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Miss
Baxter

October 15, 1949

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Dear Miss Baxter:

Thank you for your letter of October 12th. Only four of the papers delivered at the symposium are available in manuscript form; and I doubt that the other two will be written up since they were delivered without notes at the time, and so long a time has elapsed since the symposium that it would be difficult, and almost impossible, for the speakers now to prepare a manuscript.

If Senator Pepper would like copies of the four available, I shall be pleased to ask Dean Eisenhart whether there are extra copies that might be sent to you. If you will let me know, I shall be glad to do what I can.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Secretary to the Director

Miss Alice Baxter
Office of Senator Claude Pepper
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

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October 12, 1949

Mrs. Catherine Russell
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Russell:

You will recall that sometime ago we talked about the material which Dean Eisenhart was compiling for Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society. I explained the difficulty to Senator Pepper of having this material put in the Congressional Record, but he expressed his desire at the time of having a copy of this material just for his own personal interest. Could you let me know about the possibility of this.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

Alice Baxter

Personal Secretary to Senator Pepper

*Einstein 20
Berkeley
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Tentative Program for a

SYMPOSIUM

on

Verifications and Implications of Einsteins
Theory of Relativity

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1. J. R. Oppenheimer, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton:
"Relativity and Quantum theory"
2. S. Chandrasekhar, Yerkes Observatory, University of Chicago,
and Astronomy Department, Princeton University.
"Relativistic Effects in the Theory of Stellar Structure"
3. S. M. Clemence, U. S. Naval Observatory, Washington D. C.
"Relativity Effects in Planetary Motion."
4. G. P. Kuiper, Yerkes Observatory, University of Chicago,
Williams Bay, Wis. "The Present Status of Gravitational
Redshift."
5. H. P. Robertson, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena,
California. "The Redshift in Extragalactic Nebulae (and
the Expansion of the Universe."
6. H. Weyl, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton

INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY
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Einstein Symposium

REQUISITION FOR PAYMENT

Voucher No.

Date April 5, 1949

Pay to Princeton University

Address Princeton, N. J.

Approved by (Signature) Amount \$ 220.00

To be charged to Visitors Fund - School of Mathematics

In payment of (Itemize)

Reimbursement to Princeton University for share of travel and incidental expenses of the symposium ~~held~~ March 19, 1949 arranged for the occasion of Professor Einstein's 70th birthday.

Total paid by Institute $\begin{matrix} 220.00 \\ 31.95 \\ \hline 251.95 \end{matrix}$

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Einstein Rel. Symposium

April 10, 1949

Dear Mr. Busse:

I am enclosing an Institute check for \$220.00 in payment of our share of the expenses of the Einstein Symposium. We have made payment directly to the Princeton University Press (\$31.95) covering the charges of printing the program and the cards.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Secretary to the Director

Mr. Paul Busse
Palmer Physics Laboratory
Princeton University
Princeton, N. J.

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

March 23, 1949

Einstein Symposium

Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

COULD I BE PERMITTED TO JOIN SOMEWHAT IN THE TRIBUTE RECENTLY PAID BY SCIENCE LEADERS TO DOCTOR EINSTEIN BY PUTTING THE ADDRESSES WHICH I FEEL TO BE OF GREAT PUBLIC WORTH, DELIVERED ON THAT OCCASION, IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD? IF SO, I WOULD BE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR SENDING THE TEXTS TO ME.

CLAUDE PEPPER, USS

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DAY LETTER

CONFIRMATION

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY
PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

March 25, 1949

Dear Professor Henderson:

President Dodds has referred to us your letter and request of March 22nd for copies of the addresses given on the occasion of Professor Einstein's 70th birthday. This was a very informal symposium and the addresses have not been published in any form. If manuscripts were prepared and if at some time they are to be made available in any form for distribution, you may be sure that we shall let you know.

Yours sincerely,

Katherine Russell,
Secretary to the Director

Professor Archibald Henderson
Department of Mathematics
University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, N. C.

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

721 E. Franklin St.

March 22, 1949

President - Harold W. Dods,
Princeton University, Princeton, N. J.

Dear President - Dods: -

I was delighted to read the accounts of the conference at Princeton & tributes to Professor Einstein on his 70th birthday. If the addresses at the conference are to be published, please consider this letter as a request for a copy [I will cheerfully pay any charges]. As a student of Professor Einstein at the University of Berlin, when he was Director of the Physikalisches Institut there; and as a

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frequent contributor to the theories
of Relativity; and as a personal
friend, to whom I dedicated "Con-
temporary Immortals", I am
delighted that this splendid
tribute was paid to this
patriot-breaker and successful
iconoclast.

I recall with pleasure your
open-air address on our University;
and speaking to you afterward ^{Day} on
the stand. Although this doubtless
did not "register" with you.

Sincerely,
Wilbur Henderson
Honorary Professor Emeritus
Former Head, Math. Dept. —

March 16, 1949

Professor Henry D. Smyth
215 Palmer Physical Laboratory
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Harry:

After our meeting yesterday with Dr. Oppenheimer, I decided not to send out the advance release which we had prepared for general distribution, except to the local papers such as the Princeton Herald and Daily Princetonian, because I was afraid that it might lead to other requests for press coverage. I also tore up five letters which I had dictated to science writers to ascertain whether they wished to cover the meeting.

I then wrote to William L. Laurence, of the New York Times, explaining that because of the nature of the meeting, we had decided not to include the press. Before my letter had reached him today, Laurence telephoned me to ask if I had sent him a timetable, program, etc., which I had promised to do. I explained the situation and also told him from what I gathered there probably would be little news in the meeting, but he still is extremely anxious to attend as an invited guest. I did not see how we could refuse this request, and I took the liberty of telling him that he could come as a guest with the understanding that he was not to try to interview Dr. Einstein or to quote anything that Dr. Einstein might say.

I hope that this meets with your approval. It was certainly the best I could do under the circumstances. Laurence will meet Fred Osborne, who will take him to the meeting and also take him to lunch. I am giving him my ticket since I have to be in Baltimore.

I am sending a copy of this note to Dr. Oppenheimer.

Fred Osborne will write a general piece on who spoke, etc., which we will give to the Daily Princetonian and the local press after the meeting.

Sincerely,



Edmund S. DeLong

ESD:bjb

cc - Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer ✓

March 16, 1949

Dear Professor Ladenburg:

Professor Veblen has agreed to be the chairman for the morning session on Saturday, and we both hope very much that you will consent to serve in the afternoon, and that the arrangement will seem appropriate to you.

With every good wish,

Robert Oppenheimer

Professor R. W. Ladenburg
233 Palmer Physics Laboratory
Princeton University
Princeton, N. J.

Copy to: Professor H. D. Smyth

PALMER PHYSICAL LABORATORY
PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

March 14, 1949

Mrs. Katherine Russell
Institute for Advanced Study
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Russell:

Would you please arrange to have the small Institute station wagon meet the Washington train arriving at Trenton at 9:54 Saturday morning, March 19. The driver should park in a very conspicuous place at the parking circle by the Trenton station. Please instruct him to wait at least five or ten minutes after the arrival of the train before returning to Princeton. We are definitely expecting the following three people and he should wait for their arrival: Commander E. C. Long, Dr. H. R. Morgan and Mr. F. H. Hollander of the U. S. Naval Observatory.

Would you also please arrange for the Institute bus to meet the train from New York arriving at Princeton Junction at 10:38 on Saturday morning. We would like to have this bus meet the train at the Junction and transport the people directly to Frick Chemical Laboratory. We will post a sign at the Junction informing our guests of the fact that the Institute bus is waiting for them at the parking circle at the Junction.

Our graduate students are being requested to take their lunch at the Graduate College, and we want to suggest that the younger people of the Institute take their lunches at the Institute. Will you make arrangements for the busses and transportation between Frick and the Institute at lunch (about 1:15) for the Institute people.

Will all the Institute vehicles be available at the end of the conference to take persons to the station? It is expected that the conference will end about 5:30.

Very truly yours,



Paul Busse
Assistant to the Chairman

cc: Professor R. Ladenburg

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Symposium

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"The Theory of Relativity in Contemporary Science"
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The Auditorium of the Wick Chemical Laboratory

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(each talk to last about 30 minutes)

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PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
Department of Physics

March 2, 1949

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the Institute for Advanced Study and Princeton University, I am sending you herewith programs and admission cards for members of your Institution who would like to attend a symposium to be held at Princeton on March 19 on "The Theory of Relativity in Contemporary Science".

Due to limitations of space, attendance will be restricted to those holding admission cards; we will be grateful if you would kindly return any invitations that you will not use. A small number of additional invitations are available upon request.

We regret that it will be difficult to secure hotel reservations in Princeton for Friday, March 18 or Saturday, March 19. Reservations should be requested at the earliest possible date by writing to the undersigned.

Paul Busse

Paul Busse
Assistant to the Chairman

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY
PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

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Admittance Cards - 350 (number of seats)

Programs - 700 (350 to send with cards;
350 to be available at
symposium)

Letter to be sent with cards.

Institute will pay the cost of printing
and mailing; this can be done at the
Institute by our staff.

We will need a list from Professor
Ladenberg of those to whom he wishes
mailing sent.

Mr. Wilbur
Luncheon - Gr -
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10:50 am.
6:00 Pm.

55 Princeton ave
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PALMER PHYSICAL LABORATORY
PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
PRINCETON NEW JERSEY

March 2, 1949

Mr. Malm, Assistant Manager
The Princeton Inn
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Malm:

I have talked to Professor Ladenburg and we are proceeding with our plans to have luncheon at the Princeton Inn on Saturday, March 19, in accordance with our telephone conversation yesterday afternoon. We will plan to have lunch at 1:30 in the main dining room of the Inn at \$2.00 per person including gratuities. Approximately 150 people will make up our party and we have selected a menu which will include an appetizer, sirloin chopped beef, potatoes, vegetable, salad, coffee and dessert. I will call you sometime during the late morning of the 19th and give you the exact number of the people who plan to have luncheon at the inn.

Very truly yours,

Paul Busse
Assistant to the Chairman

Copy for Prof. Oppenheimer

ADMIT ONE

to the Symposium on

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~~in honor of Professor Einstein~~

10:30 AM
Saturday, March 19, 1949

Auditorium

Frick Chemical Laboratory
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Dear Mrs. Levy,

Dr. Abrahamson was so
kind to lease his request for
a ticket to the relativity sessions to
me.

If there is one in your possession
it in the mail box in Miss Black's office.
~~please~~. Thanks a lot

Alan Turing

PALMER PHYSICAL LABORATORY
PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
PRINCETON NEW JERSEY

February 24, 1949

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

Dear Oppenheimer:

The information I had from the University was partly wrong and partly misleading. Princeton Inn tells me that they have no room available for the 18th, but have at present about twenty double rooms available for the 19th. They could take about one hundred people for lunch on the 19th (price \$2), if early reservation is made, and quite a number for dinner. Nassau Tavern has no rooms for the 18th available and no space left for meals on the 19th, but has at present four single and about twenty rooms available for the 19th. I may suggest to make reservation for lunch at the Inn and to engage the four single and one or two double rooms now at the Tavern, cancellation should be possible I think.

I enclose here a draft for the program. You will notice that I have exchanged the sequence of Princeton University and the Institute, that seems to me more appropriate although not important. Will you now take over? I mean, have the programs and admission cards printed or multiplied otherwise and send to the various departments (I will gladly send you my provisional list if you wish) with the accompanying letters, asking to inform the interested members of their department, to return not-needed cards, etc. and to let us know who would like to have dinner and/or stay overnight on the 19th. It is easier for you as director of the Institute.

I have sent copies of the draft of the program for information to Robertson, Wigner, Rabi and Weyl and have informed Einstein.

Cordially yours,

R. Ladenburg

R. Ladenburg

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Enclosure

Mr. Henry F. Vicinus, International Information Service, State Department, Washington will send a release on Prof. Einstein's birthday to press attaches abroad. He wants to know of anything special ~~ly~~ being done to celebrate Einstein's birthday at the Institute.

Shall I tell him about RMP issue, symposium
~~and faculty radio gift?~~

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