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Letter to Sarah Leverette regarding the SEAALL Officer Election, June 2, 1955

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Miss Sarah Leverette  
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Dear Sarah:

I am writing you a separate letter in regard to your inquiries about minutes of the Southeastern Chapter in order to avoid any complications. I have read over the minutes and feel that you have done a very fine job on them. I am inserting Mr. Horn's name and title, as requested, and will proceed with your other questions.

In regard to Article V, Section 1 of the Constitution, I believe that that section already provides for the president-elect to serve as president and do not feel that it is necessary to make any further statement in regard to it. I think that the suggestion was discarded.

I think that Minnette's suggestion as to sending cards to law librarians to determine our membership list was superseded by our later plan to send a newsletter to non-members. I understood that the newsletter would be sent to non-members in an effort to develop interest as well as to provide a means of circularize them for membership.

On page 3 of the minutes, in the discussion of Article III on Elections, I feel that notice and request for recommendations is probably covered by Article V, Section 2. However, it might be well to spell out the election procedure so that the elections committee would have a clear cut directive in regard to the procedure to be followed.

On page 1 of the third session, you have noted that you did not receive Minnette's proposed change in the by-laws on approval for chapter membership of non-members of A.A.L.I. I am afraid that this is due to a lapse on my part. As I recall, at that point the discussion got sidetracked and no proposal was submitted nor was there any further discussion of such proposal.

I hope this information is what you needed.

Sincerely,

Mary W. Oliver  
Assistant Law Librarian