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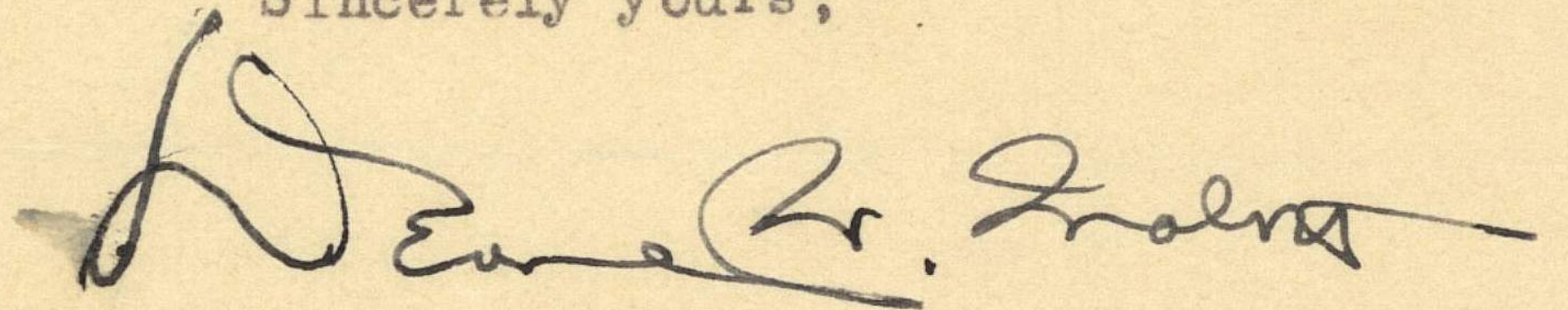
Dear Phog:

Thanks for your letter about the pool. I think you are probably right.

I should, however, like to go further than the statement which Mr. Shatto makes that to replace the broken tile would be "prohibitive in cost." What will it cost to rebuild the pool the way we want to? It seems to me we ought to have these figures available. Sometime I want to have a modern swimming pool and would like to know something about how much money it is likely to take to produce one. Could you, at your leisure, therefore, get an estimate of the cost of rebuilding the pool, increasing it to standard length, probably with a sloping floor, the necessary water proofing, addition of scum gutters, and entirely new tile throughout. In this way, we will know what we are up against if and when we come to rebuilding the pool.

We can weigh that against the advantages and disadvantages of an outdoor pool -- unless we find we ought to have both!!

Sincerely yours,



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Chancellor

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