

I have asked Joe Murray, a graduate of K. U., and an honor student, what aid he had secured thru his studies for a better understanding of the other fellow, and strangely enough the thing he could cite as being most helpful, was his work under Dr. Wilcox in studying Greek tragedies.

I wrote Paul B. Lawson, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts, but his answer leads one "around by Robin Hood's barn", and offers no direct approach to this most serious problem.

I have his letter in my pocket and can read it to you, if you are interested in hearing it.

My advice to anyone, old or young, who is going to a new town, or to become a teacher in a new school, is to find out as much as he can regarding the place from books. If nothing is to be found in printed pages, find some of the old nestors in the community and cross question them. Find out the disappointments of the past and the hopes for the future. Find out as much as possible regarding the peculiarities of prominent men and women, and what they have tried to accomplish, so that when you come to town you can at least talk in the language of the community.

It is no wonder that traveling, so called, psychologists reap a rich harvest; for everyone needs to know more along this line than he does. The man who will write a text along these lines, will be a public benefactor, and I have no copyright on the idea.

*A request was made that the letter from Dean Lawson be read, so it is appended hereto! -*

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