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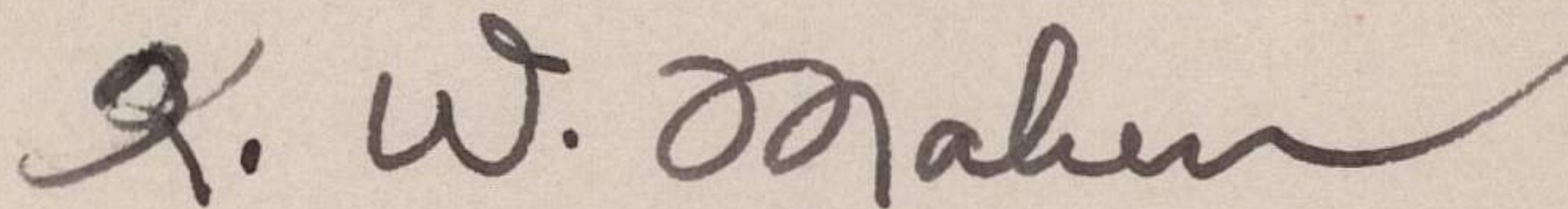
Dr. Forrest C. Allen
801 Louisiana
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Thanks very much for your invitation to
attend the Grand Opening at the Lawrence Country Club.

Unfortunately, Mrs. Mahen and I have a
previous engagement for tonight, so that we will not have
the pleasure of attending.

Yours very truly,



K. W. MAHEN

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