

Hoppin, James Mason

Gilman Correspondence

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Hoppin, J. M.

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March 13.

My dear Sir:

If, as you
say, none of the
present Scientific students
heard the lecture,
I should be most
happy to accede to
your request; my
only apprehension being
the boring of those
who heard it before.

Very truly Yours
J. M. Hoppin
Prof D. C. Gilman

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New Haven

Nov 27th 1872

My dear Mr Gilman;

I received
yesterday a telegram
from my son at
Salt Lake City, saying
that he was about
to start for San
Francisco. I enclose
a draft for \$300 for
him. May I trouble
you to hand it to him,
as I can think of no
swifter way for it to
reach him. I shall
be very glad for him
to see you & your

family. He will
greatly enjoy doing
so. He will not
I suppose think of
travelling in California
at this season, but
has only got a
glimpse of the
'Golden Gate' and of
the Pacific. Mr
Nordhoff's book has
made me quite
desire to see your
"Tropical United States"
- but I have a
suspicion that his
book is of too
entirely roseate a
hue.

Should Ben conclude
to stay longer in San
Francisco, might
I request the favor

of your assistance to
live in the matter of
funds, which will be
promptly & thankfully
attended to by myself.
But I do not think,
with what he has with
him with what I send
that he will require
more. Please present
my wife's & my own
very kind remembrance
to Miss Gilman & your
family. I am
dear Sir,

Very truly yours
J. M. Stoddard.

Best David C. Gilman.

P.S. I have written to my son
to call upon you at Oakland
as soon as he arrives.

J. M. Hoppin

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Hopkins, J. M.

New Haven.

47 Hillhouse Avenue.

March 5, 1885.

My dear President Eliot,

I have
read with very
great interest your
annual address
before the Johns
Hopkins University.
I thank you for
the privilege of

doing so.

You have blocked
out a broad plan.

President Eliot
says it is a difficult
problem to turn
a college into a

university, but

you have started
on the university
plan, & while

a vast work is
before you, there

are certain
peculiar obstacles
you have not
to encounter.

Last winter
I saw something
of the Californian
University & the
scene & spirit of your
former labors.

I am
Yours very truly
J. M. Hopson.