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Box 39

And
sending
inquiries,

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185 Washington St.,

Saratoga N.Y.

Aug 3, 1902.

Edward M. Gallaudet Ph.D., L.L.D.
Pres. of Gallaudet College,

Dear sir,

I have here a student
in the New York Institution of
the Deaf for about a year &
a half. Being a semi-mute
and having previously had
some education in a public

Arithmetic & Geography.
Would the Regents cards be
accepted instead of a
written examinations
Where would I have to go to
take the examinations?

As to the expense of a college
career. I have heard that
many are taken free of charge.
Is it so and would I have
any trouble in being taken free?
If that is not possible could

school I am in the Academics
or highest class. I now think
of trying to enter the
college of which you are president.
I should not do this before
the fall of 1903, but write
to ask you what course
of study ~~the~~ would I have
to take up this winter in
order to pass examinations
for the Freshman Class.
I have passed the State
Regents examinations in

I in any way be able to
work my way through college
like students in other schools.
Though in comfortable circumstances
I do not feel that my father
can pay my way.

May I hear from you soon
and will you please send
me the latest circular of the
school?

Respectfully

Minnie J. Kipp.

Washington D.C.

Aug 17-1902

Mr Fowler

Sup Kendall Green

Dear Sir;

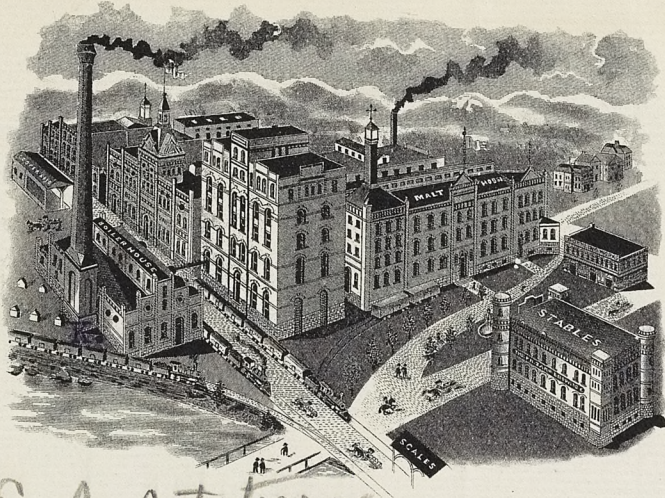
I am requested by the gentleman of the two Clubs to thank you for the privilege of your grounds last Saturday for the base ball game played therein.

I should have made this acknowledgment earlier, but was unavoidable absent from the city.

Very truly yours.

J. Tutwiler

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ESTABLISHED 1859.



*Send Catalogue
& Report*

August 20th, 1902.

Dr. Gallaudet, President,
Gallaudet College,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir,

I have been requested by an interested party to secure some information in regard to the manner in which the Deaf Mute Institution, of which you are the head, is being conducted, referring particularly to the expense that is incurred through sending a scholar. It seems to be the impression here that your institution is a National one, in that it is supported by Congress. In view of this, it is assumed that you make no charge for tuition. Will you kindly advise me on this point, and also in regard to the probable cost per annum for books, board, etc.

Hoping that you will kindly furnish me with the desired information so that the parent, at whose request I am writing, can determine the annual expense of sending his child, and thanking you in advance for any information given, I remain,

Yours truly,

Geo. H. Bank.

May 10th
c.

617 185 Washington St.
Saratoga, N. Y.

Aug 20, 1902.

Edward Gallaudet.

Pres. of Gallaudet College.

Dear sir, -

I am in receipt of
your letter advising me
about attending your college.
I have also received the
printed matter but I can
find nothing that will
tell me what course of

reading I will be examined
on next June. Will you
let me know?

I expect to go back to
Granwood for another year,
and then hope to be able
to pass examinations for
college next June.

Yours sincerely,

Minnie J. Kipp.

and
sent him back
to it.

Pensacola Ala
Sept 3/02

Prof E. M. Gallaudet
Washington DC

Dear Sir:

My son Edward who
is a mute & finished his course
of studies last session at
the deaf school in Talladega
wishes to finish his education
in your schools in Washington
this next session, will you
please give us full information
in regard to everything in
connection to your school &
College.

In case you should want any
reference you can refer to Mr
J. H. Johnson principal of the school
at Talladega, Congressman Geo. W.
Taylor of Ala. or any County
officer in my County Choctaw.

Yrs truly J. H. Knighton

and full

Pushmataha Ad

Sept 22, 1902

Mr E. M. Gallaudet
Manford Ct,

Dear Sir:-

Yours of 3rd inst. recd.
& my son Edward wants to
enter your Kendall Green School
for the purpose of preparing him-
self to enter College later on.
When does the Kendall School
open & how long are the terms,
when & how are the tuition
paid, How long does it generally
take to get a boy for College,
How long does it take to graduate
in the College & the terms there

Yours Truly
J. H. Knighton

KITCHIN & KITCHIN
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

CLAUDE KITCHIN
A. P. KITCHIN

SCOTLAND NECK, N. C., Sept. 23, 1902

Dr. E. M. Alexander
Wash. D.C.

My dear Sir:

I received the 22 to hand.
I regret that young Pope
was not prepared to visit
your school and am sorry
that he did not take your
advice in the matter.

I desire to thank you
for your favors in
this matter.

I am
With high regards,
Yours truly,
Claude Kitchin

56217 School for the Deaf.
Flint Mich
Oct. 20. 1902.

Dr. E. M. Gallaudet
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: -

I write this to inform you that I am a pupil of the Mich. School for the Deaf. I have taken up a course of studies to prepare for College. I want to know whether my last examination allowed me to enter college on the strength of it. It will do me no good to take the course again until I am sure I am right before I go ahead.

would it be desirable for me to take the study again. Please let me know.

Your Respectfully
Geo. A. Kellmeyer
School for the Deaf
Flint Mich

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FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

MR. KEARNS, CHAIRMAN.
MR. BURROWS. MR. McENERY.
MR. PENROSE. MR. GIBSON.

J. E. JONES,
CLERK.

United States Senate,

COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL BANKS.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Oct. 31, 1902.

Prof. E. M. Gallaudet,

Kendall Green,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

During my absence I believe you have had some correspondence with this office concerning Mr. John P. Bush for admission to the normal class of the Gallaudet College next year.

All of this correspondence was forwarded to me at Salt Lake City, and I am astounded at the position your institution takes in relation to this case after your distinct promise to me that Mr. Bush would be appointed next year. You certainly had the right as president of the board of trustees to make this promise, and the board had no right to make a rule which would be retroactive. It was upon your promise made in my office that I assured Mr. Bush that he would be included in the class for next year, and now for your board to deny this application is a procedure unheard of and one that I cannot understand.

You are entirely familiar with the facts in this case; I went over it very carefully with you in my office, and to quote your exact words you said: "Well, it is impossible to admit Mr. Bush this year, but I will see to it that he is included in the class next year."

This was entirely satisfactory to me and I immediately wired my friends in Utah in accordance with your promise.

There certainly must be some mistake. I cannot believe the trustees of your institution, knowing the facts in this case, would utterly disregard them. You have said yourself that Mr. Bush was entirely competent, so there can be no objection on this score to his appointment. I respectfully request that this

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United States Senate,

COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL BANKS.

Prof. E. M. G. Z.

matter be again taken up by your board of trustees and that the promise made by you
last year be carried out.

Very truly yours,

Dictated
JP.

Thomas Kearns

Answered 1/11/03

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Urbana, Ill.

Dec. 3rd 1902.

Dr. E. M. Gallaudet,

President, Columbia Inst. for D. & D., Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir;

I am completing my senior year in library science, University of Illinois, & have chosen for my thesis, "Libraries in State Schools for the Deaf." This subject is one that appeals very strongly to me, perhaps because of my father's long connection with the deaf, & partly because of my three year's experience as librarian in the Illinois school.

The answers to these questions which I am sending to all superintendents, will form the basis of a comparative table showing size, circulation, value, etc., of the libraries in all our state institutions. May I ask that you have your librarian fill out these blanks & return sheets to me. I should like to have the material at hand, soon, for active work on my thesis, but do not wish to urge

speed at the expense of accuracy & detail in the answers for I am anxious to make as thorough & satisfactory a comparison as possible.

Whatever you may choose to add to the librarian's report, either in regard to the local library or as a result of your own experience with this part of work for the deaf, — reading & library interests — will be appreciated.

If you will have some notice of my plan printed in the school paper, it will oblige me —

Yours truly,
(Miss) Helen J. Kennedy.

705 W. Green St.,
Urbana, Ill.

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The Evening Star.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 11, 1902.

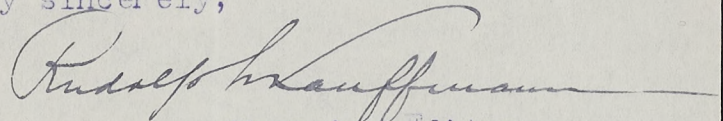
Dear Sir:--

The Evening Star will celebrate on the 16th of December its fiftieth anniversary as a newspaper, and will publish on that day a special souvenir edition.

Its proprietors would be highly gratified if you would express a few words of comment upon its career, to be printed in that issue.

By replying to this note as soon as possible you will be conferring a favor upon The Star.

Very sincerely,



Managing Editor.

Edward M. Gallaudet,

President, Columbian Institu-

tion for the Deaf and Dumb,

City.

G

H. W. LYNN & CO.
Fire Insurance and Loans
610 GAY STREET

E6243

✓
Knoxville, Tenn. July 5 1902

W. G. Fowler Esq
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Your letter duly
to hand. I enclose check
for \$32⁰⁰ bal of Sam's tuition
& board. Excuse delay.

Yours truly
H. W. Lynn

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th
Danville Ky July 17. 1902

Mr Fowler

Dear Sir

I start by freight -
to day a large box for
Sally. Which I will ask
you to take care of and
to pay the charges on till
we get to Washington
I can only pay to Cincinnati,
and it is complicated by
change of roads.

Please remember me to Mrs
Fowler. Very sincerely yours
Ellen L. Lyle

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House of Representatives,

Washington, D. C.,

Weatherford, Texas.

July 21st, 1902.

Dr. E. M. Gallaudet,

Washington, D. C.

My dear Doctor:- Your letter received. I know of no reason why I should not join my colleague, Mr. Russell, in authorizing the submission of the estimate you suggest.

Very truly, your friend,

S. W. J. Lanham.

662 - 25th St.,

56270

Oakland, Cal.

Sept, 15th, 1902.

Dear Dr. Gallaudet:

I was sorry to hear from a Washington friend of mine to day of the death of your beloved brother, Rev. Mr. Gallaudet. I wish to express my sincere sympathy for you in your bereavement.

I still recollect his beautiful sermons he delivered at the chapel and church. We will remember his name with so great love and deep gratitude as we hold the name of your noble father in remembrance.

With kind regards to Mrs. Gallaudet and you, I am as ever,

Sincerely yours,
Annie Lindstrom.

Concord, N. C.
Sept 24, 1902

Mr Ed Gallaudet;
Dear Sir:

I will write
a few lines now.

Will you please
let me enter school?
I want to study book-
keep course. I have
been in schools at
Raleigh, and Morganton.
I left Morganton about
four years ago. Papa
has been thinking
of sending me to
school at Washington

D. L. I want to
know whether you
will let me go or
not.

Hope to hear
from you real
soon.

From
Marie Lippard,
Concord,
N.C.

and ??

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Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly
give me some infor-
mation as to how I
could get in the Nation-
al College for the Deaf?
I lost my hearing when
I was about 13 years of age.
I am not totally deaf,
so my parents would not
let me go to a Deaf In-
stitute and all I could
get, I have spent trying
to have my hearing re-

stond - so I have had
no opportunity to learn
much and now, I find
it would have been so
much better for me to
have been treated as if
I could not hear at all
and have been educa-
ted accordingly - but
I am over age and
could not get in a
school -

I have been taking private
lessons in speech read-
ing, but I am not
making much progress at

it.

I want to take a thorough course and if possible, prepare myself to teach in a deaf school.

I will be willing to do anything in order to study. I am a good house keeper and cook, can also do fine sewing or embroidery etc.

Or if there is any particular thing which I can do there, if you will

let me know, I will fit
myself for the position.
If you wish any refer-
ences, I am prepared
to give the very best.

Hoping to receive an
early reply I am

Very truly

Amelia Lane.

La Grange, Texas

Sep. 25-1902.

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb,
Kendall Green,
Washington, D. C.

declined

Oct 29 1902

Dr. Gallaudet:
Dear Sir,

I have been sent here from the Edison Motion Picture Co to offer you Wed eve Nov. 12/02 for a private exhibit of the Edison Gemine Moving Pictures. The Company has been giving exhibits to the churches in this city from Sept 29 until Nov 15 and has only Nov 12 open. I have been instructed to offer you the following terms - 250 people or under \$25; \$10 each additional to \$40 which is the maximum.

Kindly address P. B. Lawrence
735-13- N. W.

Sage Ark.

Nov 9, 1902.

Dr. E. A. Fay.

Dear Sir:

I reached home safely last Thursday afternoon -

I feel that it is my duty to inform you something. I would have not left the college, had some seniors not advised me to leave.

They advised me several times to leave the college in order to save myself from being expelled for having entered Mr. Fay's room - at last I left for home with sadness but when I was afar

away, I considered myself worse
and I made a great mistake
to leave. Oh I wish I had not left.

Before I left the college I was
going to tell the truth if you would
ask me - I put some things in
disorder in Mr. Fay's room - I
turned the mattress over and put
the drawers on the floor - This is
all I have done on Halloween.

I did not aim to do that until
one student called me - If you
want to ask me something I
will be glad to answer any -
If you let me go back to college
with the Faculty's consent I will

be glad to go back and I will
do my best. I aim to get through
in college if nothing prevents me.

Please write me as soon as
you can. With my love to you all

Your Friend

J. P. Lovelace, Jr.

B.S. Please let my trunk remain
in college until further notice.

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State of Delaware,



Office of Secretary of State
DOVER, DEL.

CALEB R. LAYTON,
SECRETARY.

November 18th, 19 02.

President Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find Governor's Warrant for the admission of
Dora Taylor into your Institution, bearing date September 1st,
1902. I desire to call your attention to the fact that under
the laws of this State Atrhur L. Swartz and May Dougherty cannot
remain in your Institution , at the expense of the State of
Delaware, after June 30th, 1903. The statute governing this
matter makes a maximum period of ten years. I call your attention
to this fact because in the case of Ernest Foskey the State was
charged for his maintenance one year beyond the statutory limit.

I have the honor to be

Yours very truly,

Caleb R. Layton
Secretary of State.

Dr. E. M. Gallaudet, Pres.
 Gallaudet College.
 Washington D.C.

My dear Dr Gallaudet:

Recently, Supt. Rotherbert offered the use of his school paper, "The Deaf Hankerchief," to the deaf ladies of the Aid Society, here, for a woman's edition which they will issue sometime in January.

I have charge of the college department of that particular edition and have asked our local co-eds to contribute what they can. I want to write a short article on what the college has done for deaf women and so it seems

natural now to come to you for help in the way of data about it. A misty interval of fourteen years has elapsed since you opened the college to women and I was one of your first batch of co-eds. I am sure that all the co-eds like myself appreciate to the fullest extent all that your kindness did for them.

Now I need to know a few facts about the record of the girls in college so I can tell exactly what the college has done for them. Accordingly I will put down a few questions which I hope will not take up too much of your time.

First, how many young women have been admitted to college since 1887? 126

Second, how have they generally stood the college course?

Third, how many have taken the full course and graduated? 37 = 45 = 190%

Fourth, what vocations have they generally followed after acquiring their college education? If you have the time to add any more observations I should feel much obliged, indeed.

Mr. Long and myself and two little girls are well and happy as ever. He and I often talk of the good old days at college and we begin to see ourselves how we appeared to others

then. But you know the days of youth are always different from any other days. We have no regrets though I've always wished I had tried to study harder and read less poetry.

We hope you can make another Western trip some day again for we did so enjoy meeting you here last year. There are eight college persons here at C. B. Omaha and all are talking of another banquet in honor of your father's birth day. There was a swell one here last year.

Ever Sincerely

Mrs. J. Schuyler Long
823 Madison Ave
Council Bluffs
Iowa.

Nov 28th / 1902.

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INSTITUTIONS

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C. W. GRANT,
Secretary to the Board.

- WESTERN WASHINGTON HOSPITAL FOR INSANE,
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- EASTERN WASHINGTON HOSPITAL FOR INSANE,
Medical Lake.
- STATE PENITENTIARY, Walla Walla.
- STATE REFORM SCHOOL, Chehalis.
- STATE SOLDIERS' HOME, Orting.
- STATE SCHOOL FOR DEFECTIVE YOUTH,
Vancouver.

OFFICE OF

STATE BOARD OF CONTROL,
STATE OF WASHINGTON.

and declining.

Olympia, December 8th, 1902.

Dear Sir:

We desire to prepare a statement showing the per capita cost of maintaining public institutions of like character to those under our control. Enclosed herewith find a blank form prepared by us covering this matter. If it is not asking too much, kindly fill out the same and return when convenient. Enclosed find stamped envelope for your reply.

We thank you in advance for the information called for.

Very respectfully,

STATE BOARD OF CONTROL

By *Ernest Lister* Chairman.

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LONG DISTANCE 'PHONE, EAST 102-M.

LUCAS P. LOVING,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
COLUMBIAN BUILDING,
416 5TH STREET, N. W.

Dear Sir:-

This is to advise you that the Neely Electric Company, of 611 14th Street, Northwest, was adjudged Bankrupt on the 17th day of November, A. D., 1902, and at a meeting of the creditors held on the 16th day of December, 1902, I was appointed Trustee of said estate. It is my duty to collect the assets with as little delay as possible, and according to their books there is due from you to the said estate the sum of EIGHTY CENTS,..... Dollars, which amount I will be glad to receive your check for as soon as possible.

Yours very truly,

LUCAS P. LOVING, Trustee.

416 5th St., N. W.

16365

Phila Pa

Dec 17th
/02

Mr W. G. Fowler

Your letter received and
thank you for the
same enclosed you
will find money order
\$1⁶³ for Lewis ticket
send him to Wilmington
my Mother will meet
him on the 11.45 train
I am glad he will
be home until Jan 5th
I hope Mrs Fowler is
better give her my Best
wishes and I send the
same to you for

the coming New Year
Mrs Clara R. Long

P.S

I sincerely thank
you for your kind
ness in getting Lewis
ticket - and sending
word to my mother
to meet Lewis

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., Dec 19 1902.

wrote
Faculty desired
W. could not return
until next Sept.
advised study of English
& much reading at home

Dr. E. M. Gallaudet.
Washington
D. C.

My dear Sir -

Young Winston
is very sad & very penitent

Will you kindly relieve the
situation & oblige me
by taking him back
first of Jan'y or February
I have been promising myself
as well as many influential
friends of his to see you in
person but have not been
able to do so up to this time

With sincere regard

yours truly
John Lamb