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Dear Phog:

The inscription about which you inquired is as follows:

"Upon the fields of friendly strife,
Are sown the seeds
That, upon other fields, on other days,
Will bear the fruits of victory."

It has been well established that General MacArthur wrote this. Colonel Koehler liked the sentiment and chose a conspicuous spot for its inscription over an arch generally used by cadets.

The name of Koehler does not appear in connection with the inscription. I am sure that you will be interested to know that some years ago a large impressive bronze plaque was placed in the wall by the south Gymnasium entrance-way in honor of Colonel Koehler.

I hope everything is going well in the Midwest. Every now and then I read in the papers of some war plant or airfield being constructed in Kansas, and I judge there are many uniforms seen thereabouts.

Back here in the East we are having plenty of transportation troubles. Early returns on our ticket sales indicate more than usual interest and plenty of money. If people can get to the games, I feel that we will do all right.

Best regards.

Cordially,

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