New York, May 31, 1918.

Mrs. Grace Herben,
121 Ferris Place,
Westfield, N. J

My dear Mrs. Herben:-

I have your spirited letter of May 29th. Certainly you ought to be of great value in any kind of work you undertake. I have hoped that the powers at the head of the Women's Committee in New Jersey would appoint you as the chief of the College section, but I spoke to Mrs. Stockton about it in Washington. I suppose she like most people in her position are not entirely free agents. She felt quite sure of your ability to handle the work and felt that your enthusiasm and devotion were great assets.

You say you must have an income and indeed, no position in the Women's Commitee carries an income. We have no appropriation. All that we do is to pay for clerical help and sometimes traveling expenses for speakers. This is the case in a great deal of the war work at present. It is voluntary, but there are positions of importance which do carry salaries.

I am enclosing a little pamphlet which may give you a hint. I wish we could have all your time and energy and fine spirit directly applied to the campaign of the Women's Committee. You may depend upon me however, if I see any point at all to which you could be placed, you will hear from me at once.

Faithfully yours,

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