

April 29, 1964

Dear Mr. Gina:

Mrs. Brown would have liked to write you herself but she is in Europe and so in her absence I want to report that the Committee on Architecture for the Bennington campus has finally invited Edward L. Barnes to do the master plan and design the new buildings as required by the expansion of the College.

It was a difficult decision because of the high degree of excellence among the architects considered, each with different special strengths.

We learned a great deal from our talks and feel we owe a debt of gratitude to all who took the trouble to show us their work and comment on the campus. More particularly we want to thank you for your interest in our problem.

We all enjoyed seeing you.

Most appreciatively yours,

Mrs. John W. Nields

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