

UNION COLLEGE  
SCHENECTADY, NEW YORK  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

March 26, 1930.

My dear Sir Arthur:

I have not heard from you for a very long time although I have been very glad to learn that your health is very much improved.

I want to congratulate you again for the very gallant fight you made for the good of the service in repressing irresponsible people. I know that you realize that in that fight your backers and well-wishers were scattered from coast to coast.

I have been requested by the trustees to ask you to be our Honorary Chancellor of Union University for next year - June 15th, 1931. I do not know whether you know very much about us as we are a very quiet place. We were founded in 1795 and have a long and honourable history behind us. Some of our Honorary Chancellors in the past have been, Elihu Root, Chief Justice Hughes, Mr. Herrick, Sir Robert Falconer, Lord Bryce, Jusserand, Mr. Taft, Sir Esme Howard, and for 1930, John Van Antwerp Mac Murray, the late Minister to China, who has returned to be head of the Johns Hopkins School of International Relations.

The only obligations that will be imposed upon you is that you will be required to come here on the morning of June 15th to deliver the Commencement speech on whatever subject you care to talk upon, to receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws and a fee of \$100.

Please give my kindest regards, to Lady Currie.

Sincerely yours,

*Frazer D. Day* 25<sup>th</sup> Ba. Ch. Inf.

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