

Mattoon, Ill. Dec. 28, 1892.

Prof. O. B. Clark

Bloomington, Ind.

My dear Professor;

In the December Student I find an article copied from the Palo Alto Daily in regard to Prof. Griggs acceptance of a position in the Stanford for next year. Has his successor been chosen, and if not do you think an application from me might receive favorable consideration? I hoped to remain in the University of Chicago until I should get my Ph.D., but I find that I shall not be able to do so, and I must now go through the unpleasant experience of hunting for a position.

Our English work in the University is very fine indeed, but the department of Philosophy is not strong.

Some time ago I sent you a University Extension Calendar with my courses marked.

I am home for the holidays, and as I shall change my address on returning to the city, I direct ~~me~~ the enclosed envelope to this place. I will thank you for a reply - at your leisure.

Yours very truly,

C. Lauron Hooper, Class '86(?)

My dear Dr. Coulter,

I forward this without comment at present, but shall be happy to answer any questions. I suppose you agree with me that the Trustees ought to pay a salary that would keep such men as Prof. Griggs against the high bids of other colleges. One consolation in this case is that it will furnish a powerful argument to the legislature. OBC. Warsaw, Ind.

Hooper, C. L.