

APPENDIX B.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP,
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS.

Apr. 26th 1899

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects:

SIR: I respectfully apply for Associate membership in the American Institute of Architects. I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and agree, if elected, to honorably maintain and obey them.

My full name is *William Graham Nolting.*

My address is *4 E. Lexington St. Baltimore Md*

I am employed by _____

I am a member of the firm of *Myself & Nolting.*

I began the study of architecture in the year *1882 (admit)*

I began the independent practice of architecture in the year *1890 (admit)*

The accompanying photographs show buildings or other work designed by me.

No. 1 is *Wm. Court House Baltimore City*
(Give description of same.)

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No. 3 is *First Group - General Hospital in the Insane, Md.*

The accompanying drawings are _____

(Give description of any drawings the applicant may choose to submit.)

Respectfully submitted,

William G. Nolting
(Signature of applicant)

*Mr. Glen Brown Archt.
City A. I. A. Washington.*

My Dear Mr. Brown:

*In pursuance of enclosed letter,
I cheerfully endorse Mr. Nolting's applica-
tion for membership of A. I. A. sincerely wish-
ing we had many more such. Please enclose
my ballot in signed envelope & seal. I hope
and expect to get to P. for Conv. (alone) with re-
gard and best wishes of Geo. A. Fowler*

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I am a member of the firm of *W. Greaves & Nolting*

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Respectfully submitted,

William G. Nolting
(Signature of applicant.)

We, the undersigned Fellows or Associates of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the above statement, and believe it to be accurate. We know Mr. personally, are familiar with his professional work and practice and desire his opinion as an Associate Member of the American Institute of Architects.

(The signatures of three Institute Members are here required.)

J. B. Russell
Henry L. Baun
J. Appleton Wilson

We, the undersigned residents of know personally, and believe him to be capable in his profession and honorable in all his dealings.

(Here the candidate may secure the signatures of residents in the city or town wherein he is at present practicing. The address of each indorser must follow his name.)

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WM. G. NOLTING
JOHN H. SCARFF

WYATT & NOLTING
ARCHITECTS
BALTIMORE

KEYSER BUILDING
PHONE PLAZA 2287

Baltimore, May 22nd., 1934.

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary,
American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon, Washington, D. C.



My dear Kemper:-

I noted in the papers a day or two ago
that the Washington Monument was to be washed and water-
proofed.

A client has asked if we can find out what sys-
tem and what contractor will be employed.

A word from you as to where this information can
be obtained (if you have the means of obtaining it) will
be appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'W. G. Nolting'. The signature is fluid and cursive, written in a professional style. It is positioned to the right of the typed name 'Sincerely,'.

N.

American Institute of Architects

Inter-Office Communication

Subject

*See file
May 5*

From

E. C. K.

To

Wm. G. Nolting

Date

May 23, 1934

Dear Mr. Nolting:

Responding to your note of the 22nd, with regard to the repairs and cleaning of the Washington Monument:

Inquiry at the office of the Engineer of the National Park Service discloses that the work is now being advertised and that the bids will be opened on May 29th - therefore, no contract has been let as yet.

The Engineer advises that they have specified that the washing be done by soap and water and with vegetable fiber brushes.

Enclosed is a clipping from one of the Washington papers of this morning, which may possibly contain some information which was not included in the notice you saw.

Sincerely yours,

K/g
Enc.

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PHONE PLAZA 2287

file

Baltimore, May 24th., 1934.



Mr. Edward C. Kemper,
The Octagon,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Kemper:-

I thank you very much for yours
of the 23rd., answering mine of the 22nd. in regard
to the cleaning of the Washington Monument.

Sincerely

N.

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American Institute of Architects

Inter-Office Communication

Subject

From

To

Date

E. C. K.

Wm. G. Nolting

June 28, 1934.

Dear Mr. Nolting:

With further reference to our inter-office of May 23,
regarding repair and cleaning of the Washington Monument:

The attached clipping is from the Washington Times of
June 27. It advises that the firms selected to do the work
were the Archer Iron Works, Chicago, and the Alexander Howie
Company, Cleveland. The Chicago concern will erect the scaffold,
and the latter company will scrub and repair the stones. The
erecting of a scaffold will start about July 5.

Sincerely yours,

ECK+B

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Mr. A. A. [unclear]
June 30
May 12, 1938.

Memorandum for Mrs. Miller:

Please prepare a duplicate certificate of fellowship for Mr. William G. Nolting of Baltimore, as per the following excerpt from letter of April 26, from Mr. C. Herrick Hammond, Chairman of The Jury of Fellows:

"Mr. William G. Nolting of Baltimore was made a Fellow in 1901. He asked if he could not have a Fellowship certificate made out in his name. I see no objection to this, but it would be impossible to have the then President sign it, but no doubt this detail could be overlooked, or some one could sign for Mr. Peabody."

ECK:LF

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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COPY

July 18, 1938

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Memorandum for Mr. Miller:

Please prepare duplicate certificate of fellowship for Mr. William G. Nolting of Baltimore, Md. per the following excerpt from letter of July 14, 1938 from Mr. G. Harold Packer, Secretary of the Institute:

Dear Mr. Nolting:

We did not overlook your desire for a duplicate Fellowship Certificate. One is enclosed herewith.

Both the president and the secretary, at the time of your election as a Fellow, have passed on - therefore, we had the engraver fill in their names.

We trust that will be satisfactory to you.

Sincerely yours,

ECK:LF

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Enclosure

Mr. William G. Nolting, F.A.I.A.,
Keyser Building,
Baltimore, Maryland.

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PHONE PLAZA 2287

File

July 21, 1938.



Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary,
The American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

Thank you very much for yours of
July 18th. and the duplicate copy of my Fellow-
ship Certificate. I hope I have not given you
any undue amount of trouble in this matter, but
I am naturally glad to have the certificate.

My best to all at the Octagon.

WGN:b

Sincerely,

W.G.N.
Wm. G. Nolting.

WM. G. NOLTING
JOHN H. SCARFF

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ARCHITECTS
BALTIMORE

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November 26, 1940

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary,
The American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Kemper:

It is my sad duty to report to you that on Monday, November 18th Mr. Nolting was taken seriously ill and that he died at the University Hospital, Baltimore on Sunday night, November 24th. His funeral services will be held at St. Michael & All Angels P. E. Church at 2 o'clock today and he will be interred at Loudon Park Cemetery, Baltimore.

I am sending you herewith some press clippings which will give you the main facts of his life and I call your attention to the fact that the papers were in error as to his age; he was 74 not 73, as stated.

I am sending Mr. Bergstrom a notice also, and remain,

Sincerely yours,

JHS:b



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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COPY

Nolting

November 27, 1940

Mr. John H. Scarff, President
The American Institute of Architects
The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D. C. **November 27, 1940.**

Dear Mr. Scarff:

Your letter of November 26 is received with deep regret.

We heard of the passing of Mr. Nolting through Mr. Edmunds, and The Institute was represented at the funeral services by Mr. Edmund R. Purves of Philadelphia, the Regional Director of the Middle Atlantic District.

Thank you for the press clippings which will go into the permanent record here at The Octagon.

We sent your letter to Mr. Bergstrom this morning.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. John H. Scarff, President,
Baltimore Chapter, A.I.A.,
Keyser Building, 1012,
Baltimore, Maryland.

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The honorary pallbearers will be former professional associates of Mr. Nolting. They will include:

- Clude N. Friz.
- Francis H. Jencks.
- Robert E. Lewis.
- Charles D. Loomis.
- William D. Landin.
- W. C. Fowler.
- E. L. Palmer, Jr.
- Bayard Turnbull.
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Born In This City
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The son of the late A. W. Nolting, of Richmond, Mr. Nolting was born in this city while his mother was visiting here. He obtained his early education in public schools of Richmond and studied architecture in offices of architects.

He came to Baltimore to follow his profession in his early twenties, forming partnership with the late J. B. Noel Wyatt, a graduate of the Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris. Mr. Wyatt died in 1926 and a later partner was John H. Scarff, a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and of the American Academy in Rome.

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BALTIMORE, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1940

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Other Work Accomplished

The firm also drew the plans for the new postoffice at Waukegan, Ill., winning the honor in a nation-wide contest. Other examples of the firm's work are located in Virginia, West Virginia and other States. The firm was consultant for the Church Home and Infirmary and the Sheppard and Enoch Pratt Hospital. Restoration of the Baltimore Municipal Museum was according to plans drawn by the firm.

Mr. Nolting was a past director of the American Institute of Architects and past president of the Baltimore chapter of the organization. At different times he was a member of the Gibson Island Club, the Charcoal Club, the Baltimore Country Club, the Maryland, Merchants and University clubs, and the Farmington Country Club, Charlottesville, Va.

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It is said that no Baltimore architect had a firmer foundation of knowledge in the practical side of his profession than had Mr. Nolting, and that the combination of knowledge which his firm represented was rare. The Veterans' Bureau in Washington is one of their buildings. The firm and Mr. Nolting, according to architects, has long ranked at the top of the profession.

Tall and strong of body, Mr. Nolting was a man of very quiet, dignified bearing and unpretentious manners, and, according to his friends, a delightful companion in social life.

Mr. Nolting's Clubs

At various times in his life he had been a member of the Charcoal Club, the Gibson Island Club, the Baltimore Country Club, the Merchants, the Maryland and the University clubs. He had been a member of the Farmington Country Club, of Charlottesville, Va., which he frequently visited in the summer. He was a music lover.

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The two men complemented each other to an unusual degree. One was imaginative in the artistic sense, gifted with a fine sense of design. The other was a competent organizer and director, with a sound practical sense modified by a shrewd appreciation of what was fitting. In association they formed a perfect team, which was strengthened and invigorated in Mr. Wyatt's later years by the addition of new blood, notably in the person of John H. Scarff.

Scattered over Baltimore, over Washington and in other States, to the south of us are many examples, major and minor, of their work. The first real apartment house in Baltimore—that at the corner of Charles street and Mount Royal—is their product. So, too, is the building at Chase and St. Paul. So is the Warrington Apartment and that at 100 West University Parkway. Two of Baltimore's best modern schools—the Patterson Park Junior High School and the Canton Platoon School—came out of their office.

Mr. Nolting's great professional virtue was that he knew what could be done and what could not. With a profound appreciation of the traditions of his profession and an almost passionate devotion to its best ideals, he was yet so thoroughly a man among men that he never succumbed to the temptation to divorce his art from the practical needs of his time. He will be missed not only by his colleagues but by all those who are concerned with the physical appearance of the town.

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1012 Keyser Building

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12 E. Pleasant Street

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527 North Charles Street

T. WORTH JAMISON, JR., *Treasurer*
12 E. Pleasant Street

November 26, 1940

Mr. Charles T. Ingham, *Secretary*
The American Institute of Architects
The Octagon,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Ingham:

It is with much regret that we have to advise the death of our beloved and distinguished member of the Baltimore Chapter, Mr. William G. Nolting, who died in the evening of Sunday, November 24, 1940.

As you know, in addition to having been Regional Director of the Institute, Mr. Nolting was President of the Baltimore Chapter at one time. Mr. Nolting was also a Charter Member of the Maryland Society of Architects.

We are enclosing herewith, for your historical record, a news item and an editorial from the Baltimore Sun of November 26th, both of which give a fair resume of the lifework of Mr. Nolting.

With every best wish,

Very truly yours,

Lucien E. D. Gaudreau

Secretary.

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November 27, 1940.

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It is with deep regret that we acknowledge your letter of November 26 addressed to The Secretary of The Institute, advising of the death on November 24 of Mr. William G. Nolting.

We greatly appreciate your thoughtfulness in sending clippings from the Baltimore Sun of November 26 concerning the life and work of Mr. Nolting, which will be added to the historical files of The Octagon.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Lucien E. D. Gaudreau, Sec.,
The Baltimore Chapter, A.I.A.,
527 North Charles Street,
Baltimore, Maryland.

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He came on the scene when a few men who had been trained in Europe—men like McKim, White, Carrere Delano, Burnham and several others—were engaged in changing the public attitude toward architecture and trying to bring the people of the United States to recognize the function of beauty in the builder's art. His vigor, earnestness and general capability attracted the attention of the late J. B. Noel Wyatt, a graduate of the Ecole des Beaux Arts in Paris and one of the most imaginative of the new school, and the two became associated in the firm bearing the names of both.

One of the first major fruits of that association was the Baltimore Courthouse, the commission for which they won in competition with the most distinguished architects in the country. Nowadays we take the Courthouse for granted and, on occasion, criticize it for some of its shortcomings. But the man who looks at it with a fresh eye cannot but see that it remains a noble building, one in which the city can take legitimate pride.

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Mr. Nolting's great professional virtue was that he knew what could be done and what could not. With a profound appreciation of the traditions of his profession and an almost passionate devotion to its best ideals, he was yet so thoroughly a man among men that he never succumbed to the temptation to divorce his art from the practical needs of his time. He will be missed not only by his colleagues but by all those who are concerned with the physical appearance of the town.

He came to Baltimore to follow his profession in his early twenties, forming a partnership with the late J. B. Noel Wyatt, a graduate of the Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris. Mr. Wyatt died in 1926 and a later partner was John H. Scarff, a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and of the American Academy in Rome.

Designed Courthouse

Winner in a nation-wide contest, Mr. Nolting's firm designed the Baltimore Courthouse and the Fifth Regiment Armory. After a fire at the armory in 1933, the firm drew the plans for remodeling.

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Other Work Accomplished

The firm also drew the plans for the new postoffice at Waukegan, Ill., winning the honor in a nation-wide contest. Other examples of the firm's work are located in Virginia, West Virginia and other States. The firm was consultant for the Church Home and Infirmary and the Sheppard and Enoch Pratt Hospital. Restoration of the Baltimore Municipal Museum was according to plans drawn by the firm.

Mr. Nolting was a past director of the American Institute of Architects and past president of the Baltimore chapter of the organization. At different times he was a member of the Gibson Island Club, the Charcoal Club, the Baltimore Country Club, the Maryland, Merchants and University clubs, and the Farmington Country Club, Charlottesville, Va.

Mr. Nolting is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fannie Bonn Nolting; a son, Wyatt Nolting, and a daughter, Miss Frances Nolting. The family home is at Glencoe, Baltimore county.

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W. G. Nolting, Civic Building Designer, Dies

**Baltimore Architect's Firm
Built Veterans' Bureau
Offices in Washington**

Special to the Herald Tribune

BALTIMORE, Nov. 25.—William G. Nolting, architect, whose firm designed the Veterans' Bureau Building in Washington and the Baltimore City Court House, died last night at University Hospital after an illness of a week. He was seventy-four years old.

Mr. Nolting was born in Baltimore on Nov. 11, 1866, a son of Adolphus William Nolting and Virginia Temperance Higgins Nolting. He passed his youth in Richmond, Va., and was graduated from the public schools and high school there, later working in an architect's office.

In his early twenties Mr. Nolting formed a partnership in Baltimore with the late J. B. Noel Wyatt, who died in 1926. After Mr. Wyatt's death John H. Scarff became Mr. Nolting's partner.

One of the earliest buildings designed by the firm of Wyatt & Nolting was the Baltimore City Court House. Their plans were selected in a national competition. The cornerstone of the building was laid in 1896. The succeeding firm designed the Fifth Regiment Armory when it was rebuilt after a fire in 1933.

Mr. Nolting was a former member of the Board of Zoning Appeals of Baltimore. He was president of the St. Paul Building Company and the Green Spring Land Company, and was a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects. He was formerly regional director of the institute for the Middle Atlantic District.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Fannie Bonn Nolting; a son, William Wyatt Nolting, and a daughter, Miss Frances Nolting.

ROBERT M. SEVERS

Special to the Herald Tribune

HUNTINGTON, L. I., Nov. 25.—Robert M. Severs, for fifty years a printer on New York City newspapers, died yesterday at his home here. He was seventy-five years old. Until last July, he had been assistant foreman in charge of the proofroom of "The Morning Telegram," where he worked for forty years. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ethel M. Ready and Miss Ida C. Severs, of New York, and a son, Ralph K. Severs, of Huntington.

Col. Sinclair Dies at 81; M.P. of Northern Ireland

**Decided Capt. Brown Shot
Down Baron Richtofen**

BELFAST, Northern Ireland, Nov. 25 (CP).—Col. Thomas Sinclair, Conservative member of Parliament for Queen's University here for seventeen years, died today. He was eighty-one years old and retired from the House of Commons two months ago.

It was Col. Sinclair who, as consulting surgeon to the British 4th Army in the World War, officially gave credit to Capt. Roy Brown, Canadian aviator, for the shooting down of Baron Manfred von Richtofen, German flying ace.

Richtofen's plane crashed in a dogfight. He was chasing a young British pilot when Capt. Brown got on his tail. The three planes dived within range of the ground fire of Australian troops. The latter claimed Richtofen as their victim. Col. Sinclair examined Richtofen's body and, from a study of the flyer's wounds, concluded he had been brought down by Capt. Brown.

Howard C. Coxe Funeral To Be Held at Utica Today

**Author and Ex-Newspaper Man;
Brother of U. S. Judge**

Special to the Herald Tribune

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Funeral services for Howard C. Coxe, author and former newspaper man, will be held here tomorrow. Mr. Coxe, who was forty-two years old, died on Saturday at Sneden's Landing, N. Y.

Mr. Coxe was the author of "First Love and Last," a novel, and a historical work, "The Stranger in the House." From 1922 to 1924 he worked in the editorial department of the New York Tribune, serving for a time in the newspaper's Paris bureau. He graduated from Princeton in 1920.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Alfred C. Coxe, of Hartford, Conn.; two brothers, Judge Alfred C. Coxe, of the United States District Court of New York, and Charles S. Coxe, of Salem, Mass., and two sisters, Mrs. John T. Robinson, of Hartford, and Mrs. Louis S. Weeks, of New York.

MRS. UMBERTO MOLOSSI

ROME, Nov. 25 (AP).—Mrs Umberto Molossi, the former Miss May William, of Brooklyn, died last night after a long illness. Surviving are her husband, who was Italian police envoy to the United States in charge of Italian repatriations, a son and a daughter. Mrs. Molossi had lived in Italy since the World War.

Deaths

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| Beebe, Frank G. | Jones, Billy |
| Brown, Gardner W. | Kennedy, Patrick J. |
| Chrisman, C. L. J. | Kerney, Florence |
| Christoph, O. J. | Livingston Henry W. |
| Coleman, C. F. | Lyons, Rosa |
| Comstock, A. W. | MacDowell, Noah |
| Corwin, Anne H. | McDermott K. |
| Cuomo, Mary M. | Moore, Frederick H. |

Deaths

JONES—Billy, suddenly, on Nov. 23. Survived by his beloved wife, May; his sister-in-law, Bessie, and nephews, Stuart and William. He was a member of N. Y. A. C., Winged Foot Golf Club, Vice-Commander American Legion Post, 754, and the Niblicks. Services at Funeral Church, Madison av. and 81st st., Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, at 8:30 o'clock. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, Wednesday.

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MRS. WILLIAM G. NOLTING AND FAMILY
GLENCOE
MARYLAND

THE ARCHITECTURAL PROFESSION HAS LOST A DISTINGUISHED MEMBER AND THE
INSTITUTE HAS LOST A BELOVED ELDER STATESMAN. OFFICERS AND MEMBERS
OF THE BOARD JOIN ME IN THIS EXPRESSION OF GREAT SYMPATHY IN THIS
HOUR.

EDWIN BERGSTROM

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HERE AT THE OCTAGON WE HAVE A SENSE OF GREAT PERSONAL LOSS IN THE
PASSING OF ONE WHOM WE SERVED FOR MANY YEARS WITH AFFECTION AND
RESPECT. WE SEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY.

EDWARD C. KEMPER

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Benjamin
Glencoe, Md.
December Third
My dear Mr. Bergstrom.

My family joins
me in thanking you
for your beautiful
and touching telegram.
Please express to the
officers of the Institute

and the members of
the Board my sincere
appreciation for their
kind expression of
sympathy -

Sincerely
Fannie A. Holtz