LION OIL REFINING COMPANY



EDDORADO, ARKANSAS

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Dr. F. C. Allen 800 Louisiana Street Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Phogg:

As you will probably notice from the cards I have sent in, I have attended the Rotary Meeting in El Dorado and also had the pleasure of going to a high school football game, and expect to see another tomorrow night. This is a fine little high school down here.

My associates here are the Lion Oil Refining Company and a close friend is Mr. Frank Spawr, Manager of the Insurance Department. We are wondering if, by any chance, in the early Spring or after the first of the year your travels might take you to Little Rock, New Orleans, Shreveport or perhaps Texarkana. If so they would like to arrange a joint meeting of some groups here, including the Methodist Men of which Frank Spawr is Vice President. This is a group composed of two hundred individuals, but they know that other groups would like to hear you talk and, perhaps, see some of your basket-ball movies.

They haven't any money to spend for this sort of thing, but if you are going to be near or in this vicinity, they would be delighted to guarantee your expenses from that point or Little Rock and, if necessary, even go to Little Rock to get you and bring you down here. I know that sometimes your normal travels require that you go South and I should consider it a personal favor if you could possibly arrange to make this one of your stopping points.