OFFICE OF SHERIFF

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Gentlemen:

Sometime ago the billfold of William S. Blount, then a student in the university, was stolen from his locker. Just yesterday he received the letter which I am enclosing herewith and also the envelope in which it was enclosed. This letter contained all of the personal papers that were in his billfold at the time it was taken. Among the papers, however, was the letter on the Hotel Houston stationery which he had never seen before and which evidently became mixed up with his papers sometime after the billfold was taken.

He advises me that there had been considerable taking of property taken from the lockers and that you were trying to trace the ones doing this. Feeling that these two letters may give you a lead I am sending them on to you.

Yours very truly,

D. Bourie