

Lawrence, Kansas

June 10, 1944.

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Gentlemen:

I am asking you to serve on the Program and Exhibit Committee of the Fifth War Loan Drive. As you know, Douglas County will put on a bond auction at the Haskell Stadium Tuesday, June 20. The merchandise will be things difficult to get under rationing.

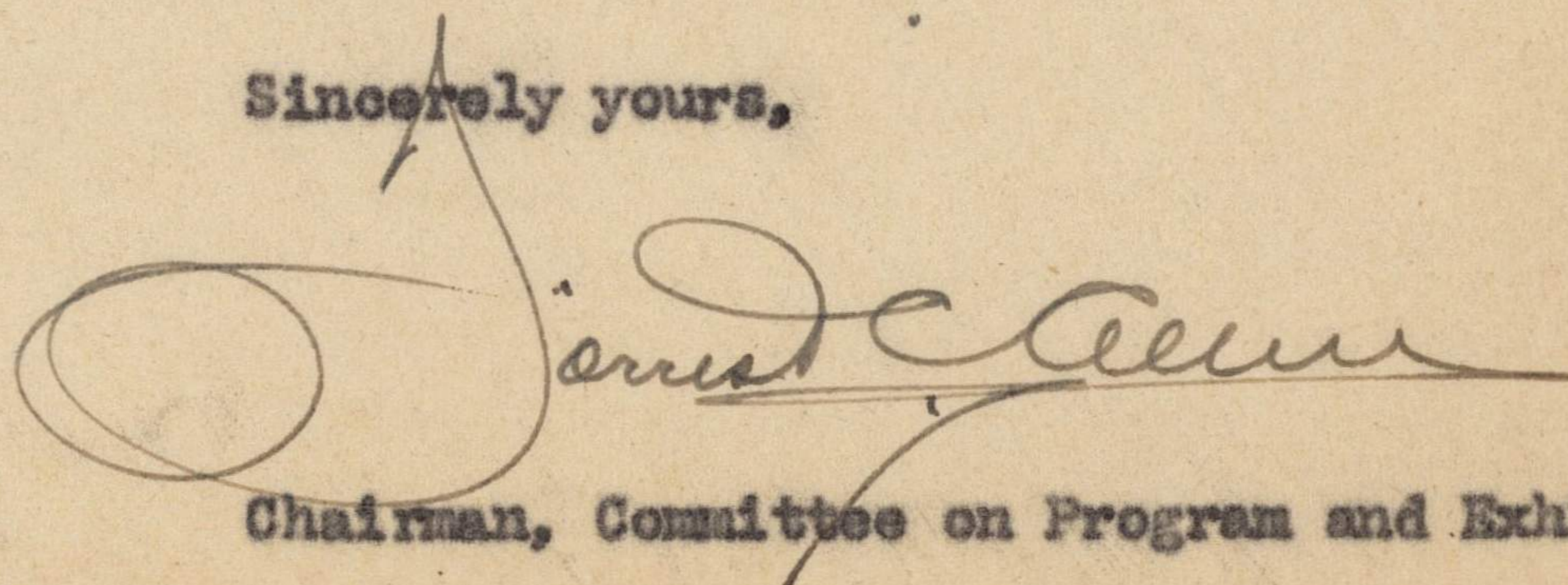
The program is from 8:30 to 10:30. There will be a preliminary half-hour of music and mixing from 8 until 8:30.

We are meeting at the Eldridge Hotel at 1:45 Monday afternoon. I will greatly appreciate your presence.

Douglas County has never failed to go over the top in a bond drive and I am sure that the Fifth War Loan will be no exception. I have placed you on this committee feeling that we want the very best in the way of exhibit and program and we feel that you and others associated on this program will be able to deliver the goods.

Thanking you, I am

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "James Allen". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name of the signatory.

Chairman, Committee on Program and Exhibit.

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