

On the Banks of the Rhine,  
Germany - 20 March 1945

Dear Prof,

The February "Bulletin" is at hand, and the news of your leaving Wagner Prof, comes as a terrible jolt. I know you must be doing the right thing, but I hate to think of the college without you. I hope it won't mean a return to the inept presidents that preceded you.

As a son of Wagner, I am grateful for what you have done for the school. You preserved its old ideals of high scholarship and ethics, yet gave the college a new vitality that made it even a finer institution.

I am also grateful to you,

Prof, for all you have done for me personally. The counsel you have given me, and the encouragement, have been most helpful.

I hope that your new job will not prevent you from spending time on Staten Island. Both Fay and I would like to have the pleasure of your friendship after the war.

I hate to see you go - but the best of luck in your new work.

Cordially,  
Bob Olwig