

Room 1014  
19 South LaSalle St  
Chicago, Illinois

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Dear Dr Phog:

I am delighted to receive your letter of January 2 accepting our invitation to be our guest speaker at our annual meeting here in Chicago, Friday evening, January 30.

Betty Ruth Smith has a good committee, which includes your daughter, and will be responsible for the reception of guests, decorations, music, and arrangements in general. We will hold the meeting at a Swedish club, where we will enjoy a well provided smorgasbord. I am sure that we will all enjoy this change from the conventional dinner.

By the way, we would be delighted to have the basketball team come to the dinner. As our treasury is considerably in the red, and I suppose will be further in by the time we meet our expenses, may I suggest that our committee would be happy to be responsible for any expense in the dinner beyond what the boys would pay at the hotel. This doesn't sound like very generous hospitality, does it? I understand that the budget on which your team travels is better supplied with cash than our treasurer - at least I hope so!

*# 455 - far too small but better than nothing.*  
On behalf of the 75th Anniversary, we enlisted the support of some of the alumni in Chicago on the Loan and Scholarship Fund. I wish, therefore, that in your address you would tell us something about the results of the Loan and Scholarship Fund, which makes possible the education of some of our boys and girls who otherwise could not attend the University.

I understand that there is a new plan suggested to alumni, to provide \$100 toward a \$200 scholarship for a worthy freshman, and that the committee at the University will provide the other \$100. Please play up that suggestion in your address. We ought to have more of our alumni contributing annually to this fund, and some of them could do so substantially if sufficiently interested.

I will get in touch with you at the Morrison Hotel the morning of January 30.

Thanking you for accepting our invitation, I remain

Sincerely yours,

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