

La Jolla, Cal., January 8th, 1905.

The Honorable Mayor,
and
City Council,
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

In my recent communication to you relative to the San Diego Marine Biological Station at La Jolla, I state, somewhat indefinitely, that the Station will become an institution of much larger proportions than it now has.

I am now authorized, by Miss Ellen B. Scripps, to announce that Fifty Thousand Dollars has been promised for the building and its work.

This will surely be a sufficient guarantee to the authorities of the City that my intimation, in my former communication, was justified, and should furnish sufficient reason for the great desire on the part of the managers of the laboratory that the sewerage problem of La Jolla be so handled that the very minimum of contamination of the water will result.

Very respectfully,

Wm. E. Ritter.

To the Hon. John L. Behou
Mayor of San Diego,
Cal.

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J. L. Butler

City Clerk,

By

Deputy.

COMMUNICATION

FROM

Wm E. Ritter
announcing gift of \$50,000
of Miss Ellen B. Scripps
for Marine Biological
Laboratory at La Jolla
Referred to City Atty, to prepare
proper Resolution, accepting
gift (January 15, 1906.)

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