BAKER, James H.

University president, b. Harmony, Maine, October 13, 1848; son of Wesley and Lucy (Hutchins) Baker; A. B. Bates College, Maine, 1873 (LL.D., 1892); married Jennie V. Hilton of Denver, Colorado, June 20, 1882. Principal high school, Denver, 1875-92; president University of Colorado 1892-1914, since emeritus. Originated plan which led to the report of "Nat. Com. of Ten" on secondary education in the United States. Pres., National Council of Education, 1892, Nat. Assn. of State Unis., 1907; chairman, Com. of Nat. Council of Education on Economy of Time in Education; member committees on university standards, etc. Fellow A.A.A.S. Author; Elementary Psychology, 1890; Education adn Life, 1900; American Problems; 1907; Educational Aims and Civic Needs, 1913; American University Progress and College Reform Relative to School and Society, 1916; After the War—What? 1918. Home: 980 Marion St., Denver, Colorado.
February 2, 1922

Lauderdale to the Governor,

Augusta, Me.

Dear Sir:

Being a native of Maine, I should
be glad to have a set of my published books
sent to the State Library or to the State Historical
Society—assuming that there is a historical society
in Maine. I hope you may be able to give the information needed.

Yours truly,

James W. Baker.
Sixth
February
1 9 2 2.

Dear Sir;

The Governor's secretary has sent your letter to my office. We shall be very glad to receive all your published works for the special exhibition department in the State Library. It is our purpose never to send these books out of the library, but to keep them here so that visitors and students may be able to see at one time the published works of Maine authors.

We will appreciate it if you can send us a biographical sketch. So far each person sending us his works has been kind enough to autograph the volumes, and to add any notes explaining where or why the book was written. If you will be kind enough to do this for us, it will add greatly to the value of the books.

Please accept my thanks for your courtesy in this matter.

Very truly yours,

MAINE STATE LIBRARY

by Librarian.

James H. Baker,
980 Marion Street,
Denver, Colorado.
Feb. 17, 1922

Mr. H. E. Demmack,
State Librarian,
Augsburg, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am sending today a set of my brothers' work in Elementary Psychology which is out of print. I hope it will prove of use to you in your letter. I still take great pride in Marion.

Very truly,

James H. Baker.
Eleventh
March, 1922.

Dear Mr. Baker;

The books you recently forwarded have been received at the library. We are very greatly pleased with your generous gift. The books have been placed in the Maine section. They are beyond a question an invaluable addition. Anything you can do to complete this file will be very greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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American School Progress.
Educational Aims and Civic Needs.
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After the War—What?
Economy of Time in Education.
(U.S. Bureau of Education, Bulletin #38)
Appreciation of the Services of James Hutchins Baker,
President of the University of Colorado, January 1, 1892 to January 1, 1914.

Education and Life.

Inscription: Maine State Library.
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