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My dear Professor Bischoff,

I received your letter on my return home from campus last evening. I am glad to learn that there is a chance that we may see you here. It was my hope that you might attend the Mediaeval Academy meeting in Toronto, at least: and better still that you may find it possible to visit Chicago.

Since I have no late information on the Detterer and Ricketts collections, I have this morning appealed to our Head of Special Collections in the U. of C. Library, Mr. Robert Rosenthal for help. He promises information of the availability of both on Monday next. I have given him your tentative dates March 11/12 also, in the hope that if you wish to be housed near Newberry rather than on the South side, that can be arranged. If you prefer, however, to be near the U. of C. campus, I should be glad to make a reservation (if possible) at the Quadrangle Club for you as my guest.

We have no early fragments of MSS; but you might like to turn over the uncatalogued material, which Mr. Rosenthal would gladly put before you.

You will forgive my long silence when you know that I have been working under the handicap of an attack of flu which hit me right at Christmas. Each time this happens it takes me longer and longer to regain my strength. Teaching is most difficult.

I received very shortly before I was laid up the copy of the Lupus monograph which you so kindly sent to me. Please accept my sincere thanks.

Immediately upon hearing from Mr. Rosenthal I shall write you again. I need to make inquiries of one or two others also.

Very sincerely yours,

Blanche B. Boyer

*I shall be happy to give your greetings to Miss Gower as soon as I can.*