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May 31, 1939

Mr. Forrest C. Allen
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Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Forrest:

I have yours of the 26th, and am certainly sorry that I haven't answered sooner, but I have been out of town recently and am just now catching up on various correspondence that accumulated.

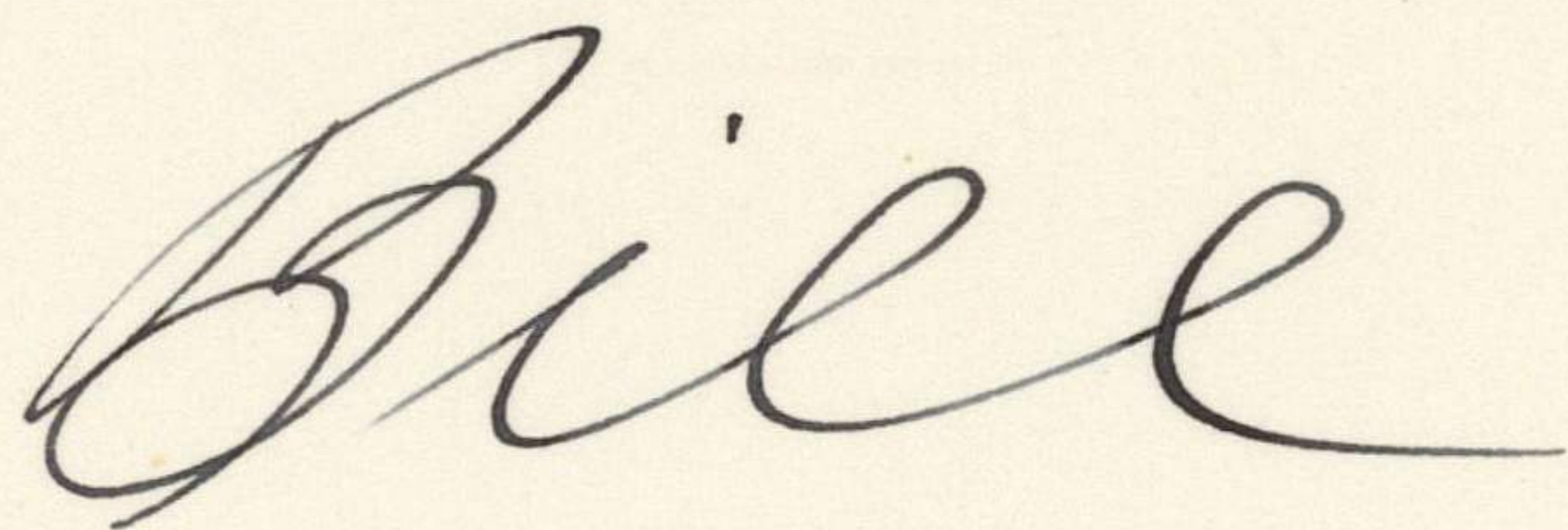
Certainly sorry that it is going to be impossible for me to join you for the Golf Tournament June 10th, but I am planning another trip and will be gone about that time.

However, I am passing your letter on to Ray Jones, and in the event he is interested or can get away he will communicate with you.

Certainly want to thank you for this invitation and the next time you have such a tournament don't fail to include me for I would more than like to come. Again thanking you, I remain

Sincerely yours

WWB.MD.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bill". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "Bill" in the signature block.