

Letters To The Editor

Bartlesville Oklahoma,
July 27, 1950.

To The Editor:

It is with a keen disappointment that I note that Miss Ruth Brown has been discharged as Librarian of the Bartlesville Public Library.

As a constant patron of the Public Library throughout the last half of Miss Brown's tenure of service, I am writing to express my sincere appreciation for all that she has been able to do for our town.

Her deep scholarship, her amazing efficiency in a hard job, her warm literary understanding, have done much to enrich the lives of thousands of people. Her quiet and Christian personal integrity have been an inspiration to all who have known her well.

Bartlesville has been indeed a fortunate town in having such a person at the helm of the public library, and I would like to express my gratitude that my own children, who are almost grown-up now, have come under her influence. Because of her, they have a deep love of fine books, with all that that means in a hectic modern world.

It is much easier to destroy than to build. Miss Brown is a builder, and has built with love and faith.

It is the hope of the ages that such work must stand.

Most sincerely,
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To The Editor:

I think the people of Bartlesville are entitled to know the reason for Miss Brown's dismissal as City Librarian.

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