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Dr. J. E. Andes  
Medical Director  
Sunflower Ordnance Works  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Andes,

The only authority or responsibility I have to exempt a student from the physical conditioning course is on the basis of physical disability. All other reasons for exemption come under the duties of a committee headed by Mr. A. J. Mix.

I quite agree with you that Floyd Santner is a good boy and useful in your important work. I also quite agree that he probably is getting sufficient physical exercise in the course of his heavy work and school schedule. Since he has, to my recent knowledge, no physical defect warranting excuse from physical conditioning, the petition belongs in the Committee appointed to handle such cases, and I hope that they may see fit to act on this case before this boy becomes a medical problem.

Sincerely,

Ralph I. Canuteson, M.D.  
Director

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cc to Mr. A. J. Mix  
Mr. F. C. Allen