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## Lincoln Smith Correspondence

Lincoln Smith 1910-

Hilda McLeod Jacob Maine State Library

Marion B. Stubbs 1888-1967 *Maine State Library* 

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December 19, 1950

Mr. Lincoln Smith Columbia University New York City

Dear Mr. Smith:

Thank you for sending us the reprint of WHERE SHOULD COLLEGES OFFER PUBLIC RELATIONS COURSES?

We are sometimes perplexed as to what address to use to acknowledge the items you very kindly send us. Instead of writing to an impersonal address such as a university or periodical, should we use some permanent address which you may maintain? Very truly yours

> MAINE STATE LIBRARY By

> > Secretary

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January 17, 1952

Mr. Lincoln Smith 80 Federal Street Brunswick, Maine

Dear Mr. Smith:

Your POWER POLICY OF MAINE is filling a real need, and we welcomed its publication and availability. It is a fine piece of work, and one which shows the time and study you put into it.

We hope that you will want to inscribe a copy for the Maine Author Collection. On account of both author and subject, we think it a most fitting book to be in the exhibit, and we should add it to the shelves with marked pleasure and satisfaction.

It seems too bad to combine mention of an error with our comments on what is truly a valuable book, but we think you would want to know that Harold J. Boyle was not formerly a member of the Maine Public Utilities Commission (see page 94). The Mr. Boyle who was a member was James L. of Waterville.

Our best wishes to you and the book.

Sincerely yours

In Charge of Maine Author Collection

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80 Federal Street Brunswick, Maine January 27, 1952

Mrs. F. W. Jacob Maine State Library State House Augusta, Maine

Dear Mrs. Jacob:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of January 17.

It is, indeed, an honor to be asked to inscribe a copy of my book for the Maine Author Collection, and I shall be glad to do so. If you can send me the book immediately, I'll take care of it. I shall be at home through February 3, 1952. After that, my address until June will be 527 West 110 Street, Apt. 52, New York 25, N. Y.

And I appreciate very much your thoughtfulness in pointing out the error on page 94. It is the first one I have learned about, and I consider it a serious one. I staunchly hope that I am not guilty of many more mental lapses in the volume.

Despite the promise of the Press to publish the entire manuscript by May of 1950, about two-thirds of it appeared about 17 months late. On the other hand, I am grateful that the University of California Press was willing to bring out a volume so remote geographically from it.

I send greetings and best wishes to Mrs. Stubbs.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Lincoln Smith

January 28, 1952

Campbell's Book Store 604 Congress Street Portland 3, Maine

Gentlemen:

Will you please send a copy of Lincoln Smith's POWER POLICY OF MAINE (University of California) to Dr. Smith at 527 West llOth Street, Apt. 52, New York City 25; and the bill to us?

Very truly yours

MAINE STATE LIBRARY

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January 29, 1952

Dr. Lincoln Smith 80 Federal Street Brunswick, Maine

Dear Dr. Smith:

Thank you for your letter. We are aksing that a copy of POWER POLICY OF MAINE be sent to you in New York, from Campbell's Book Store of Portland. We shall be glad to have it inscribed and returned at your convenience for the Maine Author Collection.

Sincerely yours

In Charge of Maine Author Collection

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February 25, 1952

Dr. Lincoln Smith 527 West 110th Street Apt. 52 New York 25, New York

Dear Dr. Smith:

Thank you very much for inscribing the copy of your book, THE POWER POLICY OF MAINE, for the Maine Author Collection. We add it to the shelves with pride.

Sincerely yours

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In Charge of Maine Author Collection

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MAR SNew York, N. Y. March 5, 1955

The March 1955 issue of THE GEORGE WASHINGTON LAW REVIEW contains a long article by me entitled "Lawvers As Regulatory Commissioners." Although the coverage is general, there are a few references to the Maine Public Utilities Commission, and some of the data and sources cited are from Maine. Unfortunately I do not have any reprints, but thought you might like to know about the study.

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