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My dear Dr. Allen:

I blush for the lateness of this reply. Your good letter under date of December 21 came with many Christmas letters and was put aside with them to be answered. They are not answered yet, which is my reason for not answering your questions about Mrs. Foster. Accept my apologies and give to the Allen Family my kindest greetings.

Tell Mrs. Allen I would love to know about the holiday trip, especially Chicago and West Point and the girls.

Mrs. Ida Foster is Mrs. Oda Foster: I am sure because I too had a letter from Miss Meguiar. Mrs. Foster is the mother of Jack and Bob, two of our fine graduates. When you lived in Warrensburg their home was on Grover Street near the hotel. There a little Foster girl died. I think she was one of Mary's friends. Mrs. Foster's husband was Port Foster.

She is a very handsome woman, with good manners and a great interest in young people. She has had students in her home for years and for about three years managed the Phi Sigma Epsilon Fraternity house most satisfactorily.

In my letter to Miss Meguiar, I gave Mrs. Foster my unqualified recommendation. This is with all of my good wishes to you and your family.

Very truly yours,

Fanita B. Houts

Mrs. O. L. Houts
Dean of Women

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