

March 26, 1909.

Senator Stanton C. Pemberton,
Springfield, Illinois.

My dear Sir:

I have just read your letter of the twenty-fifth instant with great interest and I thank you for your continued sympathy and confidence.

I beg to assure you that every school that I have known anything about has had, at some time or other, experience similar to ours, and that if the school is conducted upon sound principles no serious harm comes to it from these things.

I have received a number of letters and editorials expressing the highest degree of confidence in the management of the school. The superintendents and principals of Eastern Illinois passed resolutions at a recent meeting, unanimously expressing confidence in the attitude of this school with regard to amusements; and I know that I can assure you that you need have no anxiety about the prosperity of the school.

Yours sincerely,

[L. C. Lord]