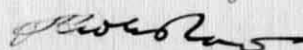
This morning I have spoken to Professor Chamberlain, who strongly advised me to do a work on Administrative Courts as a check to executive action in Italy, topic about which we had already discussed in Oxford. Later today I met Mr. Ch. Dollard of the Carnegie Foundation who suggested me to go in touch with Mr. Edward M. Earle, because he is Chairman of a Committee interested in the political and legal structure of Europe. Perhaps there might be a chance for me to do some work in this field, and even the subject suggested by Professor Chamberlain could be on this line.

I wonder whether you would be good enough as to advise me in the matter, or should I go directly in touch with Mr. Earle ?

From the financial point of view, the Emergency Committee in Aid of Displaced Scholars seems willing to make a grant, provided that an application is presented by an Institution, which could take me later. I had also a note of introduction from Laski to the Rockefeller people.

Many thanks in anticipation, and please excuse my writing to you.

Yours sincerely.



President Aydelotte,
Institute for Advanced Studies,
Princeton, N.J.

Rava

June 22, 1940

Dear Henry:

This is to introduce to you Dr. Paolo Rava, a specialist in public law, who has made quite a name for himself during the last year in Oxford. I enclose one or two Oxford letters which he has brought along with him. He knows Chamberlain and is carrying introductions to a few people in law schools in the United States.

I should be most grateful if you could find the time to have a talk with Dr. Rava and give him the benefit of your advice as to how he might proceed to find an opening in this country. I know how shy our law schools are about offering places to men who are not trained in the English common law, but Dr. Rava's specialty might be of more than usual interest. If, however, you think a position in a law school impossible perhaps he had better change to political science or some other subject.

I would be most grateful if you could find time to discuss the matter with him.

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE

Mr. Henry Allen Moe
The Guggenheim Foundation
551 Fifth Avenue
New York City

FA/MCE

DOTT. PAOLO RAVÀ

71-50, Austin St.,
Forest Hills, L.Y.

N.Y., June 18th 1940.

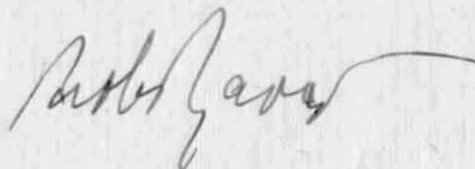
Dear President Aydelotte,

Many thanks for your
kind letter of yesterday.

I shall be very glad
to come and see you on Friday morning, about
half past eleven, which I do hope might be a
convenient time to you.

Very happy of the
opportunity of meeting you, I am

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Paolo Ravà', with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

President Aydelotte,
Institute for Advanced Studies,
Princeton.

DOTT. PAOLO RAVÀ

71-50, Austin Street,
Forest Hills,
Long Island.

N.Y., June 20, 1940.

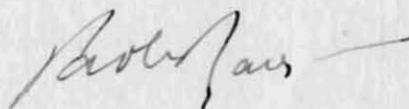
Dear President Aydelotte,

Thank you for your telegram of today.

As you mention Saturday morning as a convenient time to you, I should be very pleased to call on you at about 11 a.m., at the Institute.

With kind regards.

Yours truly.



President Frank Aydelotte,
Institute for Advanced Studies,
Princeton,
New Jersey.

May 23, 1940

Dear Mrs. Errera:

Many thanks for your kind letter and many apologies for my delay in answering it. We all look forward with great pleasure to having your daughter at Swartmore next year.

Dr. Rava's training in law is of a kind that is very difficult to transfer from one country to another. My advice to him would be to seek a position in what is called in the United States "political science," and that if nothing of that sort is available at the moment it may be worth while for him to seek a position teaching Italian until an opening in his own field occurs. I am sorry to say that I have no suggestion to make at this time as to where he might apply, but I shall be glad to keep his papers at hand and let you know if I can think of anything.

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE

Mrs. Jacqueline Errera
3 Palmer Square
Princeton, New Jersey

FA/MCE

3 Palmer square
Princeton

Dear Mr. Sydelotte

I wanted just to thank you
for all your kindness and tell you
that my husband was very pleased
of having his daughter at Swarthmore.

I just received a letter about it.
I enclose you a paper and should like
to have your opinion about it.

Is there some place for a man of
the kind of Mr. Rava somewhere?

With all my "gratitude" (is this
right?) I am yours very sincerely
Jacqueline Weiss

-Renzo Rava-

Curriculum Vitae

Italian; born in Florence on July 15 1906; single; American resident.

Studies: Doctor's degree in law with honours at the University of Florence in July 1928, with a thesis in business law.

Doctor's degree in political and social sciences at the University of Florence in October 1930, with a thesis in labor law.

Attended the Institute of public law in the University of Munich in 1931.

Languages: Italian, English, French, German.

Appointments: 1932, Assistant in public law, University of Florence.

" Assistant professor of labor law, University of Florence.

1933-1935, Lecturer in constitutional law, University of Florence.

1935-1936, Lecturer in public comparative law, University of Florence.

1936, Full professor of national and international labor law, University of Messina.

1937, Full professor of national and international labor law in the University of Florence

1932, Abilitation for pleading in the forum of Florence.

1937, Abilitation for pleading in the Supreme Court of Rome (Corte di Cassazione).

Subjects: Labor law, with regard to its economical and social problems particularly.

Publications: Published works:

The plural vote in private corporations, Bologna, 1930, 210 pp.

Labor unions and private law, Florence, 1931, 120 pp.

Labor unions as public corporations, Padova, 1933, 71 pp.

The statutes of public corporations, Milano, 1935, 251 pp.

The statutes of labor unions, Padova, 1936, 217 pp.

Essais on labor law, Florence, 1937, 85 pp.

Published articles:

Bankruptcy and the competence of labor jurisdiction in Massimario di Giurisprudenza del lavoro, 1932.

The provincial labor councils in Enciclopedia giuridica, 1934.

The autonomie of jurisdictional labor law in Rassegna corporativa, 1934.

Property transfers between public corporations in Rassegna italiana per le scienze giuridiche, 1935.

The state as a shareholder in Rivista di diritto commerciale, 1936.

The modern theories on legal personality, Rassegna corporativa, 1937

The special law dispositions for categories of laborers in Trattato di diritto del lavoro, 1938.

From:

THE WARDEN
RHODES HOUSE.

TEL. ADDRESS.
AUGURY, OXFORD.
TEL NO 2170.

RHODES HOUSE,
OXFORD.

18th May, 1940.

Dear Frank,

This is to introduce to you Dr. P. Rava, about whom I have already written to you. Both he and I will be most grateful for any advice or help which you can give him.

Yours sincerely



President Aydelotte
Swarthmore College
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71-50 Auden St.

Forest Hills L.I. NY

Curriculum vitae of Doctor Paolo Ravà .

- Born in Venice on the 29th December 1911; Italian; married; with two children (3 and 2 years of age).

- Studies : Took his Doctor's degree in law, with a thesis on the "Promulgation of the Statutes", on the 17th July 1933, at the University of Padua.

Passed the examinations of the "Scuola Sindacale" in Venice and of the Faculty of Political Science in Padua.

Qualified as "procuratore" (practising lawyer) in the forum of Padua, in 1936.

1939-1940, studied English law at the University of London and of Oxford.

- Languages : English, French and German fluently and a certain knowledge of Spanish. Italian is his own language.
- Appointments : 1934-1938, Assistant to Professor Donato Donati, Director of the Institute of Public Law and Dean of the Faculty of Political Science of the University of Padua.

1937-38, Lecturer on Public Law at the University of Padua for the students of the Faculties of Law and of Political Science. One of his latest courses was on the Division of Powers.

Would have been made Professor September 1938, but was unable on account of the antisemitic legislation.

- Subjects : Public Law with particular regard to administrative law - Government.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS of P. Ravà.

"La convalida degli atti amministrativi" (The confirmation of administrative acts), Padua, 1937, 250 pp.

A book on administrative acts and their validity. Regard is paid to the differences between private and public law and to similarities and differences of confirmation on one hand, "ratification", "regularisation", "bill of indemnity" on the other. The confirmation is then considered as an administrative act, under the point of view of its elements and construction.

The book gives a large part to Italian and foreign literature and a particular consideration to the decisions of the Italian Consiglio di Stato and to the French Conseil d'Etat.

"La perenzione nel processo amministrativo" (The 'peremptio' in the administrative process), Padua, 1938, 80 pp.

Article upon the end of the administrative process because of the inactivity of the parties and of the judge. The differences with the rules of the civil procedure are pointed out as well as some principles of the various administrative processes (Consiglio di Stato, Corte dei Conti).

"La concessione d'acqua pubblica in via di sanatoria" (The licence to use public water as ratification of illegitimate use), in the Rivista dei beni pubblici, 1938.

Article upon a particular licence, granted when the public interest is satisfied that an improper use was nevertheless useful.

"Comunicazione dei motivi e decorrenza del termine a ricorrere" (Notification of the reasons and time in which an action must be brought), in Il Foro Italiano, 1938.

Comment to a decision of the Consiglio di Stato.

"In tema di rinvio o di giudizio diretto del Consiglio di Stato" (On total or partial jurisdiction of the Consiglio di Stato as Court of Appeal), in Il Foro Amministrativo, 1938.

Comment to a decision of the Consiglio di Stato.

Reviews in "L'Archivio di diritto pubblico" and in The Law Quarterly Review, 1940.

Rava

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THE LAW QUARTERLY REVIEW
University College, Oxford, and
13 Old Square, Lincoln's Inn, London, W.C.2

May 17, 1940

Dear Sirs:

Dr. Paolo Rava has been resident at Oxford for the past year. During that time I have got to know him well, and I have formed the highest opinion of his ability and character. He is a scholar of outstanding merit, - enthusiastic, thorough, and reliable. Any courtesy that you may be able to show him will be a personal favour to me.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) Arthur Goodhart

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF PADUA

FACULTY OF LAW

INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC LAW

This is to certify that Doctor Paolo Rava, former Assistant at this Institute of Public Law, has delivered, during the academic year 1937-38, courses of lectures and conducted seminars on various subjects of public law for the students of the Faculties of Law and of Political Science.

Owing to the importance of the subject and to the success with which they were delivered, the lectures on the principle of the division of powers and its application in the Italian constitution deserve particular mention.

Both for the consciousness and for the thoroughness of his scientific preparation and for his clear and efficient explanation of the subjects, Doctor Rava has demonstrated, in the conduct of his duty, very good aptitude for teaching.

Padua, 28th March 1940-XVII

The Director

ENRICO GUICCIARDI

The Principal

CARLO ANTI

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF PADUA

INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC LAW

Doctor Rava' has been Assistant in this Institute of Public Law for three years. I am glad to certify that he applied himself with great zeal and with the greatest efficiency to the tasks of his office, collaborating in all the branches of activity of the Institute and taking a special care of the library. At the same time he devoted himself with intense and steady application to the scientific preparation, with a particular regard to the branches of Administrative Law. With a work methodically conducted, through the most fortunate gifts of his intellect and through the seriousness of his aims, Doctor Rava' quickly developed a broad and solid culture and a sure ability of investigation.

Of these gifts he has given an eminent proof in recognized publications.

I consider Doctor Rava' a studious man, in whom the utmost confidence can be placed.

Padua, 17th June 1938.

The Dean

DONATO DONATI

V. The Principal.

CARLO ANTI

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THE RYDINGS

Sylvester Road

Cambridge

May 17th, 1939

Mr. Paolo Rava is known to me as one of the most promising of the younger teachers of law in Italy. He was on the point of being made a Professor but the recent Italian legislation against the Jews has deprived him of this advancement. He is extremely well spoken of by several Italian lawyers who are well known to me and I regard him as a very able lawyer who would make good if he is given an opportunity. His character is in every way unexceptionable.

(Signed) H. C. Guttendge

Professor of Comparative Law, Univ. of Cambridge

One of His Majesty's Counsel

TELEGRAM

June 20, 1940

Dr. Paolo Rava
71-40 Austin Street
Forest Hills, L. I.

Regret eleven Friday impossible Glad see you any time Saturday morning

Frank Aydelotte

Frank

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102 hwy*

Ravenhall D. G.
Department of Physics,

971
Carnegie Institute of Technology,

Schenley Park,

Pittsburgh 13, Pa.

Publications Secretary,
Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton

Barbara
Please send
& return letter
D.O.
Km

Dear Sir,

I should very much appreciate
a copy of the paper by Low and
Gell-Mann on a proof of the validity
of the Bethe-Salpeter equation.

Yours sincerely,

D. G. Ravenhall

Reade, Maxwell

Copy for Miss ^{Blake}~~Wise~~
Miss Miller

June 15, 1942

Dear Dr. Reade:

We are naturally very sorry to hear that it will be impossible for you to come to the Institute next year, but when the matter was discussed yesterday by our Mathematics faculty there was general agreement that you had made a wise decision and great satisfaction that you will be so usefully employed. I hope that at some time in the future it will be feasible for you to have a period of study here.

With warmest good wishes, I am

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE, Director

Dr. Maxwell Reade
Department of Mathematics
The Ohio State University
Columbus, Ohio

FA/MCE

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

HOWARD L. BEVIS, President

COLUMBUS

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

June 10, 1942

Dr. Frank Bydelotte
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Viblen
Alexander
Morse

Dear Dr. Bydelotte:

On February 23rd last you had offered me a stipend for study at the Institute, which I accepted soon after. I must now resign the appointment.

The local draft board called me in for another consultation about three weeks ago, for studies concerning a renewal of my deferment. The board explained that times had changed since last April, when we met last, and that they felt it was unwise for a young man to study mathematics "in a vacuum"; so to speak. More important still, though, was the statement that I would be inducted in July, and then reclassified; rather than run the risk of further complication, I have accepted a tentative offer from Purdue, in accordance with present expediences.

However, I look forward to making your acquaintance in the very near future.

Sincerely
Maxwell Rade

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

HOWARD L. BEVIS, *President*

COLUMBUS

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Mr. Frank Aydelotte, Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Aydelotte:

In reply to your letter of the 23rd of February, in which you announced the offer of a stipend to me, I wish to state that I accept the offer with a full realization of the honor accorded me.

I know that I shall have a pleasant year at The Institute.

Yours sincerely,

Maxwell Reade

Maxwell Reade

xx/MR

copy p. 10 ✓

February 23, 1942

Dr. Maxwell Reade
177 East Weber Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Columbus

Dear Dr. Reade:

On the recommendation of the faculty of the
School of Mathematics, it gives me great pleasure to offer
you membership in the Institute for Advanced Study for
the academic year 1942-1943, with a stipend of \$1500.00.

Looking forward with pleasure to having you
with us, I am

Yours sincerely,

FRANK AYDELOTTE, Director

FA/MCE

copy S.B. ✓

Memo to Dr. Aydelme.

Dear Dr. Aydelme,

The address of Dr. Maxwell Peade, is

shown in our filing a \$1500 award for next year,

is 177 East Webster Road, Columbus, Ohio.

Dr. Peade is at present an instructor at Ohio State

University. Do you care to look over his dossier

which is in our files?

Sincerely yours.

Jan W. Alexander

Recinos, Adrian

GUATEMALAN EMBASSY
1614 Eighteenth Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

September 20, 1943.

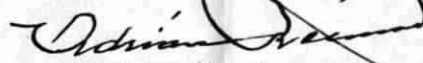
Dr. Frank Aydelotte, Director
The Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, New Jersey.

Dear Dr. Aydelotte:

September 15. Thank you very much for your letter of

The name of Quebec in the Quiche document published by our Historical Society called my attention when I saw it for the first time. It seems, however, that the spelling is not correct. In the photostat that you kindly sent me the name is written Quevec which should be pronounced Quewec, since the letter y was used in those times instead of u. The termination vec, or vek is also found in other proper names and the royal house of Quiche was called the House of Cavec, or Cawek.

Sincerely yours,



Adrian Recinos
Ambassador of Guatemala.

27 August 1943

Dear Dr. Rowe:

We shall be most happy to see Dr. Recinos
at the Institute next Monday and to show him every-
thing we have. If you have an opportunity I hope
you will tell him that it would give me great pleasure
to have him lunch with me at the Institute that day.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. L. S. Rowe
Pan-American Union
Washington, D.C.

Recursos

L. S. ROWE

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WASHINGTON 6, D. C., U. S. A.

August 28, 1943

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ECUADOR	UNITED STATES
EL SALVADOR	URUGUAY
	VENEZUELA

My dear Dr. Aydelotte:

Many thanks for your letter of August 27th
the contents of which I immediately communicated to
the Ambassador of Guatemala. He informs me that he
will be delighted to lunch with you on Monday next,
and expects to arrive at the Library about 11:00
o'clock.

With cordial regards and hoping to have the
pleasure of seeing you at sometime in the near future,
I am,

Very sincerely yours,

L. S. Rowe,
Director General.

Dr. Frank Aydelotte,
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey.

31 August 1943

Dear Dr. Rowe:

Dr. Adrian Recinos, the Ambassador from Guatemala, spent yesterday at the Institute working on our Maya documents. His visit was of great interest to all of us, and we were all delighted to hear from Dr. Recinos that he considers our small collection exceedingly rich in rare items connected with the early history of Mexico and the Central American countries. He has generously promised to send us some publications in which he has been concerned which will add further to our collection. We hope to see him here frequently in the future.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

Dr. L. S. Rowe
Pan American Union
Washington, D.C.



THE DIRECTOR GENERAL
PAN AMERICAN UNION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

August 25, 1943

My dear Dr. Aydelotte:

The Guatemalan Ambassador, Dr. Adrian Recinos
is planning to visit the library of the Institute on
Monday morning next to consult some documents.

I will greatly appreciate any courtesies ex-
tended to him, and beg to remain,

Most sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "L. S. Rowe". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

L. S. Rowe,
Director General.

Dr. Frank P. Aydelotte,
President, Institute for Advanced Studies,
Princeton, New Jersey.



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December 4, 1957

Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

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Will you kindly advise us of the availability of
any reports or papers you have published on the study of
"gravity".

A prompt reply in this regard will be appreciated.
Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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Eileen Root, Librarian

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done here on
gravity*

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Inst Gen Reading Lab.

Mr. Shale, pres. of Reading Laboratory in NY, will call Tuesday for an appt. with RO.
His secy, Mrs. Calloway, called 3/20/59, to ask for one, and said he would be in Princeton Tuesday. They do work with libraries, and in "developmental reading".
I sent a booklet, saying that when Mr. Shale had seen it perhaps he would not feel that an interview would be useful.

(PE 6-0763, 500 Fifth Avenue)

Aug. 2.45 for about 15 min., if he calls.

did not call

Fremont, Nebraska, December 10th, 1932

C. Reckmeyer

Copy
Editor World-Herald:

It is the rarest of jokes for the Women's Patriotic Corporation to try to keep Albert Einstein out of America because he does not believe in war. The world would not be bankrupt at the present time had it not been for the world war, but perhaps bankruptcy is a blessing that will dethrone the Idol of Gold that we have long worshipped.

As all that exists in relation to all else that is, it is well that America should rejoice to receive a man who teaches peace and the development to which peace gives birth. Ideas are living things that beget after their kind in conception with divergent Ideas. Although Einstein is called great, "the least shall be greatest and the greatest shall be least", so who is great? How infinitely small is the greatest of us to a Universe that is without beginning or end and there can be neither, for if there were what was before or after time or space? Therefore nothing is something because it is a living thought. To a human being, six feet high, a thought, which may weigh one quintillionth of an ounce and may be one quintillionth of an inch in height does not appear as a life, but someone in the past has considered it so for the word conceive means to think and to create life. Who is there to say that he who conceives ~~thought~~ infinite thought is not a greater benefactor than he who conceives children that are finite until thought makes them infinite? Surely the secret of life everlasting will not be unfolded in war that seeks the destruction of life and so why not welcome Einstein and the study of all that is? While "Deutschland Uber Alles" shall not dominate us by the brutal Kaiser Wilhelm's force perhaps our lives functioning in proper relation to a German thinker's Ideas of relativity will beget great good.

Clarence Reckmeyer.

*How do you
like this miss
Barley?
Clarence Reckmeyer*

Clarence Reckmeyer

Fremont, Nebraska December 10th, 1932.

Miss Esther S. Bailey,
Assistant Secretary,
100 East 42nd Street,
New York City.

My Dear Miss Bailey:

Your kind letter of the 6th received.

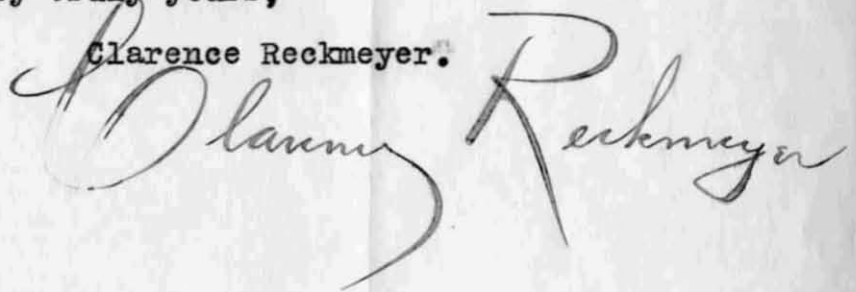
Albert Einstein says: -"He is happiest who wants least from anyone.
I do not care for money, decoration or titles."

As I too, like Albert, do not care for titles, I have no Ph.D. fastened onto the end of my name and so if your institution does not admit people who believe in Einstein it is alright with me. In fact I want little from anyone and am therefore happy. As the least shall be greatest and the greatest shall be least who is great-Einstein or Reckmeyer? "Everything which is, is that which it is not!" and I can prove it. "Non-existence exists because it is a thought." While I have ~~many~~ individual ideas of relativity there is considerable enjoyment ~~and~~, education and development in studying the ideas of others. Ideas are living things that beget after their kind in communing with other Ideas. I am therefore interested in learning all of Mr. Einstein's Ideas.

With very kind personal regards, I am

Very truly yours,

Clarence Reckmeyer.

A large, stylized handwritten signature of Clarence Reckmeyer in dark ink, written over the typed name.

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Clarence Reckmeyer
Fremont, Nebraska November 30, 1932

Mr. L. Bamberger,
Newark, N. J.

Dear Mr. Bamberger:

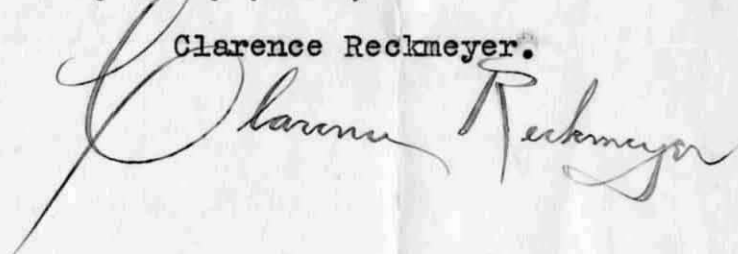
Observing that you are interested in the foundation of an educational institution to be founded by Professor Albert Einstein I am writing to ask if you can send me a prospectus or an outline of the aims of the founders. How is the ~~school~~ school to be maintained and how are scholars to be enrolled? I have long been interested in the study of "Relativity", which to me means the study of the relationship of all things.

Are you able to tell me where I can secure a list of books along these lines?

I will thank you very kindly for the information.

Very truly yours,

Clarence Reckmeyer.

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Clarence Reckmeyer". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name.

December 6, 1932

Mr. Clarence Reckmeyer

Fremont, Nebraska

My dear Mr. Reckmeyer:

Mr. Bamberger has referred your inquiry of November 30 to me for reply. I am sending you under separate cover Bulletin No. 1 which describes the organization and purpose of the Institute. It has been decided to open the Institute in October 1933 in Princeton, New Jersey, with a School of Mathematics. Probably only persons who have obtained the Ph. D. degree or its equivalent will be admitted.

I regret to say that the Institute has no library as yet and therefore no books on the subject of relativity. I should think that the Librarian of the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, would be able to make suggestions which would be helpful.

Very truly yours,

ESTHER S. BAILEY

Assistant Secretary

sent
11/6/32

December 7, 1932

Mr. Clarence Reckmeyer
Fremont
Nebraska

My dear Mr. Reckmeyer:

Since writing to you yesterday, it has occurred to me that you may be interested in a little book by Professor Einstein designed to assist the layman in understanding the theory of relativity. The book, entitled "Relativity, the Special and General Theory," has been translated into English and was published in 1920. It can now be obtained from Peter Smith, 347 Fifth Avenue, New York City - price, \$2.50.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Secretary

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February 19, 1949

Dear Mrs. Reder:

Thank you for your letter and the listing of the paintings. I shall do my best to locate them; and you may be sure that I will return them to you as soon as they are found.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Director's Office

Mrs. J. Reder
105 West 72nd St.
New York 23, N. Y.

Mrs. J. Reder
105 West 72nd Street
New York, 23. N.Y.

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February 16, 1949

Miss Katherine Russel
Secretary to the Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey.

Dear Miss Russel:-

This acknowledges your letter of February 9 th.
You would be surprised if you would look into the file of our
experiences of the last ten years to find many similar mistakes.

Some time it will be general knowledge of which
value for the American people and art research in general my
husbands intentions and results are.

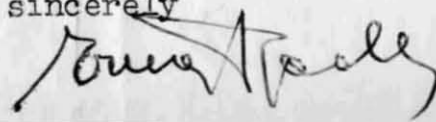
He wanted to bring before the eyes of a personality
as Dr. Oppenheimer for the first time what our powerful highclass
Swiss enemies have tried to find out since more than ten years
employing their best agents.

A volume of authentic documents in
our hands reveal their subtle underground activity to crush us
and our work.

Today it seems to be a crime against oneself to be
unselfish ,honest and good. Right and justice are wonderful
words - but in the difference between words and facts lies the
world mess.....

You request from me a listing of the photos.
Here enclosed is a copy of my letter of January 20th anticipating
this wish. We need the photos under the circumstances!

Yours sincerely



Mrs. J. Reder
105 West 72nd Street
New York, 23. N.Y.

Miss Katherine Russel
Secretary to the Director
The Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

January 20, 1949

Dear Miss Russell:-

Please find here enclosed the photographs you have
by mistake mailed to us, as explained to you this morning by
telephone .

The photographs submitted by us to Dr. Oppenheimer con-
cerning a donation were of paintings by :

1. Rembrandt, Hagar and Ismael
2. Rembrandt, Selfportrait (with detail)
3. Vermeer, Admiral Tromp
4. Vermeer, Girl with Indish hat
5. Frans Hals, Gentleman with an empty glass
6. Herc. Sanders, Portrait of a Lady
7. Velasquez, Portrait of an Ecclesiaste
8. Goya, Portrait of the Duchess of Alba
9. Goya, Portrait of the Prince of Talleyrand
10. French Master of the 14th century, Portrait
of Bertrand Du Guesclin

(mailed April 21, 1948)

Yours sincerely

Mrs. J. Reder

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February 9, 1949

Dear Mrs. Reder:

I am very sorry that I cannot promptly locate the photographs left with us. Would you be kind enough to give me a listing so that I may make a more thorough search? They are probably safely in our files; but we have so many papers that it is difficult for me to locate them without knowing exactly what they are.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Secretary

Mrs. Jacob Reder
105 West 72nd St.
New York 23, N. Y.

January 19, 1949

Dear Mr. Reder:

Please accept our apologies for the very long delay in returning your photographs to you. This has been occasioned by the fact that they were misplaced in the mass of files we have and because we do not have adequate facilities to handle the many things sent to us.

I am returning the photos to you herewith, and sincerely hope that you have not been inconvenienced by the long delay in getting them back to you.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Secretary to the Director

Mr. Jacob Reder
105 West 72nd St.
New York 23, N. Y.

J. Reder
105 West 72nd Street
New York 23, N. Y.

August 11, 1948

Dear Dr. Oppenheimer :

Having not heard from you since my last letter of May 10 my wife tried to telephone you today. Your secretary told her that you were abroad , that Professor Panofsky has declined to interest himself in this matter and that although it concerns a purely directorial decision you would as far as she knows have no interest in the donation of the paintings for your Institute.

To my deep regret I must therefore ask you to forgive me if I have taken your valuable time and to be kind enough to return to me the photos which I am unable to spare under these circumstances.

Most sincerely Yours

Jacob Reder
Jacob Reder

Dr. Robert Oppenheimer
Director of The Institute For Advanced Study
Princeton , New Jersey

Memorandum

To Mrs. RussellDate 6/24/48From Mrs. Leary

Re _____

Prof. Panofsky tried to reach you today to say that Mrs. Reder phoned him about an appointment with Mr. Reder, the restorer of paintings, to whom Dr. Oppenheimer had written. Panofsky just wanted to say he is not seeing Reder; that he did not think anyone should; and that he had told Dr. Oppenheimer this. Just drop it and if Reders call put them off completely.

EWL

Handwritten: J. Reder, 1st, c. Mountain 1679
J. Reder
105 West 72nd Street
New York 23, N.Y.
Sc 4- I984. *Handwritten: 2*

May 10, 1948.

Dr. Robert Oppenheimer
Director of the Institute for Advanced Studies
Princeton, New Jersey.

Dear Dr. Oppenheimer:

Thank you for your very gracious letter of May 7th.
May I hope that when you talk with Professor Panofsky about my work, you
will mention my wish to donate the paintings to your Institute for the
American people.

If you would give me the pleasure, to enable me to show
you the paintings (you will see how bad the photos are) and some of the
documents illuminating the tragic circumstances which accompany this work -
the rather desperate situation into which we have been brought just because
of cultural accomplishments - you would certainly understand why I wrote
to you, dear Dr. Oppenheimer and why I can't follow your advice.

May I repeat that it would be to my greatest
satisfaction to give the original paintings (not the photos) to your
Institute and that my wife and I wish only - as it seems impossible to
continue my work - to have the possibility to finish peacefully the book
we have started, concerning our ideas, methods and experiences in view of
the conservation of old paintings.

Most sincerely yours

Handwritten signature: Jacob Reder
Jacob Reder

*to
Panofsky*

May 7, 1948

Dear Mr. Reder:

Thank you for your very warm and interesting letter. Thank you also for sending me the wonderful photographs. It seems to me doubtful that this academic place can be of very much use to you, though I shall certainly discuss your work with Professor Panofsky when he returns.

Why do you not get in touch with the Metropolitan Museum, or with the Toledo Museum of Art, or the Chicago Art Institute, which surely should have the very greatest interest in your past accomplishments and the very greatest desire to take advantage of your talents?

With every warm good wish,

Robert Oppenheimer

Mr. J. Reder
105 West 72nd St.
New York 23, N. Y.

J.Reder
105 West 72nd Street
New York 23,N.Y.
Tel.Sc4-1984

formerly "Institut privé des recherches scientifiques
sur la peinture ancienne" 4 Square Marie-Louise
Bruxelles,Belgique.

April 20,1948

Dr.I.Robert Oppenheimer
The Institute for Advanced Study
Olden Lane , Princeton ,N.J.

Sehr geehrter Herr Doktor Oppenheimer:

Gestatten Sie mir vor Allem Ihnen unbekannterweise die
herzlichsten Glückwünsche zu Ihrem Geburtstag auszudrücken.
Es gibt gewiss sehr viele Unbekannte die das Gleiche zu tun wünschen.

Wenn ich aber heute an Sie schreibe- ich erlaube mir deutsch
zu schreiben ,weil ich weiss ,dass Sie es verstehen und es mir als
ehemaligem Oesterreicher trotz meines 15jähr.Aufenthaltes in Belgien
doch unter den gegenwärtigen Umständen leichter ist mich am deutlich-
sten verständlich zu machen - so sind Bände von Erlebnissen ,die noch
keine Druckerschwärze benetzt hat ,mit ein Grund ,Erlebnisse die un-
möglich in einem kurzen Schreiben zu fassen sind.

Die hier beigelegten Photos sind nur ein Bruchteil der Resul-
tate einer Arbeit ,ein grösser Teil ist noch nicht photographiert
und das Hauptmaterial möchte ich Ihnen gerne persönlich zeigen.

Wenn Sie mir von Ihrer so wertvollen Zeit nur eine Stunde
Gehör schenken wollen ,so können Sie die Tragweite dieses "Geburts-
tags-geschenks" für Ihr Institut ansehen ,das ich gerne machen möchte.

Ich persönlich wünsche nichts als ein bescheidenes Leben für
mich und meine Frau unter dem Schutz von Wahrheit und Gerechtigkeit.

Wenn Sie ,sehr g hrter Herr Doktor ,einen Einblick in die Resultate meiner Arbeit und die Dokumente machen,so werden Sie gewiss meine Absicht verstehen.

Es ist bekannt ,dass jedes Tier unter dem Schutz des Tierschutzvereins steht ,dass Vergehen an Tieren strafbar sind ,dass sogar die Experimente der Vivisektion zum Guten der Menschheit dienstbar von vielen verurteilt werden , aber das Kunstwerk ist vogelfrei!

Einmalige Werke von h chster kultureller Bedeutung von Rembrandt,Rubens, Raffael und Reihen anderer grosser Meister deren Schaffen von Wichtigkeit f r die Gegenwart und noch viel mehr f r die Zukunft ist ,werden durch falsche Behandlung der Reinigung und Uebermalung oft vernichtet.Wer wie ich auf meinen vielen Reisen in langen Jahren durch Europa einen Einblick bekommen hat ,wie unz hlige kostbare Werke f r immer zu Grunde gegangen sind ,kann es wohl verstehen.

Aus reinem Piet tsgef hl vor der Kunst ,habe ich es mir vor 25 Jahren in Europa -in Belgien - als Hobby zur Aufgabe gestellt als Privatsammler damals Mittel zu findenGem lde durch eine eigene Methode der Reinigung von Jahrhunderte alten zusammengewachsenen versteinten Firnissen und Uebermalungen - deshalb auch f r den Kenner wertlos und unkenntlich - schadlos zu befreien.

Auf diese Weise gelang es mir Mittel zu finden seit Jahrhunderten verlorene Originalwerke von Vermeer ,Rembrandt, Velasquez ,Greco ,Goya etc. zu retten unter Umst nden und Schwierigkeiten die keine Parallele in der Wissenschaft haben und die niemand glauben kann,der sich nicht von dem in meinen H nden befindlichen Material  berzeugt hat. Diese Arbeit ,die ich allein ohne jede Hilfe oder St tze oder Barmittel unternommen hatte wurde mit den gef hrlichsten Waffen der Menschheit,Neid , Hass, L ge und Verl umdung von Seiten einer Gruppe von Gegnern in einer Art bek mpft ,die unserer Generation gewiss zu keiner Ehre verhilft und denen ich es haupts chlich zu verdanken habe, dass es mir unm glich gemacht wurde meine 13k pfige Familie von dem Los in den Gaskammern Hitler's zu retten.

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Unser einziger Sohn ,ein brillanter Student am Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute war einige Monate vor seiner "Graduation as Chemical Ingeneer " in die Armee eingetreten und wurde mit 19 Jahren in der Am . Armee IOIst Airborne Division nach der Invasion der Normandie getötet.

Ich möchte die Resultate meiner Arbeit gerne Threm Institute geben und so ein Beispiel und Obdach für "verlorene " Kunst schaffen .

Ich glaube ,wenn Sie mir Gelegenheit geben Sie mit dem vorhandenen greifbaren Material vertraut zu machen ,so wird Ihnen der ungewöhnliche Schritt ,den ich mit diesem Schreiben mache und seine Bedeutung für die Kunstwissenschaft von heute und morgen , erklärlich erscheinen .

Ich gestatte mir nochmals bei dieser Gelegenheit meine besten Wünsche für Sie zu wiederholen und verbleibe mit dem Ausdruck der grössten Hochachtung

Ihr

Israel Kaden

Law School of Harvard University,

Cambridge, Mass.

16/IV. 1933

J. Redlich

My Dear friend Fleumer,

I am truly sorry, if my correspondence
came to you any trouble: Let me thank you very heartily
for your kind letter of 14th April and, I pray, take my
assurance, that I truly only desire to see you - after
so long a time - and that I wish to talk with you on
certain aspects of that recent shameful revolution in
Germany. As I intend to begin my vacation, by sailing
to England on 18th May and later to go to Vienna, to
see then my family, I am anxious to see you
before that date in New York City where this can be done
without any interference with your business. Just on
Tuesday & Wednesday of the second week of May, when you
are in New York City, I have to hold
oral Dutch examinations, and on 27th - 29th April I
am bound to be in Washington D. C. for the meeting
of the American Association for International Law.
Then I should like to come to see you on 5th May
to New York again, seeing from your kind letter,
that you will be here in the early part of May at
any time. Thus I trust, I can see you one that
day - Friday of the first week of May, and can enjoy
all more a talk with you!

With my very best greetings I am
Yours obsequiously Joseph Redlich

April 25, 1933

Dear Professor Redlich:

I am sorry that I could not reply earlier to your kind note of the 16th, but I was out of town and came back to a desk that was piled high. I shall be delighted to see you before you sail. Won't you telephone me (Ashland 4 - 3775) when you reach New York and you may be certain that I will find an hour when you and I can sit down quietly and talk things over. The things that are happening in Germany are indeed incredible.

With all good wishes and high regard,

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Professor Josef Redlich
Law School of Harvard University
Cambridge, Massachusetts

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NEW YORK UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
WASHINGTON SQUARE EAST, NEW YORK

February 27, 1931

Dr. Abraham Flexner,
150 East 72nd Street,
New York City, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Flexner:-

First, may I thank you for "Universities". I have found it constructively helpful in my own work, and am asking each one of the College teachers who are members of my Graduate Seminar, to read it in the same spirit.

But this was not the main object of my writing. I have a rather valuable research library which I am using in my own work at New York University. I am a little worried as to the ultimate disposition of this library.

While I was connected with Chicago University, Dr. Judd was vitally interested in its permanent preservation for research purposes. In case of my death I felt that he would see to it that it was preserved intact and used for scholars. After I came to New York Dr. Robert J. Leonard of Columbia, was equally interested, and I felt quite easy. Since his death, I have many times wondered where the library would find a final resting place.

When I noticed some months ago the establishment under your direction of a Research Institute, I questioned at once whether such a library as mine would fit into your program. It is a professional library - not a Liberal Arts contribution, although there is much material on Liberal College Activities. We call it a Personnel Library and that is really what it is - interpreted in the broader sense. It has been collected over the entire period of the personnel movement - and I feel that it should be left to an institution which will see that it does not become disintegrated.

I realize that your time is in demand many times over. Perhaps you will know from the letter whether or not the New Jersey organization will include the sort of research library covered. However, even though you feel that it is not within the scope of your present organization, I know of no one who would be able to advise me so well in regard to the best place to make this donation.

Dr. Abraham Flexner,
New York City, N.Y.

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February 27, 1931

If you are willing to look at the library and advise me so that I may make provision in case of sudden death, I will be most appreciative of your assistance.

Yours very sincerely,

(Mrs) Anna Y Reed

Anna Y. Reed
Professor of Personnel Administration

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March 5, 1931

Mrs. Anna Y. Reed
New York University
School of Education
Washington Square East
New York, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Reed:

In Dr. Flexner's absence abroad, I have received your letter of February 27 regarding your valuable research library. This would be a matter naturally to refer to the librarian of the Institute, but unfortunately the Institute has only been formally organized. The subjects to be studied, the faculty, the librarian have not been selected, and it will be some time before the actual work of the Institute is started. Dr. Flexner will probably return to America early in the summer, and I shall be happy to bring to his attention at that time your request for advice.

Very truly yours,

ESTHER S. BAILEY

Assistant Secretary

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WILLIAM P. REED
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PUBLIC RELATIONS
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March 28, 1950

Dear Mrs. Russell:

Jack Platten suggested I drop you a note to tell you something about the kind of services I might be able to perform for the Institute for Advanced Study.

The attached letterhead lists one of the organizations in the several fields in which we function as public relations advisers to a number of corporate clients involved in scientific research.

This organization furnishes science news and features to newspapers, magazines and radio commentators, and also acts as a central information agency through which science editors and writers check on information, arrange interviews, or are warded off from researchers or executives who wish to avoid the press. In other words, we are able to conduct a "two-way" public relations operation, and at this we have long experience and established contact with news and science writers and editors.

I'll be in Washington tomorrow, for example, to supervise an interview I have arranged for Watson Davis, editor of Science Service, with Dr. Bernard Halpern, chief of experimental research at L'Hopital Broussais of Paris, who is later addressing a seminar at the Edgewood Arsenal. In April I'll also be attending several sessions of the American College of Physicians; I mention these things merely to indicate my close connection with the medical end of the world of scientific thought.

Should you be in New York and want to discuss this further, please don't hesitate to telephone me. Or if you wish, I could see you in Princeton some week-end when I drive down to renew some old friendships with the folks at Opinion Research Corporation. Either way, I'd be happy to hear from you.

Sincerely,

William P. Reed.
William P. Reed.

Mrs. William L. Russell
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

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Dr. Wilets returned ~~this~~ with message
Thank you, but he doesn't think
he could do them any good.

*Inst. Gen. Reg. Ad School
at Clark*

REGIONAL ADULT SCHOOL *at* CLARK

P. O. BOX 701, CLARK, N. J.

Tuesday February 25, 1958

Institute for Advanced Studies
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear sir:

The Regional Adult School at Clark would like to start an Annual Forum as a service to the community. We hope you can help us by making available a speaker or speakers, or suggesting where this might be arranged.

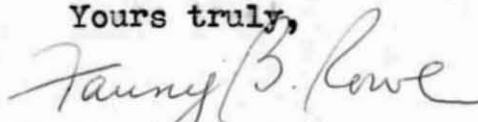
Our Board of Trustees, the school's governing body, has chosen as the first subject, "Science and Education". We look for speakers of high scholarly caliber with national reputation to discuss issues of vital current interest. We hope to attract an audience of adults and high school students interested in the nation and the world around them.

The Regional Adult School at Clark, is an independent, non-profit organization. It is administered by unpaid people anxious to expand the educational opportunities for members of this and surrounding New Jersey communities.

Enclosed is a listing of courses currently being offered. The honorarium our limited treasury is able to pay is about \$200. There would be no admission charge to the lecture.

Thank you for any help you might be able to offer us.

Yours truly,



(Mrs. Gilbert) Fanny B. Rowe

Chairman, Curriculum Comm.

REGIONAL ADULT SCHOOL

1958 SPRING PROGRAM

ARTHUR L. JOHNSON REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
WESTFIELD AVENUE, CLARK, N. J.

Registration: February 13 and 14 (Thur., Fri.), 1958, Arthur L. Johnson High School, 7-9 P.M.

Wednesday Classes: February 19, 26; March 5, 12, 19, 26; April 2, 16, 23, 30. (Easter vacation April 9)

WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASSES AT ARTHUR L. JOHNSON REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

CONVERSATIONAL LANGUAGES (Berlitz School of Languages)

The Berlitz Method is a direct conversational approach which eliminates tedious studying and memorizing. By using in class only the language that the students are learning, a large amount of material can be taught and learned in a relatively short time. The Berlitz textbook will be available for \$2.65.

C-20. SPANISH 7:30- 9:00 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-21. FRENCH 8:00-9:30 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-22. GERMAN 9:00-10:30 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-23. CURRENT ISSUES IN LABOR-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS

(Milton Pravitz, NLRB Attorney)

The course will survey the development of unions and industrial relations in the U. S., and analyze the most recent developments in the field. Areas covered will include: Government investigations, racketeering, prospects for additional labor legislation, automation, right to work laws, and the guaranteed annual wage. 8 SESSIONS.

7:30-9:00 P.M. FEE: \$2.00

C-24. LAW FOR THE LAYMAN (Union County Bar Ass'n)

Stay out of trouble. You can protect yourself and avoid the mistakes made by many due to lack of legal knowledge. In simple, non-technical terms, qualified members of the Union County Bar Association will discuss these topics: contracts, small business, real estate, personal property, torts and accidents, wills and administration, income tax returns, criminal liability, and liability under the Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Act.

9:00-10:30 P.M. FEE: \$3.00

C-25. RUSSIAN FOREIGN POLICY (Warren Ziegler)

Trained discussion leaders ask probing questions encouraging participants to examine the problems, arrive at and express their own opinions under the challenging scrutiny of their fellow participants and the conflicting views of the "experts" in the readings.

Fee includes set of readings which presents opposing viewpoints of Russian, European, and American political leaders, literary figures, and scholars. 11 SESSIONS, 8:00-10:00 P.M. FEES: \$12.00 per person \$18.00 per couple

C-26. AUTO MECHANICS (Joseph Aznar)

For owners, drivers, and all others interested in the care and repair of cars. Topics will include cleaning, checking, adjusting, and replacing of spark plugs, points, condensers, carburetors, brakes, headlights, and many other minor repairs. Trouble shooting will be the main theme of the course. All work will be performed on an actual car. LIMITED TO 15 students. All classes will be held at the Clark Garage, 165 Westfield Avenue, Clark. 8:00-10:00 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-27. GOLF—Fundamentals of (Daniel Billy)

For those who want to learn something of the pastime of the open! Also for Duffers, Divot Diggers, AND those who know enough about Golf to find all the sandtraps. Equipment will be supplied. Mr. Billy is Pro at Oak Ridge.

8:30-10:00 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-28. ADDED LIVING SPACE (Farber Bros. of Linden)

No place for you to: sit quietly and watch TV? read a book? entertain friends without the kids racing through? Need more indoor play area? Bedrooms?

Classes will cover layout and financing, carpentry—rough and finished, waterproofing, adequate wiring, plumbing, painting, flooring and more! Actual demonstrations will be made and valuable free literature will be available. Minimum of 15 students.

8:00-9:30 P.M. FEE: \$5.00

C-1. BEGINNING TYPING (Bernard M. Carr)

This course is designed for those who wish to learn touch typing. Skill and efficiency in the use of the keyboard and the operative parts of the typewriter will be the objective. Each registrant will need to purchase a typing book after the first class which costs about \$2.50.

7:30-9:00 P.M. FEE: \$7.50

COURSES AT KENILWORTH

K-30. PUBLIC SPEAKING (Melvin Farber)

This course will be both practical and stimulating. It will help the student to develop the ability to speak effectively before clubs and organizations. It will aid in developing courage and self-confidence and enable the student to become a more entertaining conversationalist.

AT KENILWORTH SCHOOL, KENILWORTH BOULEVARD
Wednesday 7:30-9:00 P.M. FEE: \$7.50

K-32. ADVANCED BLUEPRINT READING (Joseph Halady)

Exploratory contacts will be made with and information about a wide variety of occupations depending on blue print drawings. Interesting and useful facts about industrial organization, methods, machines, and materials will be covered. The development of an ability to interpret blueprints in various fields of work, such as machine, surface, and sheet metal, structural steel and reinforced concrete, architectural design principles, furniture and electrical will be included.

AT KENILWORTH SCHOOL, KENILWORTH BOULEVARD
Wednesday 7:30-9:30 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

K-31. BETTER DRIVING TECHNIQUES (N. J. Automobile Club)

A series of three two-hour sessions, including demonstration of psycho-physical testing and its significance; preventive maintenance for auto drivers, economical driving techniques, suggestions for the use of the power assists in modern cars; auto insurance and what it does and does not do for the owner and driver. Two films.

March 12, 19, and 26, 8:00-10:00 P.M. FREE

AT KENILWORTH SCHOOL, KENILWORTH BOULEVARD

C-2. SHORTHAND—INTERMEDIATE (To be announced)

This course is for students who have completed the beginning course or its equivalent. It consists of basic shorthand principles plus reading and dictation practice.

7:30-9:00 P.M. FEE: \$7.50

C-3. CONTRACT BRIDGE—INTERMEDIATE (Henry Douwes)

This course will continue with the fundamentals of bidding and playing Contract Bridge, using the newest system—the Goren Point Count system, started in the Fall Course. Blackboard demonstrations and actual play of duplicate hands will be used to analyze bidding, leads, and play. Course is also for those who wish to review and improve their bridge playing.

7:30-9:00 P.M. FEE: \$7.50

C-4. ADVANCED SEWING (Mrs. Doris Simpson)

Clothing construction for those who have had beginning sewing and those who are experienced sewers. Emphasis is given to pattern alteration, fitting and tailoring. Each student makes a dress, suit, or topper as she learns. Bring materials and notions to first class. LIMITED TO 15 students.

8:00-10:00 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-5. BALLROOM DANCING (Miss Jean Baron)

IF you have never danced before—

IF you are tired of walking off the floor when the music changes to cha-cha-cha, mambo, or tango—

THIS IS THE COURSE FOR YOU!

HAVE FUN and learn all the popular dances: foxtrot, lindy, rumba, mambo, cha-cha-cha, tango, etc.

7:30-9:00 P.M. FEES: \$ 8.00 per person \$15.00 per couple

C-5A. ADVANCED BALLROOM AND FOLK DANCING (Miss Jean Baron)

TIRED of doing the same old steps? LEARN advanced ballroom dancing and many new variations.

SPECIAL TRAINING in folk dancing, learn the major folk dances of England, Poland, Germany, Israel, Italy, etc. HAVE FUN and learn at the same time.

9:00-10:30 P.M. FEE: \$15.00 per couple

C-6. ADVANCED TYPING (Bernard M. Carr)

One-third of each class meeting will be spent in technique improvement, control, and speed building. The remaining two-thirds of each class meeting will be allotted to problem typing. These problems will include such topics as: five basic business letter styles, writing from rough-draft, tabulation typing, centering and syllabication rules, manuscript writing, legal typing, and a number of general typing problems. Each registrant will need to purchase a typing book (same book used for BEGINNING TYPING) which will cost about \$2.50.

9:00-10:30 P.M. FEE: \$7.50

C-14. YOUR LANGUAGE—SOMETHING OLD

SOMETHING New (Norman Holtaway)

Are you concerned about your speech or your writing? Does grammar puzzle you? Can you express yourself well? How does our language "work"? Do people twist the meanings of words? Is it useless to argue with some people? What is "semantics"?

Depending upon the wish of the class, this course will help you to "brush up" on language fundamentals and/or explore the working of language and its powerful effect on our actions and beliefs.

7:30-9:00 P.M. FEE: \$7.50

C-8. DICTATION AND TRANSCRIPTION (Mrs. C. Crompton)

A laboratory course consisting of one hour of dictation and speed building plus one hour of transcription at the typewriter. Emphasis will be on tips and techniques for producing a mailable letter. Students should be able to take dictation at 80 words a minute and be able to type 40 words per minute.

7:30-9:30 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

C-9. DOG OBEDIENCE (Mrs. Marjorie Hoff)

This course is designed to train you to train your dog to be a happy companionable pet. All dogs over 6 months are welcome—pure breeds or mixed breeds. DO NOT FEED OR WATER DOGS at least 6 hours prior to class. Be sure to exercise your dog before bringing into building. Your dog will need a training collar and a 6 foot leather leash.

No one under 16 may join the class unless given special permission by the instructor. Handlers and owners shall be responsible for their dogs at all times. For further information call Mrs. Hoff BR 6-1537.

7:30-8:30 P.M. FEE: \$10.00

COURSES AT GARWOOD

G-35. FIRST AID—Standard American Red Cross (Edward Rouvet)

Knowledge gained in this course could save the life of your child or neighbor. Be prepared for emergencies on the highway and at home. Learn the latest techniques in the fields of artificial respiration and treatment of burns. Course covers all phases of emergency first aid. Students completing the course will receive a "Certificate of Completion" from the American Red Cross. 60c text required.

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Regendanz, Jur. W. G.

November 30, 1943

Dear Dr. Regendanz:

I found your letter in Princeton and am delighted to have the publications of the Universities Committee on Post-War International Problems sent to you. If any comments occur to you as you read them I should be grateful if you would send them to me for the consideration of the Central Committee.

Looking forward with great pleasure to seeing you when you come to this country after the war, I am

Yours sincerely,

Frank Aydelotte

Dr. Jur. W. G. Regendanz
4a, Essex Court
Middle Temple
London, E.C. 4, England

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MIDDLE TEMPLE,

LONDON, E.C.4.

Nov. 10th, 1943.

Dr. Frank Aydelotte,
c/o The Royal Institute of International Affairs,
10 St. James's Square,
S.W.1.

Dear Dr. Aydelotte,

I found your lecture on "American University Opinion on post-war problems" most interesting, and you will have felt that everyone of your listeners was equally interested. I myself am trying to do some research work on British American co-operation as far as legal or economic problems are concerned. The difficulty is that here in London one cannot get the American publications necessary for the work. I would, therefore, be grateful if you would put my name on the list of people who receive regularly the publications by your Committee, including reviews of new books.

Last week the Bank of England made a change in their policy of allowing the remittance of dollars to be used for books and I think I can now buy the literature I need for my work directly. For the time being I can only see the reviews in "Foreign Affairs" and in the "American Political Science Review."

I much regret that I cannot join, for the moment, your Institute of Advanced Study at Princeton. I was there in 1939 to visit Prof. Kemmerer and I was very much impressed by the work done there. As you will know the Bank of England would probably not allow me to go to Princeton as long as I have the intention to use my American dollar securities which had not to be delivered to the Bank of England for my expenses, and therefore I shall have to wait till after the war.

I do not know your London address, and I am sending copy of this letter also to your Princeton address.

Yours sincerely,

W. G. Regendanz

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Dr. Regendanz.

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Yours sincerely,

Dr. Regendanz

Reiffel, Leonard

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August 5, 1946

Leonard Reiffel, Esq.
3508 Irving Park Road
Chicago 18, Illinois

Dear Mr. Reiffel:

In reply to your letter of July 30th, I wish to say that the Institute for Advanced Study was founded in 1930. Under separate cover I am sending you a copy of our Bulletin No. 1 containing the charter, by-laws, etc. This bulletin is nearly out of print and I very much regret that I do not have five copies to send you. Bulletin No. 12 is now in preparation and I can send you any number of copies of it as soon as it is published, which will be in about a month.

If you will consult Dr. Abraham Flexner's autobiography "I Remember," published by Simon & Schuster, you will find a chapter on the Institute which gives a somewhat fuller account of its origin. The best information concerning its recent development will be found in Bulletin No. 12 which I can send you next month.

Meanwhile, if you have any particular questions, I hope you will feel free to write to me further.

Yours sincerely,

FA:kr

Frank Aydelotte

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3508 Irving Park Road
Chicago 18, Illinois
July 30, 1946

Office of the Director,
Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Sir:

A number of my associates and myself at Illinois Institute of Technology are deeply interested in the organization and history of the Institute for Advanced Study. We would, therefore, deeply appreciate it if you could send us information relating to the above if such is obtainable. In case printed material is available, it would be very convenient if you would include five (5) copies.

Thank you very much —

Sincerely yours,
Leonard Reiffel

October 6, 1938

Dear Dr. Reik:

I am forwarding your letter of October 3
to Professor Herbert Langfeld, Professor of
Psychology in Princeton University. Unfortunately,
the Institute for Advanced Study has made no
beginning in the field in which you are an authority.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Dr. Theodor Reik
205 West 57th Street
New York City

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Berlin, Oct. 10th, 1938. WA,

Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, N.Y.,
U. S. A.

Dear Sirs,

On October 5th we have posted to your address by registered mail 4 (four) printed matters, containing books for Prof. Dr. E. Herzfeld. We should be thankful if you would hand these books to Prof. Herzfeld on his return from Europe.

Yours faithfully,

Dietrich Reimer (Andrews & Steiner)

June 25, 1937

Dear Dr. Reischauer:

Returning to Princeton for a few hours in order to look over my accumulated mail, I find the two handsome volumes which you and Mr. Poole have sent to me. I beg you to accept my very warmest thanks for this gift of a scholarly and an important work.

I am looking forward impatiently to the time when the Gest Library will be available so that you and other colleagues who may be gathered here, may take the fullest advantage of its treasures.

With all good wishes and very high regard,

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Dr. Robert K. Reischauer
120 Prospect Avenue
Princeton, New Jersey

AF:MEG

June 18, 1937

Dr. DeWitt C. Poole
School of Public and International Affairs
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

My dear Dr. Poole:

In behalf of Dr. Flemer I thank you for
your letter of the fifteenth and for sending him the
two volumes of Dr. Reischauer's book, "Early Japanese
History." He will be delighted to have these and will
read them with great interest, and he will especially
appreciate the thought which prompted your sending
him first copies.

Very truly yours,

ESTHER S. BAILEY

Secretary

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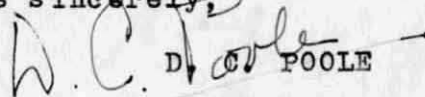
June 15, 1937

Dear Dr. Flexner:

It gives me great pleasure to send to you, under separate cover, one of the first copies from the press of Early Japanese History by Dr. Robert K. Reischauer. These two volumes are the result of five years of scholarly work by Dr. Reischauer in the original Japanese sources and will open to American students for the first time the official historical record from 710 to 1167 A.D.

In view of the special interest which you have shown through the Institute for Advanced Study in Far Eastern studies, it is the particular desire of Dr. Reischauer and myself that you should see this important contribution at once and should have the volumes as a token of our appreciation.

Yours sincerely,


D. C. POOLE

Dr. Abraham Flexner,
Institute for Advanced Study,
Princeton, New Jersey.

May 15, 1936

Dear Mr. Rentschler:

I am going to be in New York for the coming week and I could lunch with you almost any day except Tuesday, when I am already engaged.

I can be reached by telephone at Rhineland 4-2278 or by mail at 150 East 72nd Street.

Sincerely yours,

ABRAHAM FLEXNER

Mr. Gordon S. Rentschler
55 Wall Street
New York City

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EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA

Office of The Cultural Counselor

2311 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, N. W.
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Secretary to the President

The Institute for Advanced Study

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Dear Sir:

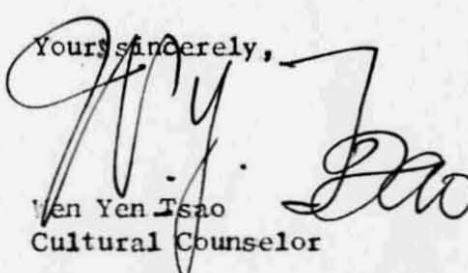
As a result of a survey made in 1958, it was found that as many as 1303 Chinese scholars were serving in various capacities on the staffs of colleges and universities in this country. As evinced by the enclosed list, a few of our countrymen were serving on the faculty of your institution. With the lapse of time, it is presumed that changes might have occurred. We are, therefore, enclosing herein the list referred to, with the request that you would be good enough to check and revise it. Details of information with regard to each of the Chinese scholars on your faculty are as follows:

1. Name in English and in the Chinese script
2. Sex
3. Birthplace
4. Date of birth
5. Academic degrees
6. Present position (Professor, Associate Professor, Visiting Prof., Assistant Professor, Instructor, Lecturer, Research Fellow, Assistant, Librarian, or others)
7. Special field of study
8. Experiences (a brief account, if possible)
9. Publications, inventions, discoveries, or other contributions

It is hoped that you will send us the revised list at your earliest convenience. Let us thank you in advance for your courtesy and cooperation in this matter.

Also enclosed for your reference is a copy of Education in the Republic of China.

Yours sincerely,


Yen Yen Tsao
Cultural Counselor

Enclosure

Chinese scholars on the faculty of The Institute for Advanced Study

Name	Position	Special field
Wu Tai-tsun (吳大峻)	Member	Electromagnetic Theory
Yang Chen-ning (楊振寧)	Prof.	Physics

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REYNAL AND HITCHCOCK, INC.
386 FOURTH AVENUE NEW YORK

January 21, 1941.

President Frank Aydelotte
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear President Aydelotte:

I am enclosing a second announcement regarding our college faculty prize contest. We've had so far a rather extraordinary response from the first announcement and this is intended to convey a little more information about the project. We are also going to send you, under separate cover, a few additional brochures with the hope that you can use them. If you need more, please let me know.

As you can imagine, it is difficult to reach all possible candidates by mail and if the contest seems worth while to you, we would appreciate it if you would personally see that the announcement gets to those people in your own institution whom you think would be likely to be interested.

Sincerely yours,

J. Wilson

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Reynolds, C. N.

COPY FOR DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

April 5, 1946

Dear Professor Reynolds:

I have your letter of April 3 addressed to the Institute. There is no more recent issue of the Bulletin than the one that you have seen, and probably won't be one for a couple of months anyhow.

The Institute is not formally in session during the summer, but a number of members are likely to be in residence and in any case the library is available. We should be very pleased to have you make use of the library and other facilities during the summer. With best greetings,

Yours sincerely,

Professor C. N. Reynolds
Mathematics Department
West Virginia University
Morgantown, W.Va.

Oswald Veblen

**A \$2500 Prize
For
A Member Of An
American College
Faculty**

● REYNAL & HITCHCOCK, INC. Announces a Prize of \$2,500 for the Best Non-Fiction Book-Length Manuscript to be Submitted in Complete Form Before September 1, 1941, by a Member of an American College or University Staff

THE NATURE OF THE BOOK SOUGHT

The book which the publishers are seeking is one written for the general reader, not a textbook or professional book. The hope is to find a really original and distinguished piece of work covering a field of serious interest in a style sufficiently clear and untechnical and provocative to appeal to the intelligent lay reader. The last thing that is desired is "popularization" in anything but the best sense. To qualify for the prize the author should write as for his intellectual peers although avoiding such technicalities as would be understood only by his colleagues in his own field. Preference will naturally be given to the work which is intellectually stimulating and exciting in both style and content as against that which is merely factually informative.

The book may be either a survey of the existing knowledge in a given field or the exposition of an original thesis of the author in some chosen part of that field. The only requirement as to subject matter is that it have genuine significance and be sufficiently wide in its range to touch the interests of non-professionals. It may be historical, biographical, descriptive, analytical or narrative or a combination of any of them. It may be in the field of art, literature, social or natural science—anywhere in the general range of the humanities. Examples of the kind of book in mind are:

The Rise of American Civilization by Charles and Mary Beard, *The Epic of America* by James Truslow Adams, *The Nature of the Physical World* by Sir Arthur Eddington, *Mathematics for the Million* by Lancelot Hogben, *Public Opinion* by Walter Lippmann, *Madame Curie* by Eve Curie, *Deserts on the March* by Paul B. Sears, *The Human Body* by Logan Clendening, *Main Currents in American Thought* by V. L. Parrington, *The Friendly Arctic* by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, *Animal Treasure* by Ivan Sanderson, *The Road to Xanadu* by John Livingston Lowes. Although there is no absolute requirement as to length, the publishers' preference would be for a book of between 80,000 and 125,000 words. Collections of essays or separate papers will not be considered—the manuscripts must be full-length, unified studies.

THE JUDGES

The judges in the contest will be Henry Seidel Canby, Carl Van Doren and William Allan Neilson.

In addition to the board of three judges, one expert in each of the fields involved will be called upon to read the manuscripts which are selected for final consideration for the prize award.

THE FINANCIAL TERMS

The prize will be \$2,500, payable on the announcement of the award, of which one-half will be an outright sum and the balance an advance on account of normal royalties against book rights. All subsidiary rights will be the author's.

The publishers also plan to offer publishing contracts for manuscripts submitted in the contest other than the prize winner, the terms of publication to be arranged between authors and publishers at their mutual convenience.

In the event that no manuscript is submitted which the judges deem worthy of a prize, the publishers reserve the right to withhold the award.

ELIGIBILITY

Anyone is eligible for the contest who is officially a member of the staff of an American college or university, whether in teaching, in research, or in administration, during the academic years 1939-1940 or 1940-1941.

Candidates for the prize are requested to submit their names, addresses, and academic rank to the publishers, Reynal & Hitchcock, Inc., 386 Fourth Avenue, New York City, who will be glad to answer any questions.

Reynal & Hitchcock
386 Fourth Avenue
New York, N. Y.

January 9, 1940

Dr. J. H. Reynolds
Hendrix College
Conway, Arkansas

My dear Dr. Reynolds:

Your request of the first addressed to the Bamberger Foundation, Newark, New Jersey, has been referred to us. I take pleasure in sending to you under separate cover Bulletin No. 1, which describes the organization and purpose of the Institute for Advanced Study, and Bulletin No. 8, the most recent publication of the Institute. If you have further questions, won't you please let us know?

Very truly yours,

ESTHER S. SABLEY
Secretary

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PRESIDENT'S OFFICE
HENDRIX COLLEGE
CONWAY, ARKANSAS

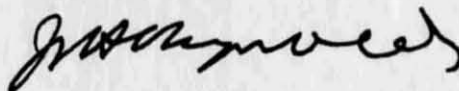
January 1, 1940

Bamberger Foundation
Newark, New Jersey

Gentlemen:

Will you be kind enough to send me any
official reports or documents that give the purpose,
the procedure and scope of the work of your Foundation?
I am making a study which this request will serve.

Sincerely yours,



J. H. Reynolds

JHR:WM

managers office

January 6, 1940

Mr. J. H. Reynolds
President's Office
Hendrix College
Conway, Arkansas

My dear Mr. Reynolds:

Your letter of January 1 has been received, inquiring about the "Bamberger Foundation".

Some years ago, Mr. Louis Bamberger and his sister, Mrs. Felix Fuld, founded The Institute for Advanced Study now located at Princeton, New Jersey. We have forwarded your letter there, and you will no doubt hear directly from them.

Yours very truly,

Walter H. Farrier

WHF:VB