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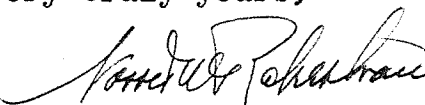
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My dear Dr. Shawver:

I was very pleased to get your letter of November 26 telling about the organizational meeting of the Midwestern Association of Liberal Arts College Chemistry Teachers. The best of wishes for the success of your new group. Is there any way in which the Journal of Chemical Education can serve you? If you should ever get to the point where you want to consider establishing the sort of relationship which the Journal already has with the New England Association and the Pacific Southwest Association, we can discuss it. At the present time, however, I imagine that your group is spread out pretty thin and that you will not be able to meet more than once or twice a year and will consequently have little use for publication facilities. Even under these conditions there might be some advantage in your having a regular page in the Journal in return for a block subscription price to your whole membership. It might be worth considering. Meanwhile, I should be glad for you to consider the Journal of Chemical Education informally as your official organ and we will do all we can to publicize your activities if you will keep us informed.

Best regards,

Very truly yours,


Norris W. Rakestraw

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