Middle of May everyone has left for the summer.

I thought I should like you to know exactly what steps we are taking; and we very much hope that you may be in favor of our offer. I understood from you last spring that you would be willing to consider our proposition carefully, and to present it to the Board.

A number of very influential people are already interested both in New York and Boston, and here, but whether we shall succeed in raising money we cannot yet tell, as it is only during the past week that any one has been definitely approached. Interest is not

My dear Mr. Gilman,

As you perhaps remember, I promised you last spring that I personally would do nothing further in regard to raising money for our medical scheme until the emergency fund were raised. Six weeks ago I found that Miss King had succeeded in interesting her friend, Miss Katherine령 of Boston,
and that they two proposed to begin at once collecting money, Miss Living indeed having already written to some people in Boston. Under these circumstances my father agreed with me in thinking that my understanding with you would not prevent my helping them, especially since the emergency fund, which you thought should be collected first, was already collected. All those who were interested last spring have united with Miss King and Miss Living. Within the next two weeks we hope to raise whatever we are able to raise, and to offer it to the trustees for acceptance with a condition in regard to the admission of women who have had a preliminary training equivalent to the "Preliminary Medical Course" of the University, to the Medical School whenever it shall open. With the time of opening our offer has nothing to do; we are only concerned with the action of the School whenever you may think it wise to open it. It is understood that after the money is raised we shall wait for your return to make the offer. We are trying to raise it now because by the
your fool's life, as we hope to take our looks to the Pyrenees this summer, and perhaps to encamp among the mountains near the Alhambra for a few weeks.

Believe me with kind regards to Mrs. Gilman.

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Carey Thomas.
always financial enticed but so far even the most conservative people have approved of the admission of women to such advantages as the Medical School of the University will offer. I think you could not but be grateful to hear the expressions of admiration and confidence called forth by the name of the University.

It has been a pleasure to hear tales of your letters to my father and to read your letters in the Baltimore papers. Miss George and think of following in some of