

Miss Jackson

May 15, 1957

Miss Ellen Kanowith,
434 Vine Street,
Elizabeth, N. J.

Dear Miss Kanowith:

Thank you for your letter of the 14th. I do not think there is any higher profession than teaching or any greater privilege. As I have watched life go by for a long and somewhat busy career, I have felt that people who get the most out of it are those who are more interested in giving than in getting and the rewards of giving without looking for return are very great.

Incidentally, I would love to know what line you expect to teach and whether you are interested in nature study. The Dorr Foundation established, through the Audubon Society, some scholarships for those interested in natural sciences to spend two weeks at the Audubon camp in Maine and it might be possible, if you are interested, to get you one of these.

The Dorr Foundation also is encouraging a group certified by their highschools as showing great interest in science to take an intensive summer course in science at the Loomis School in Connecticut. This, however, is only for boys.

My wife takes great pleasure in sending you a book, "Mother and Child," which the Foundation has sponsored for spreading the knowledge of America throughout the other countries in the free world.

Our homes are at 30 East 37th Street and Washington, Conn., and we also have some interest at Westport, Conn. where our Company has a laboratory and we an old farm.

If you come into town some time and would like to lunch with either or both of us, please let me know at my office here, Murray Hill 2-6232.

I have taken the greatest pride in being on the Board of Trustees and especially in reading reports of the Douglass College graduates and the valuable work they are doing in the world. Let me know more of yourself.

Sincerely yours,

JVMD EFG