Letters between Nathaniel Baldwin and William Kerr

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President W. J. Kerr,
Agricultural College of Utah.

Dear Sir:

I write you to inquire if there is any opportunity to obtain employment at the A.C. It is very unpleasant for me to be disconnected with school work and scientific research, for that is the field of my interest.

No doubt, your faculty in the Physics and Engineering departments is complete, but possibly I might be of some assistance in the laboratory or workshops. I have had considerable experience in devising, constructing, and repairing apparatus.

At the Stanford University I completed the following courses:

Physics 8 (Optics).
Physics 7 (Electricity and Magnetism),
Physics 15 (Vibratory Motion),
Electrical Engineering 2 (Theory),
Mechanical " 1B (Pattern Making),
Physics 18 (Electrical Theory),
Mechanical Engineering 1C (Forge Work),
" 1C (Machine Shop Work),
Electrical Engineering 3 (Elementary Alternating current),
Electrical Engineering 4 (Continuous Current Measurements).
At the B.Y. University, I had charge of the Physics Department.

Now if there is any opportunity at the A.E. to earn means enough to maintain myself, I would be glad of it that I might continue the work in my field.

Yours Truly,
Nathaniel Baldwin.
Aug. 11, 1906.

Mr. Nathaniel Baldwin,
Provo, Utah.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor regarding the probability of our being able to furnish you sufficient employment at the College to meet your expenses while attending the institution, I regret to have to inform you that, so far as we can tell at present, it will be impracticable for us to do so. Our arrangements have already been made for the work of next year, and we shall probably not need any additional assistance. If we can be of any assistance to you in the future, we shall be glad to communicate with you.

Very truly yours,

[Handwritten name]

President.