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MRS ED FLETCHER=

335 WALNUT ST SANDIEGO CALIF=

STEVE NATURALLY UPSET OVER HIS NOT BEING ADMITTED TO STANFORD

I AM HAVING HIS TRANSCRIPT SENT TO CALIFORNIA IMMEDIATELY

HAVE ED JR WIRE ED VORIES TO SEND TO STEVE IMMEDIATELY ANY

APPLICATION NECESSARY TO BE FILLED OUT ALSO TO DO WHAT HE CAN

FOR HIM LOVE=

WIG.

THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

May Twenty-fourth,  
1929

Mr. Edwin Voorhies,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

There is a boy by the name of Jess Romo whom we have been helping through high school to the extent of giving him room and board at Grossmont for taking care of the garden and being around the place when we are not home and I was also able to get him two jobs as carstaker at \$10 a month for homes there at Grossmont so that he has been able to finish his high school education and will graduate from Grossmont High School in June.

He has been majoring in agriculture and was on the stock judging team that won the Southern California championship and has his heart set on going to Davis.

He will have to practically work his way through with his own efforts.

He would be willing to come up to Davis as soon as he graduates from high school and work there all summer doing anything that would help him to continue his fall work in college. He would, of course, have to have something that he would be able to work at outside of school hours as soon as school starts in the fall.

Who would you suggest that he write to, or is there any chance that you might know of something up there or would be able to put him in line.

He is a determined youngster, husky kid and he sure will do anything in order to put himself through school.

If you have any suggestions to make as who to write to at Davis or any one else who will help him out I sure will appreciate it.

I hope you are still in the best of health and wishing you would get down this way again soon when you can stay longer.

I will be in Berkeley the night of the sixth of June and will leave the morning of the seventh to go up the coast through Eureka and Crescent City on up into Oregon to be at Eugene when Willis graduates from the University of Oregon.

We will then go to Portland, up the Columbia River highway and home by way of the Boulder Canyon.

I will call you up when I get into Berkeley,

Sincerely yours,

EFjr:AK

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SANDIEGO CALIFORNIA JUNE 1st, 1929

PROFESSOR EDWIN C VOORHIES  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE  
BERKELEY CALIFORNIA

STEVE WANTS TRANSFER OREGON TO CALIFORNIA CAN YOU SEND HIM ANY APPLICATION  
BLANKS NECESSARY AND USE YOUR INFLUENCE FOR ACCEPTANCE

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CHARGE ED FLETCHER COMPANY  
1020-9th Street

June Fourth,  
1929

Mr. Ed Voorhies,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

I have been financially assisting Alexander Zoueff  
in the University of California.

He dropped out of sight for a while and did not ask  
me for any money. I could not get any reply from  
him and my understanding is that he has been  
mentally unbalanced but is now himself again.

As a personal favor will you look him up? His  
address is 2435 Dwight Way, Berkeley, California.  
See what the prospects are for the future.

I am enclosing copy of his letter to me of May 19th  
which is explanatory.

Zoueff, in my opinion, is a soul of honor and it is  
worrying him a great deal about the money he has  
borrowed from me from time to time.

I have never asked him to pay it back and told him  
he could pay it later on when he could and when he  
got out of college.

Please give me the full particulars and greatly  
oblige.

Sincerely yours,

EP:AK

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA  
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE  
DIVISION OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS  
BERKELEY

June 22, 1929

Colonel Ed Fletcher,  
c/o Ed Fletcher Company,  
San Diego, California.

Dear Colonel Fletcher:

I have endeavored to get in touch  
with Mr. Zoueff, but as yet have not succeeded. I am  
dropping him another note today because I want to see  
him next week before I leave for the East.

Very sincerely,

*Edwin C. Voorhies*

ECV:T

*Edwin C. Voorhies*  
*1815 Dwight Way*  
*Berkeley*

June Twenty-sixth,  
1 9 2 9

Mr. Ed Voorhies, Prof.,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, California.

My dear Ed:

I received your letter of June 24th this morning.

I have in my hand a blank that is to be filled out by the principle at the High School which Steve just gave me yesterday.

I will see that it is filled out and forwarded to the University.

Regarding Steve's credentials for this past semester's work they should have been sent to you by them and I will have Steve write immediately to Oregon and have them send them down.

They should have been sent because he has already received his grades.

I notice that your Comptroller has not demanded the transcript of Steve's record from High School but merely from the principle, at least this is a good man.

Sincerely yours,

EFJ:AK

June Twenty-sixth,  
1 9 2 9

Mr. Edwin C. Voorhies, Prof.,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

Jess Rome and Vedder Wright, the boys that I spoke to you about are planning on leaving about the first of July and have an old rattle trap of a Ford so they will probably pull into Berkeley some time about the third or thereabouts.

I have given them a letter to you and any help that you can give them relative to Davis and chances of securing employment, also any other advise that you may be able to give them will be greatly appreciated.

This fellow Wright was valedictorian and an honor student in his graduating class. He is a very smart fellow and I think you will find him a likeable chap, also Rome as well.

Anything you can do will be appreciated.

We had a wonderful trip and as soon as I can get back to earth I am going to drop you a line giving you the dope on it.

Steve is getting the principal's signature to the blank that the Comptroller's office sent him. Personally, I don't have much hopes of being able to get him in.

Hoping all goes well in your family, I am

Sincerely yours,

EF:AK  
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June Twenty-sixth,  
1 9 2 9

Mr. Ed. Voorhies, Professor,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

This will introduce Mr. Jess Rome and Vedder Wright  
the boys of whom I spoke to you about. Anything you  
can do will certainly be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

EF:AK

July First,  
1 9 2 9

Mr. Edwin C. Voorhies,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

Dear Mr. Voorhies:

Answering your letter of the twenty-second will say I  
hope you will be able to get in touch with Mr. Zoueff  
and I certainly will appreciate a word from you after  
you have see him.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

EF:AK

August 21, 1929

Prof. Ed Voorhies  
College of Agriculture  
Berkeley, California.

My dear Ed:

Thanks for your letter of August 8th. Am glad it appears the boys are getting along alright and are liked.

I had a letter from Prof. Simmons of the Agricultural Department of the Grossmont High School. He had seen Griffen at San Luis Obispo and Griffen had made the same remarks to him so I guess the boys are doing fine.

I had a nice letter from Roma the other day in which he stated he had quit the hay job because of an opening doing janitor work at the college so he may be getting in line for something permanent during the school year.

I sure hope you will look the boys up when you are in Davis.

If the boys in the house should see fit to ask Roma to come in to the house, I would be pleased to pay his initiation expenses because I think it would do him a lot of good. You might mention this to the president of the house this year, whoever he is. I am writing the president a letter requesting that the boys be looked up and have them over at any rate.

In regard to Steve, his entire credentials were sent from the University of Oregon and a check sent from here to the Regents of the University. After some consideration they turned him down on account of lack of recommendations and they returned the check to this office. However, I guess Steve is happy now and expects to go back to Oregon and make the football team, which he couldn't do at Cal. this year if he transferred. Thanks just the same for all you have done to help him.

I saw Ralph Engelbretson at the beach the other day and he said Carl had been down here only a week or two before. As usual he didn't ring me up. He is certainly a queer gent.

October First,  
1 9 2 9

Mr. Ed Voorhies,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

Enclosed find check for \$14.20 to cover the cost of the tickets you are getting for me.

I hope that you will be able to come down again yourself so we can get together.

I suppose the tickets will come to you and you will forward them to me.

Will drop you a line soon giving you the news.

As ever,

EFjr:AK

Prof. Ed Voorhies -2-

9-21-29

Hope all is well with you and that it will not be long before it will be necessary for you to make a trip down this way.

It is just possible that Mildred and I will be up to one of the games this year. Perhaps the Oregon-Stanford game. If I can get another couple to go in with us, we going to rent a plane and fly up.

Hoping to see you soon, I am, as ever

Sincerely yours,

EF,Jr:GMF

October Twenty-eighth,

1 9 2 9

Professor Edwin C. Voorhies,  
University of California,  
College of Agriculture,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

Received the tickets o.k. and I sure want to thank you a thousand times. Will be there rooting as loud as we can for Cal and from the looks of things she is going to need it, however, we have been optimistic to a point of \$5.00 worth on the Cal US,C and another \$5.00 that Cal will win the conference.

Enclosed find picture of Edward the Third age one year. You can see he is growing right along.

It is time you were getting down this way again or Edward will be in college before you get to see him.

Steve has been getting into most ever game this season with Oregon. He made a touch down against Idaho and I saw him play a good game at Palo Alto when Stanford played Oregon about three weeks ago. Mildred and I drove all night Friday arriving at Palo Alto at four o'clock in the morning and sleeping until noon, saw the football game and started home right after the game. Drove as far as Fresno that night and then home Sunday.

Thanks so much for the tickets and if there is anything I can do for you down this way Don't hesitate to call on me.

Sincerely yours,

EFjr:AK

December Twenty-third,  
1 9 2 9

Mr. Ed Veornies,  
2615 Shasta Road,  
Berkeley, Calif.

My dear Ed:

Steve is home and in a turmoil again - still feels  
he would like to go to Cal.

He now has, according to Oregon rating on the quarter  
system 59 credits.

Can you sound out the Department or Recorder and  
find out whether or not it would be any use for  
him to have another transcript of his record  
sent so that he could enter Berkeley this coming  
term and just when does the new term start.

Also, what would be the chance of his getting in  
as a special student under your supervision if  
he could not get in as a regular?

Sorry to bother you all the time about this  
but we would like to see Steve in Cal.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New  
Year, I am

Sincerely yours,

BFjr:AK



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