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Dr H. J. Noble  
History Department  
University of Oregon  
Eugene, Oregon.

Enclosed please find  
X 250 F. Murray  
AO Howell Hoy  
Bellmont, Mass.

Re: Murray Warner Essay Contest.

My dear Dr Noble:

I think this last year that the prizes worked out very nicely as it was planned and I suggest that you make the prizes of the same value for this next year.

I think it will be desirable to have the posters up before the opening of the University, so that they can be distributed in places where the students will see them before they decide upon their courses. My idea in regard to this is: that we should get as many students as possible interested in Oriental affairs and they will be much more likely to work for the Essay contest if they have had some classroom background already prepared for this work.

As I remember it the posters cost five dollars and I am herewith enclosing a check for that amount. If they should be more than I will settle it with you later. I wonder if it would be desirable to place a notice on the bulletin board at the entrance to the University library telling where the notices are to be found or else place a notice on the board. I think it will be of interest to you to know that I am slowly but steadily building up the Museum library with books in English, in French, in German, in Chinese, in Japanese, and in Russian and I am hoping that before long students who are doing research work in the lines provided for by our Museum library will come to us for this purpose.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Cambridge, Mass  
August 11th, 1934.

Gertrude Bass Warner

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40 Howells Road  
Belmont, Mass.

Dr. H. G. Mopje  
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University of Oregon  
Oregon, Oregon

Re: Willard Warner Bass Conference

Mr. dear Dr. Mopje:

I think this last year that the Chinese work  
out very nicely as it was planned and I suggest that you make the  
privileges of the same available for this next year.  
I think it will be desirable to have the professor  
do lecture on behalf of the University to give him an opportunity  
to speak about his country to the students who are interested in China  
and the University of Oregon has many more facilities for the Chinese  
students than any other university in the country. We have had some  
conferences in the past year and some discussions concerning  
best for this work.

As I remember it the professor said that he  
had been invited to speak for three months. It may be  
that if I can get him to speak for more time  
he would be willing to do so. I wonder if it is possible  
for him to speak for more time than three months  
or less because of his interest in the Chinese  
language and literature and also the Chinese  
government which I am showing part especially  
of the Chinese government and the Chinese  
people and the Chinese language and literature  
are joint research work in the Chinese  
language and literature and I am hoping that before  
the joint research work is put out the Chinese  
language and literature will come to us for this purpose.