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23 September 1833

Leiden, the Netherlands

A document attesting the study of Albertus C. Van Raalte in the study of philosophy at Leiden University.

In Latin; translation by Dr. E. William Kennedy, 2001.

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J. Neunwenhuis Phot. theor. Prof. ord.

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To whom it may concern

J. Nieuwenhuis, professor ordinarius [=full, regular prof.] of theoretical philosophy - states that the youth
A. C. van Raalte, my student [?], has participated in (distinguished himself?; interluit) as really modest,
diligent in this part of philosophy.... - tested/approved (probacet) admirably (egregie)

Leiden, 23 September 1833

(I could not decipher several words, including the first word in the third line, which may be important – it
looks something like “lysicis” but that isn’t Latin...)
(Is anything missing at the left margin? Probably not?)

E. W. Kennedy
15 December 2001