

of my youthful enthusiasm
for Goethe; & if it had been
written later, it might in some
respects have been different.
It is now in the 3rd edition & the Com-
mentary on Faust has been trans-
lated into German: Do you think
it entitles me to membership in
the Weimar Goethe Society? ^{or perhaps myself} as
co-worker in the cause of Goethe Cul-
ture, I may perhaps mention that I have
for 14 years given annually (first
at Cornell University & now at
Columbia College) a course of lectures
^{on Faust} twice a week, running through the entire
year & another course of the same
length on German literature.

Repeating my assurance of
sincerest gratitude & profound
regard I am

Very respectfully yours
Wilhelm H. Boyesen