

Mar. 15, 83.

Rev. F. D. Coleman,
Wyanadette, Kan.,
Dear Sir:

Your work
in Committees of the Board I find
to be as follows.

1. To report on time needed by Treasurers and Land Agents to prepare for all elements.

2. To examine into the question of needed changes in blanks for books and machinery of investment.

3. To select orator for Commencement anniversary and suggest as to general exercises.

I hope you have been able to throw off your cold by this time, and will feel well for our next meeting, March 24th.

Yours truly,
Geo. P. Danville.

Manhattan, Kansas

April 3rd 1889.

P. B. Puffer,

President K. S. College,

Leavenworth

In accordance
with your request of this date
the Board of Regents have appointed
a committee to "examine
your books, vouchers etc, etc, with-
you to audit your accounts and
ascertain the correctness of the
same." and have appointed a
meeting for Saturday, April 1st,
at 8:30 A. M. in the office of the
newly elected Treasurer, to make
such examination and settle-
ment.

You are hereby notified to be
present at the time and place a-
bove named with the books, vouch-
ers, etc, of your office, ready to
transfer the property of the Col-
lege Institute in your possession to
the newly elected Treasurer.

F. W. Colburn

Chair. Bd. of Regents.

Geo. F. Reynolds,

Secretary of Bd. of Regents.

Mar. 15. 82

E. B. Purcell, Jr. K. S. A. S.,
 Manhattan,

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the recommendation of a Committee appointed to examine you as to time needed for preparation to comply with the new law turning over the endowment fund in all particulars to the State Treasurer, the Board have set Thursday morning, March 29th, for settlement with you, desiring me to ask your presence at that time in this office with all the books and papers, including securities, necessary for full settlement.

Rev. W. L. Mc Kay, having given bonds as Treasurer, and having been authorized to make transfers of property at the convenience of you both, has also been notified to be present and share in the settlement.

Yours truly,
 Geo. J. Partridge

Mar 18 59.

Hon. S. C. McKay,
Ames, Iowa,

Dear General,

Your resignation of the Treasurership was laid before the Board as requested; but after full consultation acceptance was postponed to the time fixed for settling over all securities to the State Treasury. I was directed to notify you that this settlement is to be on the morning of Thursday, March 24th, and ask your presence as an officer of the Board, though no longer a member.

The peculiar situation makes it necessary to include in this settlement both you and Mr. Purcell.

Yours truly,
Geo. D. Davis, Jr.,
Secretary.

Mar. 15, 83.

Hon. C. W. Ireland,
 El Dorado, Kan.,
 Dear Sir:

The Board of Regents are required by a law published March 7th to turn over to the State-Treasurer all securities, etc. belonging to the Endowment Fund of the College. The Board have made all arrangements for this transfer on the 30th inst; and propose to settle with the Land Agent on the evening of the 28th and with our Treasurer on the morning of the 29th.

As you become a regent - April 1st and should be familiar with the details of this important matter, the Board request you to be present at their meeting, beginning at 7 P.M. of March, 26th. Coöperate in effect with the Board.

The Board have been
 very anxious to
 secure the
 interest of the
 public in the
 management of
 the affairs of the
 institution. It
 is the duty of
 the Board to
 see that the
 funds are
 properly
 applied to
 the objects
 for which
 they were
 given. It is
 also the duty
 of the Board
 to see that
 the institution
 is conducted
 in a manner
 consistent
 with the
 interests of
 the public.

Yours truly
 Wm. L. Garrison

Mar 19 89

E. H. Cribbs,
Salina, Kan.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the
10th inst found me in midst
of Board meeting, and the hurry
following has prevented answer.

I have signed a release
of the mortgage, and I suppose
that you have by this time
received all the papers.

Yours truly
Geo. J. Davis
Secretary.

Mar 21, 80

E. B. Purcell.

Treasurer N. S. A. C.

Dear Sir.

I find I have neglected to hand you vouchers for Regents Keller, of Burlington and Luffard of Delag Center. Will you forward to them as soon as practicable drafts for the amounts?

I fear I have worried them already by delay.

Yours truly

Geo. J. Fairbanks

Mar. 23 '89

Hon. C. W. Leland,
 Eldorado, Kan.,

Dear Sir:

The meeting
 of the Board on the 28th inst. is
 to be at the College in the
 President's Office, where we usually
 meet. I ask pardon for omitting
 the place in my notice.

Hoping to see you here
 next week, I am

Yours truly

Geo. F. Farnsworth

Mar 28 93.

E. B. Purcell, Dr. K. D. A. C.,
Dear Sir,

As requested I
send showing of my books as to
securities, Feb. 28 1893

School bonds 10%	\$53521.97
" " 7%	113901.54
" " 5%	59789.33
Franchise bonds 10%	1500.
" " 8%	5000.
" " 5%	52900.
R. E. Securities 10%	1055.
" " 8%	10900.

The above is the showing
after correcting the July report,
as requested Jan 18th. It seems to
have doubled the discrepancy of the
January comparison. I have not be-
fore gone through the items since that
time.

Yours truly
Geo. D. Daniels

Mar 30, 83

Hon S. M. Wood,
 President of Board K.S. & C.,
 Dear Sir

Your telegram just received. I am really needed here all the time. We have new students coming in, and old ones questioning all the time. My daughter has just arrived too, and I have barely spoken with her.

So among the many reasons for remaining, as you say, I need not come, I will not, but trust all to the Board.

The total amount of the endowment fund is \$396,671.81 of which the Land Agent has \$94,858.67 and the Treasurer \$300,203.14.

The Land Agent has two contracts amounting to \$1289.62. He must turn over then \$93,579.05 of notes and certificates.

Yours truly,
 Wm. J. Fairchild.

1871, 52.

Wm. Co. E. Luffford,

Calvary Cemetery, Kans.

Dear Sir,

I am
appointed by the Board of Regents
one of a Committee of four, Messrs.
Aulick, Elliott and Barsewell being
the others. I will call E. B. Barsewell
James Treasurer of the College. To
meet at the Office of the new
Treasurer on Saturday morning at
at 8:30 o'clock.

The Board also adjourned to
the same time and place. That
this Committee may do herein the
powers of a Board in case of
emergency.

Yours truly

Geo. B. Barsewell,

Secretary

April 4, 89,

Gen. H. G. Kellerman, Kans.

Burlington, Kans.,

Dear Sir:

On adjournment yesterday it was found best to fix the date of next meeting of the Board on Saturday, April 7th at 8-30 A.M.

The reason for this is a request from the former treasurer for a settlement before transfer of books and funds, upon which a committee of Regents Leburn, Hiffon, Ellicott and Fairchild was appointed to settle on Saturday morning. It seemed best to so adjourn as to give that committee the powers of the Board.

Yours truly,
Geo. B. Fairchild,
Secretary.

April 4. 83.

Hon. G. W. Leland

E. L. Curudo, Kan.,

Dear Sir:

On adjournment - yesterday it was found best to fix the date of next meeting of the Board on Saturday April 7th at 8-30 A.M. in the office of the Treasurer elect.

The reason for this is a demand from the former treasurer for a settlement before transfer of books and funds, upon which a Committee of Regents Leburn, Lufford, Ellicott and Fairchild was appointed to sit on Saturday morning.

It seemed best to adjourn as to give this Committee the powers of the Board, if necessary.

Yours truly,
Geo. D. Fairchild,
Secretary.

April 4 89.

E. H. Lillo, Esq.
 Salina, Kans.

Dear Sir:

I enclose

release of mortgage as requested.
 By oversight the execution of
 it was delayed until yesterday.
 I hope you have suffered no
 serious anxiety for the delay
 occasioned by its having been
 through many hands.

Yours truly
 Geo. J. Darrichild
 Secretary

April, 18

Col. S. C. McKay,
Ames, Kans.,

Dear Sir:

Your official
duties as Treasurer expired on the
2^d instant in the election of Regent
S. D. Elliott to that office, and
a final settlement with Mr. Pur-
cell on Saturday morning next
will relieve you from all responsi-
bility for any connection, real or
nominal, which you may have
had.

I hope you have recovered from
your late illness.

The College still lives, and will
always be open to greet you with
a warm welcome.

Yours truly
Geo. P. Fairchild,
Secretary.

April 7 89

L. R. Elliott,
 Land Agent, K. S. A. C.,
 Secor Wis.

Yours of
 the 5th inst with triplicate of
 receipt from State Treasurer for
 securities placed in his hands
 by you on the 30th ult. is re-
 ceived and filed in my office.

The amount, \$93,579.05, corre-
 sponds exactly with the amount
 of securities charged against you
 in my books less contract No 88 and
 the F. L. Thompson contract, \$1289.52
 which still stands charged to your
 account.

Yours truly,
 Geo. W. Fairbanks,
 Secretary.

April 12, 83.

Samuel J. Howe,
State Treasurer, Topeka, K.

Dear Sir:

Your note of
11th inst regarding collections on
College lands is received.

The Land Agent and myself are
made a committee to confer with
you as to all the details. I have
been too busy with affairs here to
leave them, but will try to be at To-
peka tomorrow afternoon, and if pos-
sible have Mr. Elliott with me.
We can then agree exactly upon
methods.

Yours truly,
Geo. J. Fairchild
Secretary of Board.

April 16, 89

Hon. H. C. Kellerman,
Chairman Finance Committee, N.S.A.S.,

Dear Sir:

Yours of
the 6th I have not answered ex-
cept by announcement through the
Industrialist that our settlement with
Mr. Purcell was every way satisfactory.
I went to Iloilo on Friday, 13th
inst and had the matter of collections
on land sales settled. The Attorney Gen-
eral decides that the State Treasurer
must make all collections hereafter,
and our forms must change to cor-
respond. Notice will be sent to all pur-
chasers, and meanwhile our officers act
simply as indirect agents for purchasers.
I have also arranged for plans for
the new building with Mr. Leary he will
simply consent to our taking the super-
vision into our own hands.

Yours truly
Geo. J. Fairchild

April 16, 89

J. R. Elliott,
 Land Agent, N. S. A. C.

Dear Sir:

The general result of my interview with the State Treasurer and Attorney General I gave you in memorandum Saturday; but I will call at first opportunity to answer any questions you may have.

The Treasurer wishes you to send him as soon as convenient P. O. address of purchasers that he may notify them of the change of place of payment. I will have a notice put in the Industrialist and furnish you extra copies marked to send to the purchasers also.

Our contracts should be so changed hereafter as to give the proper place of payment for installments. Would it not do to interline that for the present?

I enclose contracts Nos 121 512 2 duly signed and sealed.

Yours truly

Jos. T. Fairchild

P.S. Payments made upon installments you are to transmit to the State Treasurer as they come.

J. T. F.

April 17, 83.

Hon. E. P. McCabe,
Auditor of State,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 14th inst. to
E. B. Purcell, former Treasurer of the
College, is referred to me.

If I understand your decision
correctly, it is that our Treasurer may
draw at any time the amounts
needed to cover actual expenditures
and amounts in contract, whether due
or not, but may not anticipate the
actual letting of contract. How should
it be, if we undertake the construction
at our own shop? Can we draw, be-
fore making actual bills for labor and
materials, upon estimates furnished by
the Building Committee?

Mr. Joseph J. Elliott of Manhattan
is the present Treasurer of the College.

Yours truly,
Geo. D. Sanborn.

Apr 17 82

Hon. J. I. Elliott,
 Treasurer, K.S. & C.

Dear Sir:

The Auditor
 of State decides since my visit on
 Saturday that we can draw from
 the Greenhouse fund only upon ac-
 tual expenditure or contract, i.e. we
 must show its relation to immediate
 work.

I will call this afternoon some
 time to show you his letter, and to
 consult on other matters.

Yours truly,
 C. I. Fairchild.

April 29, 89

Wm. W. A. Johnston
 Attorney General
 Popetka, Kansas

Dear Sir,

In making report to our Board of reports upon the matter of compliance with you as to collections on Colley land contracts it will be very convenient to have your decision in writing. Such a document may also be useful to the Board, should any question arise hereafter as to responsibility for collections.

Will you kindly furnish me with a paper at your convenience during the month of May.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Fairchild,
 Secretary of Board.

Apr 27 1852

And Commonwealth
Honorable, Kani.

Sir:

Please see
the enclosed "ad on Wed-
nesday and Saturday of each
week in May, and send the
bill to

Yours truly
Genl. D. D. Washburn
Secretary of Board

April 29 - 89

Mr. Thomas Champion
 Atchison, Kans.
 Dear Sir

Please in-
 volved add on Wednesday
 and Saturday of each week in
 May and send bill of same
 to

James Law

Geo. F. Fairchild

Secretary of Board.

P.S. The structure involves 300,000,
 and may be worth more.

G. F. F.

April 1908

Wm. J. Jones,

Lawrenceville, Kan.

Sir:

Please insert
 advertisement card on Wednesday
 and Saturday of each week in
 May and send bill of same.

Yours truly,

Geo. T. Fairchild,

Secretary of Board.

P.S. The structure involves \$20,000,
 and may be worth notice.

G. T. F.

April 27, 89

Kansas City Times
 Kansas City, Mo.,
 Sirs,

Please
 insert enclosed ads on Wednes-
 day and Saturday of each week
 in May, and send bill of
 charges to

Yours truly,
 Geo. F. Fairchild
 Secretary of Board.

P.S. The structure involves \$20,000,
 and may be worth noticing.

G. F. F.

May 1, 89

Prof. M. L. Board,
 Civil Commission, K.S.A.C.,
 Dear Sir:

The amount
 in State Treasury subject
 to investment is today eleven
 thousand seven hundred and eighty-
 six & ⁸⁰/₁₀₀ dollars (\$11,786.80) less
 one thousand and fifty dollars
 reported already invested = \$10,736.80

Yours respectfully,
 Geo. J. Fairchild,
 Secretary of Board.

May 14 83

Kansas City Times;

Sir:

Your bill
for advertisement, "To builders,"
against the College for \$25.00 is
on file, and will be paid as
soon as it can be audited by
the proper Committee. This need
of red tape may cause delay
of a month or more, but the
pay is sure.

Yours truly

Chas. J. Davis, Jr.,

Secretary.

The Times,

Kansas City, Mo.

May 15, 89.

Combination Gas Machine Co.,
 Detroit, Mich.

Dear Sirs:

In answer

to your request for a statement of
 the working of our machine, I enclose
 a certificate from our Professor of
 Chemistry who has used it two
 years. The past winter we have
 connected the machine with a
 Frank reflector of 32 double lenses
 in our chapel, 175 feet from the
 machine; and light the whole of
 our main building fairly well though
 we regard the pump as too light
 for so many burners as are used at
 times. We have no hesitation in
 commending the machine and the
 system.

Yours truly

W. J. Daichild.

Secretary of Board.

May 17, 89

Jas. W. Lucey & Co.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sirs:

There seems to have been a little misunderstanding standing as to orders and receipt of goods sent to Prof. Traill. The first remittance should not have been made until a basis of settlement had been reached and all included. I trust the settlement is now satisfactory and that the two bills, through a little bungling, will cover all. We hold to the two vouchers for the sake of our books, the first voucher, No. 588, having gone through them all. Please receipt both in duplicate, and return to J. W. Elliott, Treasurer, Washington, Kan.

Yours truly,

Geo. T. Davis, Jr.

May 19, 89.

L. R. Elliott
 Land Agent, K. I. A. Co.,

Dear Sir:

Contracts for
 2010 to George Avery and August
 Mottus received today, I return "signed
 and sealed" Please send me the
 numbers of contracts, now looking upon
 the papers.

Would it not be well to change
 the wording of notices or back of the
 contract as to P. O. address and payments?

How can you arrange so that
 your reports shall agree with your
 contract? Here is an April sale not
 reported until May. I think I understand
 the situation, but there is an apparent fault
 we to conform to the law, is there not?

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Smith,

Secretary

Stearns & Chapman
Linn. Soc.

Have bill for
and amount "to Auditors" is in
order, and will be presented to
the Regent for auditing at their
next meeting June 12th
It will be paid at once after
auditing.

Yours truly
Geo. T. Daniels
Secretary

June 2 89

The Commanant,

Wichita, Kansas,

Dear Sir:

Your letter
 for advertisement "To Builders" is
 filed for auditing at next meet-
 ing of the Board, June 12th inst.
 It will be paid at once after
 being audited.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Dorschel

Secretary

Lawrence
Times

Sirs:
Your bill for ads,
"To Builders" is received
and when audited will
be paid. Board meets
June 12th - 14th
Genl. Danville

June 6, 88

Kansas City, Mo.
Kansas City, Mo.

Sirs:

Your bill
for advt "To Builders" sent on
May 24, \$25.00 contains no
particulars of the charge, and
the amount seems so large in
comparison with general price
list. You will work that I ask
you to send me the full bill
of particulars. The Board meets
next Tuesday to audit accounts.
Yours respectfully

Genl. Danville
Secretary

Jan 6, 80

J. J. Elliott,
 Treasurer, K. D. S. C.,
 Cambridge.

I return
 vouchers 683, 693, 694, 695 and
 696 upon which you advanced
 and my receipt. Also voucher 658
 sent to me by mistake.

I signed to you vouchers nos. 682,
 683, 684, 687, 693, & 702 asking you
 to advance upon them. Also students
 payed you for them.

The plans and specifications
 are here, if you are in town. Will
 you come up and look them over
 with me? My leave promise to be here
 tomorrow.

Yours truly,
 Geo. T. Davis, Jr.,
 P.S. I gave you 60 cts on voucher 696
 by error omitted.

Hon. Saml J. Howe

State Treasurer

Topeka, Kansas,

Dear Sir:

Your
Detailed Statement of Collections
for the State of Kansas College
during the month of May, is
received and compared with our
books.

Washington D. C. Jan 9 we
have not found as yet. Please
give if you can, the County
it pertains to.

Yours truly

Wm. D. Swickard

The Board of Trustees of the College of William and Mary
 has just received from the President of the Board of
 Trustees of the University of Virginia a copy of a
 report of the Committee on the Faculty of that
 institution. The report is a very interesting and
 valuable document, and it is to be regretted that
 it is not more generally known. The report
 contains a list of the names of the members of the
 faculty, and a description of their duties. It also
 contains a list of the names of the students, and
 a description of their progress. The report is
 a very valuable document, and it is to be
 regretted that it is not more generally known.

In the same connection a report
 of the Committee on the Faculty calls
 attention to the fact that you have
 filled a chair in the College for the
 year past with energy and a good
 degree of efficiency, and recommends
 that although adverse criticism has
 been made by some persons, a change

The Resignation was filed before this
notice could be delivered, and it therefore
was never sent.

S. P. P.

June 15, 88

Prof. J. C. Hall,
Secretary of the Board of Regents,
I have already done in person
of a chair of the Board
requesting your resignation
position in the College
at once but to take effect
first of September next.
The resignation was accompanied by
the following:
Resolved That in requesting the
resignation of Professor Wood and that
the Board are not satisfied by really
it will toward these gentlemen,
promptly only by a definite
the best interests of the College
disposition behalf of the Board has
disposition of the Board has
disposition of the Board has

Jan 15, 83

C. E. Demkesburg
Land Department U. S. D. R.

Peperan, Kan.,
Dear Sir,

Yours of
of 12th was received and in the
middle of the month. Hence
a slight delay.

I enclose an order for
the State Printer for the election
type for each year, and hope you
will be able to receive it. The paper
in the printing was so small, blurred
and blotched that we hope you may
do better than we on the paper and
and make of it a better contract.

I am, Sir,
Very respectfully,
Yours,
C. E. Demkesburg

January 10

Dear Sir,
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. in relation to the building of a new
 building for the Court House and the
 Corridor of the College Hall
 according to plans and specifications
 of J. D. Gann & Co., Architects,
 for the sum of (\$6,500.00) six
 thousand five hundred dollars
 is accepted.

The Building Committee
 will meet on Friday afternoon in
 my office to enter into contract
 and accept a sufficient bond.
 Please be ready to present the
 bond on that day.
 Yours truly,
 Geo. W. Fairchild

June 10

Wm. H. Bellman
Columbia, W. Va.

Dear Sir,
I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above named matter. I have the honor to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
Wm. H. Bellman

August 25

John B. Gifford

Wilmington

Dear Sir

Received of the College on the 14th inst. a letter from you and was glad to see the enclosed which was an excellent paper. The date on the first day of July next, the beginning of the next academic year.

I take the liberty to recommend you in this connection to call at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees in the town of Northampton and to be supplied with the books and papers in the office of the Secretary of the Board.

Very truly
Your obedient servant,
John B. Gifford

June 16 87

Prof. W. F. Nichols,
 Wehson, Kansas,

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to be advised
 of your appointment as Professor
 of Mathematics and Engineering
 in the College, for the
 year beginning first of September
 next at a salary of fourteen
 hundred dollars a year.

The duties include a charge
 of a class in Trigonometry & Surveying,
 Mechanics, and Engineering together
 with such other instruction as may
 be required in adjustment of the
 work among members of the
 faculty and in our catalogue, and
 such other duties as may be
 assigned. At home next week, and
 again on 2nd of June.

Geo. W. Fessenden.

June 11, 93,

Wm. D. I. Stone,

State Treasurer, Topeka K.,

Dear Sir:

The Board

of Regents, considering your in-

quiry of May 5th, authorize you

to receive installments, as yet, be-

fore they become due, reckoning

against the time of payment.

I enclose permits for extension

of time in several cases.

J. R. Elliott, Land Agent, will

take place to John B. Hayward, elected,

on July first next, provided the proper

papers are filed with the Secretary of

State at that date.

At the same date J. R. Elliott will

success M. L. Ward as Loan Commis-

sioner.

Yours truly

Geo. J. Davis, Jr.,

Secretary of Board.

June 10

Dear Sir,

I received your letter of the 10th

concerning

the minutes of Board meeting and
 the report of special committee on
 the subject of those already made
 known to you verbally. That the
 value of Canada is increased twenty
 percent. That the value of the first
 term of the extension is not; That you
 are represented in office by John
 W. Hayward, to whom you are ex-
 pected to transmit all the effects
 of the College Fund sent on the
 first day of July. Provided his
 report is duly approved and depos-
 ited. Your first annual account
 can be sent to me on my return
 from the East about July 25th.

Yours truly
 Geo. D. Fairbanks.

Jan 9 83

Judge J. H. Humphrey,

100 Franklin Street,

Dear Sir,

In a multitude of items of correspondence growing out of Commencement and Board meeting, I have put off a note to you in regard to your excellent address.

The Board passed a hearty vote of thanks, and ordered the address printed in the extra June 30th edition of the *Industrialist*, with 500 copies in pamphlet form. The *Industrialist* of that date is scattered to the extent of 10,000 copies.

Please inform me how many copies of the pamphlet you would like for your own use.

Yours truly,

Wm. J. Fairchild,

Secretary of Board.

June 19, 83

Wm D. C. Caborn,
 President Board of Regents,
 Fayetteville, Ark.
 Dear Sir,

We are now making preparations to be
 away a week or so, it seems best to
 call at the drawing funds from
 the State Treasury as we are au-
 thorized by the Board to do at the
 close of each month.

The balance now in our local
 treasury after paying all the bills
 credited will be \$11,304.10 This will
 pay all bills for at least three months
 hence, and I understand that the
 President and Secretary are authorized to
 draw on this sum, should we not see
 to it that the local balance care not
 exceed the proportion to the \$25,000 bond
 of the Government. If we must draw the
 monthly balance and it exceeds, I must
 arrange for you to make the proper papers.
 Yours truly
 Geo. J. Fairchild, Secy.

Jan 30 80

Gen. C. S. Leburn, President of Regent,
 Lyndale, N. Y.
 Dear Sir,

I enclose to
 you for your approval the bond
 of J. S. Sullivan, a new commis-
 sioner just filed with me.

I suppose it to be sufficient
 and I trust your approval will be
 ample authority for its acceptance.
 If you think best to refer it al-
 so to the Committee on Finance
 please forward it to Mr. Kellerman
 the Chairman.

I suppose the bond of Land
 agent should also have the ap-
 proval of the Board. It has not yet
 appeared.

Yours faithfully,
 C. S. Leburn

July 27, 82

Mr. Elliott
London Street, N.Y.C.

At first appar-
ently the same number of
contracts, but not
divided into the same
number of shares.

That the contract to P.P.
is not call for the same number of
shares as the subsidiary ones, but not
divided into the same. I presume
you will make no difference.

I will see that your account
is properly examined and settled
as early as possible.

Yours truly,
J. D. [Signature]

July 27 83

J. W. Elliott

London, N. H.

Dear Sir

I return

to you care for your copy of the
contract etc. etc. do not signed and
sent to me as requested by you from
B. Lifford and Kent, N. H.

The bonds will return tomorrow
if not the next day through today.
I have to enter them all separately,
and all on the bond register
and may not get the same today with
all my back correspondence to look
over.

Yours truly

J. W. Elliott

Secretary of the Board

July 3.

Hon. D. W. Colburn,
 President of the Board of Regents,
 State of New York, Albany, N. Y.

Dear Sir: The balance in the State Treasury, to credit of Income Fund accounts now is \$8027.81 and your local Treasurer should be drawn into his hands. This will make his credit balance not far from \$15000, more, of course, than is needed for meeting what wants; but as I was especially urgent that no salary should be paid the Treasurer, on the ground that he would have control of a large and constant balance, cannot consistently object to drawing this amount, or doing so, the sum is fully receipted by a sufficient bond.

I find you the request for in the
 your thinking, we shall need no more
 I am, Dear Sir,
 Yours truly,
 Geo. D. Smith

July 2, 1852

Wm. Hall, Coburn
 President, Board of Regents,
 College Hill

I enclose
 herewith a list of blank to be
 printed by you as President
 of the Board, intended by myself
 as Secretary, in your name contracted
 to Wm. Ricker and now paid for
 by you. It is a part of rent which
 I have upon your account some years
 since, but not from your indebtedness to me.
 I have all the notes and papers
 pertaining to the contract
 into the State Treasury.

Please return the list with
 your acknowledgments properly acknowledged
 before it is printed.
 Yours truly,
 Wm. Hall

Weymouth

My dear Sir,
I have the honor to receive
your letter of the 1st inst.

and in reply to inform you

that the same has been
forwarded to the

Committee on the subject

of the proposed alterations

in the regulations of the

College and that you will

be glad to hear from you

again on the subject of the

proposed alterations.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

Wm. B. Brewster

Secretary of the Board of
Education

State of Massachusetts

Weymouth, Mass., 1st August 1871

Wm. B. Brewster

May 4

Report on the progress of the
Census of the District of Columbia

Washington

The Census of the District of Columbia
for the year 1850 was completed on the
1st of May. The result shows a
total population of 53,122. The
increase since 1840 is 10,872, or
20.5%. The population of the
District is now equal to that of
the State of New Jersey. The
increase is due to the immigration
of the Irish, German, and
English. The population of the
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District is now equal to that of
the State of New Jersey.

Wm. D. Washburn

Aug 14 53

Hon. James I. Howe,

Comptroller of State,

Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

Your report upon the
 State of the State, July, received,
 from correct so far as com-
 parison with our books goes.
 Will you kindly forward me
 with your balance on the 30th
 of June in both the perma-
 nent and the personal fund?
 I want to compare my books with
 yours in the respect before pub-
 lishing my annual statement.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Smith

P.S. I reached the Capital too late
 to call at your office yesterday.

Aug 22. 5,

W. R. Elliott

Dear Sir:

Yours concerning
the writ in the Thompson case
is received during the presence of
members of the Board.

Consulting with some of them, I
conclude that the proper thing is
for you to go when needed. The
Board will of course pay expenses
and the reasonable compensation
you ask of three dollars a day
plus fare. I hope the case may
be finally settled soon.

Yours truly,

Geo. I. Fairchild,

Secretary.

Aug²⁴, 9

Hon. Saml J. Howe,
 State Treasurer,
 Honolulu, Hawaii.

Dear Sir:

Yours in
 closing application of George Peckham
 for extension or contract is received.
 I enclose notice of extension under
 general instructions from the Board
 in each case.

Yours truly,
 Geo. J. Baird,
 Secretary of Board.

Aug 27, '79

J. J. Eliot.

Loan Commissioner, N.S.A.P.

Dear Sir:

I enclose
 a letter from A. J. Redden of
 Colorado, concerning bonds of
 that State. I have written him
 referring the matter to you.

Would it not be well to con-
 sult Regent of State as to the
 matter, telling him our desire
 to take only the best securities?

Yours truly,
 Wm. D. Fairchild.

Secretary.

August 11

Dear Sir,
 I have
 the honor to acknowledge
 the receipt of your
 letter of the 10th inst.
 in relation to the
 purchase of the
 land in the
 name of the
 Board of
 Commissioners
 of the
 City of
 New York
 and in
 answer to
 inform you
 that the
 same has
 been
 approved
 and the
 purchase
 will be
 made
 as soon
 as the
 necessary
 papers
 are
 received.
 I am,
 Sir,
 very
 respectfully,
 Yours,
 J. M. [unclear]

Sept 21st

The Honorable Commrs of the
 University of Cambridge
 Cambridge
 Please to
 send me your interesting volume of
 the University of Cambridge
 which I received in September the
 enclosed is to the builders and
 carpenters, and a charge to each
 of the students called

That the Board of Regents
 meet on Oct 30th to let the
 contract for building, and the
 notice be given to the
 your truly
 John Smith

Sep 3^d 9

Respect Craker,
 Jackson, Kans.,
 Chairman of Building Committee.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed the monthly estimate upon
 the work as follows:-

Excavation 945 yds
 Stone wall 100 perches.
 Crossed Saker 300 feet length
 Underwood " 300 " "

Stone on ground 30 perches
 Sand " " 30 loads

We have also done work upon the
 drainage amounting to over \$200.

As you can authorize a fair
 rate for a year or more, I see no
 need of a meeting of Committee this
 week. Mr. Wimer want an estimate of
 \$450. less one per cent.

All going well

Yours truly
 Geo. W. D. Smith.

Sep. 5. 80

Hon. Saml. P. Howe,

State Treasurer,

Topeka, Kans.

Dear Sir:

Your
 report of Collections and dis-
 bursements on account of State
 Agricultural Funds for the month
 of August is received.

I cannot make my record
 of balances agree with yours
 as appended to the report, please
 send me the monthly balances from
 April 30th to date, that I may find
 where our discrepancy lies.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Fairchild,

Secretary, P.A.C.

Sep. 10.

E. J. Sears, Architect,
Lawrenceville, K.

Dear Sir:

The rush
your questions have come, and
now we discover that the ventilators,
which according to the plans should
be $31\frac{1}{2}$ inches at least, are made
according to the schedule $28\frac{1}{2}$
inches. Our fixtures are all set,
and to change will spoil the job.
These rush go on the east side
of each span, and are 24 in num-
ber; but I believe only half of them
are movable.

What shall we do?

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Purshill

P.S. I have advertised for bids
on carpentry, etc., and need the details.

G. J. P.

8/21

Paul H. Allen
Claremont, Boston Co. N.H.

Dear Sir
I have your card
in regard to your district (No 39) build
a new school house, as before in
the claim by the College is
against the district not against
the town, and will be just as good
if you build a new one. If you wish
to borrow more money to build with,
you must take all the legal steps
and go to the County Superintendant
about it.

We will account what we do
for good, and we can lend you
more of your property if needed.

Yours truly
Geo. J. Donnell
Claremont, N.H.

Recd. August 27, Boston Co.

July 24

John B. ...
 Belle Springs, Hawaii

... out of ...
 ... prices ...
 ... by the 15th.

W. E. ...	7-15-4	Cost	29.50	per acre
...	7-15-4	"	31.52	" "
S. W. ...	5-15-4	"	12.24	" "

These prices are good now,
 but are likely to be increased a
 little at the next meeting of the
 Board, October 7th.

Yours truly,
 Geo. J. ...
 Secretary.

Sept. 20, 1851

My dear Sir J. [Name],
I have the pleasure to inform you
that I have received your letter of

the 15th inst. and have examined
the accounts. I have for a plain
statement of the disbursements
made on account of

your reports show collections
and disbursements from the endowment
fund as follows:

Balance, April 1st (cash)	\$ 5,220.00
April Collections	10,500.00
May "	7,500.00
June "	5,000.00
July "	4,500.00
August "	4,200.00
Total	\$ 47,920.00
Disbursements	\$ 2,100.00
June "	1,750.00
July "	1,130.00
August "	900.00
Total	\$ 5,880.00
Balance	\$ 42,040.00

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant
(over)

The same report on the
and disbursements on account of them
found as follows:

1831.70	1831.70
1832.40	1832.40
302.50	302.50
502.01	502.01
182.75	182.75
177.90	177.90
181.80	181.80
827.51	827.51
181.77	181.77
181.77	181.77

Balance
to be paid to the
copying 200 for 200
with a difference of 20
from the balance
of the same

The balance of the
disbursements for
the year 1831. 1832. and 1833. has been
the disbursements of the year
and there is no more
of money.

I hope to be as safe as
for the year 1834. and if
being the paper for the
year 1834. I will

Sep. 22. 3

W. B. Higginbotham, Esq.,
Dear Sir:

There are a few bills against the College needing to be paid. Among these are three in favor of the Chicago Lumber Co. which is closing out business.

In the absence of Mr. Elliott, Treasurer, can you advance the money upon the vouchers as security? I will see you about the matter this afternoon.

Yours truly

Geo. J. Daniels

Sep. 23. 1890.

Wm. Sumner I. Howe,
State Treasurer, Springfield,
Mass.

Yours of 21st inst. received must be the discrepancy between our accounts. The 40 cts. I found upon scrutiny to be the mere slip of a pen by which a 0 was given to a cipher so that it was added as a penny again and again. In the bond account we agree. In Cash balance of Endowment Fund I find

Collection, as reported on the 21st	41,949.09
Add payment of L. R. E.	1,701.28
Collect investments	43,650.67
	19,787.
Cash balance	898,883.67

This is 890. less than you give it, = 700. out.

In the State and Portland account, I have you charged with

Balance April 1st	102,819.05 ✓
Sept. 1st, 1889	3,426.57 ✓
" June	2,140. ✓
" July	3,131 ✓
" August	83,473.33 ✓
	124,366.11 ✓

and credited with

Cash Collections, April,

\$ 50.

" May

8277.74 ✓

" June,

2729.24 ✓

" July

880.45 ✓

" Aug.

1597.48 ✓

13,737.11

Balance

\$110,028.99

and will greatly oblige you.

I have been your explicit in
 view that you may more readily
 find the error. I have no disposition
 to complain, but will very gladly enter
 into any plan you may propose for
 making our accounts correct. I found
 in the work of my office several errors
 to be corrected before I was aware of my
 having done so.

If this is not plain, or if you
 find I have written it with a dagger
 in my hand.

Yours truly,

Edw. J. Davis

Sept. 30

Regent Cabern,
Wyanadotte, Kans.,
Dear sir

The next
meeting of the Board is set for
Tuesday, October 5 at 3 P.M.

I shall notify all the members
today, I suppose all the meeting
should be at the college, unless
a direct answer to a special note.

It may be possible to have
myself that the Committee on
work of the Board are Chairman
will be called upon in the past.

I believe most of the work
done by the Committee is done
in the past.

We have 24 students today

Yours truly,
C. C. Fairchild

July 29

My dear Robert

St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir

Received

your meeting is on Tuesday
(Oct 9th at 3 P.M.) You know the
in building of which you are Chair
man will be called upon to report
I suppose. If you can bring a report
of report we can in a moment report
it in Council and present without
delay.

I am pushing the greenhouse
and I can with the burden
of your team. I think the best
opportunity should be here quickly,
but have matters but I promise them
the best.

One from 241 students today, 30
and a change a year ago.

Yours truly

Genl. Churchill

Sep. 24

Dear Maester,

Since writing to you, I have seen two builders here about the west of the greenhouse, i.e. the circular part. They decline to work by the day, but will put the whole of complete for myself. As I cannot get men by the day, and so I have given the job to these builders. They will have it done in a fortnight, they say.

Possibly we may pay a trifle more for the work, but we secure speed, which is very important now.

Some I don't right. I could not wait to consult you beforehand, but Mr. Elliott is away for a week.

Yours truly,
Wm. D. Parvillat.

Sep. 25. 3

Hon. Jas. T. Howe,

State Treasurer, Wash. D. C.

Dear Sir

Yours of

of the 20th, explains all the discrepancies. I do keep separate the accounts of disbursements and investment, so that I shall be able to charge and credit just as you do.

Your credit to me and contract acct on receipt from L. R. Elliott is \$1000.11 greater than his report of collections on contracts for the month of Sept. \$1000.11 is also the amount of cash received at site in connection with the contracts returned, but does not include the amount for all cash. This amount does appear in your report for May included in cash receipts from L. R. Elliott. Now we start together, it will be easy to keep together.

Yours truly,

Wm. P. Fairchild.

Supt J. A. Stadman

[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

Oct 3

Hon. James Smith,
 Secretary of State
 Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

I called
 at your office on the 27th ult.
 to inform you of the necessity of
 advertising the College for bids
 as I will have a motion on for
 general purposes of bringing the
 College to public notice, comes before
 me under the Act providing for the
 public printing. In your absence, I
 agreed to state the case in writing.

We have advertised in Fair
 prominent papers for bids on new buildings;
 also, in the Salientist, Kansas Farmer
 and Love Stock Advertiser, for students.
 Should the bills for these be rendered to
 the State Auditor, or paid from the means
 fund of the College?

Yours truly
 J. W. Smith

Oct. 5. 1851

Wm. James Smith,
Secretary of State,
Cape Markham

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of
yesterday concerning bills for
advertising for the College clearly
answers my question.

This College has not been ac-
customed to receive favors in the
way of State printing, and it was
suggested that from ignorance on
one part we might not share equi-
ly with other State institutions in
the privilege conferred by the law
in this sense any inquiry of
the Department.

Yours respectfully,

Wm. J. Davis

Wm. S. Parkman
 Wichita, Kan.,

Dear Sir

The 1st inst. to Comd and Agent
 was misssent to you, and as it
 has already been delayed some
 what, I am sorry it

has not been received as early
 as I had hoped. The lands for sale in Riley,
 LeFlore, and Washington Counties
 about 8000 acres in all, ranging
 in price from \$900 to \$1500. The
 amount in the several counties are
 about equal, and nowhere is there
 more than a section together I think.

Very specific application will be
 furnished upon application to John B.
 Clifford, Land Agent W. S. C. Embellter

Yours truly

Geo. J. Davis

Oct. 18 9

J. J. Elliott,

Treas. Commission,

Dear Sir,

Herewith

find bonds of Et. Leinold
 No. 41-58, inclusive,
 for \$2500, duly approved and
 paid.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Darrault,

Secretary.

Oct. 13, 9

Wm. Smith Treas.

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Dear Sir:

Your report of balances for
October agrees with my own. I
have your triplicate receipt and shall
accept them upon my books as it
enable me to compare at a glance the
totals and balances you send over
at close of the month.

The Board have just passed a
resolution, requesting you to notify
delinquents on their contracts that
payments must be made before the
first day of January next to prevent
cancellation of contracts. Of course,
extension of time is granted by agreement
with the Board.

It occurred here, since payment
must be made at your office, that the
notification should come from you.

Yours truly,

Wm. Smith Treas.

Secretary of Board

Oct 15

Capt. J. L. Stebbins,
St. Joseph, Kansas,
Dear Sir:

Your communication to Prof. Ward, concerning districts representing the territory now held west in District of Columbia Co, was laid before the Board this week, and Hon. G. A. Leland of Illinois has been authorized to visit your County and arrange for final settlement in the case. He will, of course, wish to settle amicably, if possible, with proper safeguards for final collection from the territory still remaining to you to share.

He has your letter, and will no doubt call upon you.

Yours truly,
Geo. T. Parrish,
Secretary of Board.

Oct 13, '93

Mr. S. L. Redder

El Comrado, K.,

Leavenworth.

Your enclosing
statement of Donahay Clerk as to
some bonds was duly received and
found correct. A Warrant signed
a warrant for \$5000. to cover the
bonds numbered 41 to 53 inclusive,
which makes the whole amount of
the same.

The appearance of the first cou-
pons is not correct you know. They
seem to pay six months interest on
a bond which has been running but
four months and nothing should be
that all the bonds had the same. It
is not best to have a certificate from
the Officers showing how the coupons
were made to correspond to the actual
interest by destroying every third one
of the 100% coupons.

Yours truly,
Geo. N. Parikh.

Oct. 15 9

A. D. Everett

Treasurer, U. S. A.

Dear Sir:

I sent you
 this morning Bonds of the U. S. A.,
 with warrants, approved.

I enclose now accounts against
 State Treasury.

Library Appropriation	\$ 108.82
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Greenhouse "	748.80
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South wing "	827.06
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A few bills have been rendered a-
 gainst the Library Appropriation, but
 the amount is so small I have thought
 best to await the arrival of another lot
 of books before drawing.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Partridge.

Oct 17, 9

Mr. Saml. T. Stone,

State Treasurer,

Dear Sir,

In acknowledging
 your statement for September, I
 find that our balances agree. I
 found yesterday, in making up my quar-
 terly statement for publication, that I had
 not compared carefully the cash balance
 of Endowment. It is given by you
 as \$25,771.67 while I made it just
 \$500 less as follows:

Balance Sept 1st	\$24,553.67
Collectors	1403.00
Disbursements	25,771.67
	600.00
	<u>\$25,371.67</u>

I presume there was a slip of the
 clerk in copying.

Yours truly,

Saml. T. Stonehill.

Oct. 18. 3

Dear Mr. Deane,
 Colorado, Kan.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 10th inst. and
 with Messrs. Lincoln and Purcell of
 Jackson County as very clearly ex-
 plained in your letter to Mr. Elliott
 I have fully examined and feel sat-
 isfied with

The loss is not chargeable to
 either the Board or the previous one,
 and perhaps not directly to the Board
 which accepts the land in payment of
 a loan. It can reflect somewhat upon
 the attorney who examined the title, but even
 he has some excuse. However, it falls to
 the present Board to present the case be-
 fore the Legislature in such a way that
 the State may preserve the funds from
 loss according to agreement with the
 general government in accepting the
 land grant.

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Would it not be well to put in plain terms by way of report all the points which are now fresh in your mind, and file it in this & copy?
 I have here a report from L. B. Elliott who sold the land, and data furnished by J. S. Reader as to the same & shall also have the stems of papers in form of regular vouchers with a report of efforts & expenditures & results & full history of the case can be readily compiled in this office.

The subject of the entry on the General deposits I think upon the faith of the State in its treatment of the land grant.

Yours truly,

Edw. J. Partridge

Oct-19. 9

Hon. Saml J. Jones,
State Treasurer, Topeka, K.
Dear Sir:

Yours of yesterday
is received.

I did take your letter of Sep. 6th
to be a simple correction of the re-
port of balance Sep. 1st and attached
it to that report.

I think a simple statement of
your disbursements will bring my
books to accord with yours. Our records
of receipts to Sep. 1st I think agree in the
sum of \$45,008.67. Your monthly
reports show disbursements as follows:

May	\$2,150.	343.7
June	1,700.	✓
July	1,300.	✓
August	2,000.	✓
September	6,000.	✓
Total	\$17,800.	

Yet, in your letter of Sep. 24th you
give total amount warrants paid \$17,000.

This I took also as a correction to reports up
to Sep. 1st:

2.

Perhaps there were disbursements
in April, though none are reported, and
your book at Sep. 21st gives the total
of disbursements to Sep. 1st as \$17,200.

I believe all the rest of our ac-
counts to agree, and this difference
is readily carried

my published account of bal-
ances I include all payments, and
warrants to a total that differences in
our accounts may be explained. The
account is necessary to show the actual
condition of the funds. Your account
would show our disbursement greater
and it is by the amount of outstand-
ing warrants.

I hope that this will relieve us
of our anxiety I am

Yours truly

Geo. S. Jarvis

Oct. 23. 3

Hon. Isaac T. Howe,

State Treasurer, Topeka, Kan.

Dear Sir:

Your copy of
yesterday makes all our difference
clear. The disbursement of May 27th
(\$200) that in your report for May,
and I had taken your letter of Sep. 24th
as a correction of reports simply. Thus
the \$500. paid in September appears on
my books twice.

I enclose a clip from the West-
Industrialist giving balances as they
must be shown upon my books to give
the correct funds at all times. The cash
is less than your books show by just
\$1000., the amount of outstanding warrants
on September 30th. If you see any er-
rors in these figures, please inform me,
and oblige.

Yours truly,

Geo. J. Davis

Oct 25 - 9

J. J. Elliott;

Loan Commissioner, U.S.A.P.,

Dear Sir:

I enclose
 warrants and warrant for Harper
 Co. No. 6. approved and entered.

The balance in Treasury today, our
 statement is an overdraft of
 \$65.22. In last report from the
 State Treasurer there were outstanding
 amounts amounting to \$1,000.; so that
 his balance is in our favor still, un-
 less the warrants have come in recent-

Yours truly

J. J. Elliott

I also enclose a bill to ^{Acad's} Kautane

Yours truly

Oct 25

J. J. Elliott,
Treasurer, K. S. A. C.,

Dear Sir,

We have just discovered that vouchers 1049 and 110, against the Chemical Department last year, are identical. One was paid on the account of June and the other on the same month. Prof. Fairlyer has written about it to Ritchie & Sons, and they report the amounts returned to you.

The books with which we learned through the vouchers just after Commencement account for the errors passing unnoted through the auditing. Prof. Fairlyer accounts for his oversight by his receiving a second bill from the firm which made him hastily make out vouchers.

Perhaps the best way to correct the error will be to credit the Chem. Dept. by "overpayment voucher No 710. 1882-3, refunded."

Yours truly,
Geo. D. Merrill.

Oct 20 3

J. D. Ellicott,
 Treasurer K. L. A. S.
 Dear Sir:

Enclosed are figures in summary
 of cash account and appropriations
 received.

You seem to make three
 dollars and eighty cents (80⁰⁰) more
 of the vouchers against cash than
 our books show, and your total
 of all vouchers is just as much greater.
 The two funds agree with our ac-
 counts.

A pressure a checking off on
 the duplicate will show where the
 difference lies.

Yours truly,
 Geo. D. Davis

Oct. 29. 9

W. L. Southworth Esq.
 Mangerville, Kan.
 Dear Sir:

Yours of
 Oct. 4th to Mr. J. A. Smith, being
 faithfully concerning bonds issued
 in 1842 to this College by District
 No. 52 in Marshall County, was re-
 ceived by me with endorsement of
 the Secretary of State on the 25th inst.
 I have wasted a day to con-
 sult with our local Regent and
 now hasten to write you. I think
 we can arrange, under the circum-
 stances, to allow the bonds to be paid
 off at once, if you can agree in
 the matter within the district. Please
 let me know exactly what can be done
 by the supposed officers who have act-
 ed in the transaction of business with us.

Yours truly
 Jas. P. Fairchild.

Oct. 30

M. P. Galley,
 Skilene, Kan.

Dear Sir:

Yours of 27th inst
 was received this morning. In
 answer to the request for extension
 of time on N.W. 1/4 92-13-1, Centrol-
 No 90, I have to say that it has
 not been the custom of the Board
 to grant extension unless more
 than one payment has been made or
 considerable improvements have been
 undertaken. In the absence of opportunity
 to consult the full Board I cannot en-
 courage extension.

I see from our ledger that no inter-
 est has been paid as yet - though it ap-
 pears to have been due August 8th with
 the first payment.

The Board will meet next on the
 third Wednesday in January, 1874.

Yours truly,
 Geo. P. Davischild.