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My dear Mr. Mobley,

Many thanks for your letter of Nov. 18th, for the enclosed address of greetings of Nov. 11th from the Members of the Faculty and for the Minutes of Nov. 4th and Nov. 11th. I was delighted to see in all these communications a deep feeling of unity which cements the work of Faculty. I request you as Chairman of the Council to transmit to all members of the Faculty Madame de Roerich's and my thanks and greetings. Every success of the cultural activity of the Institute brings us great joy. Even from ancient times there have reached us true ordinances: "in concordia parvae res crescunt, in discordia magnae dilabuntur." Indeed concord is the vital force of every creative construction. And we firmly trust that you as the Chairman of the Council will guard this precious quality under the sign of which

We also rejoice to hear that the alumni keep up their contact with their alma mater. Thus is formed the response of public opinion, which is so valuable in cultural public activities. Of course every member of the Faculty as well as every alumni has connections with other educational organizations and can, in private talks and lectures spread facts about our cultural programme. I have asked Mr. M.M. Lichtmann to read to the Council my article "Gates into the Future" in which I recollect the beginning of our institutions with its manifold educational programme.

Once more I request you to convey our heartiest feelings to all members of the faculty and we shall be very happy to hear of further developments and successes.

Most cordially yours,

President-Founder
Master Institute of United Arts, Inc. N.Y.