

SMITH-GRIEVES COMPANY, PRINTERS  
WESTERN ENVELOPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Seventeenth and Washington Streets

KANSAS CITY, MO.

April 30th, 1940.

HAROLD SMITH  
PRESIDENT

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Phog:

Your letter of the 24th was certainly a distinct surprise to us. Considering our contacts with you before printing these programs, we never for one minute thought that there was going to be the slightest difficulty in our receiving payment for our work.

You are familiar, I believe, with the shortness of time we were given to produce these programs. It was really handled under terrific pressure.

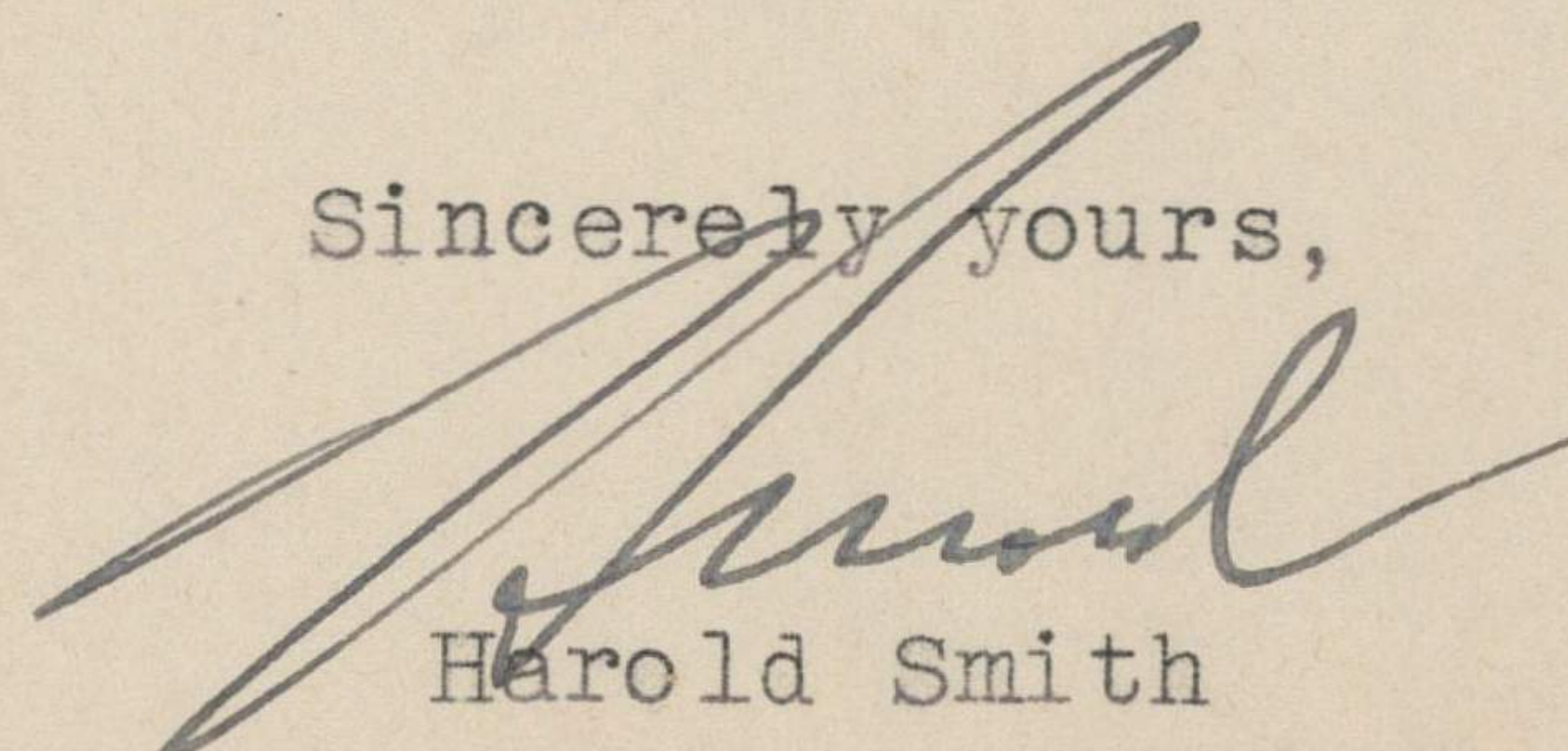
We understood that you were well pleased with our performance and our billing on this job we consider to be fair and entirely in line with the amount of work done.

We delivered approximately 7500 programs - 2500 on the 22nd, 2615 on the 23rd and 2375 on the 30th. There were 4-2/3 pages of advertising in these programs. You say that the programs were all sold and with this and the advertising revenue - after the payment of commission - there certainly should be more than enough to take care of our bill.

Since receiving your letter, I have been trying to contact George Bowles - left several calls for him, but as yet have not been able to reach him.

I have to leave town tonight for the balance of this week. My brother Earl will make every effort to see George before this week is over. Certainly I want to get together with you and get this bill paid - so I will get in touch with you the first of this coming week.

Sincerely yours,



Harold Smith