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Dr. George A. Esterly,
Estes Park, Colorado.

Dear Doctor George:

It is very humid here but on the whole we have had a wonderful summer.

I was happy to have your letter of July 22nd and to know that you are interested in Rotary. Really, Doctor George, we would like mighty well to have you in our organization. Dr. A. J. said to me the other day that he thought Rotary was much better than it had been for the past two or three years. Walt Varnum made a similar statement to me a few days before that. Judge Hugh Means is taking quite an interest - more so, it seems to me, than he has for quite some time.

So I know that there are several live wires in there that you would enjoy seeing.

Mrs. Allen and the Allen household are very busy in anticipation of Jane's wedding which will take place September 6th. She is marrying a young Princeton man who prepped at Exeter and got his engineering degree at Princeton. He was a stroke on the Princeton crew. He is six feet three and weighs about 210 pounds. His name is Mons, so they call him "Hoot" Mons, but his mother likes him to be called Elwood. Of course we hope to have the Esterlys with us.

Now, don't forget about Rotary because I am chairman of the program committee and I would like for you to tell the Rotarians some time just how many open spaces called cavities that you have found in our citizens heads in this vicinity. You could tell a lot of other things that would make it appear even worse than that, but we would like to have you in the organization. Frankly, I thought that I would never go back in, but now I go for the fellowship and do not get hopped up so much about the little things. I just enjoy the friendship of those that I like, and the other fellows -- well, I never worry about them, nor do I register any dislike. There is enough friendship in the organization for everybody.

Give our love to the Mrs., and we hope that you are both well.

Fraternally,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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