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Dear Dr. Allen:

I am now in the United States Naval Reserve as a yeoman (clerical work). Am planning to make application for a commissioned officer's ranking soon.

I attended the University from 1935-1936 to 1940-1941, but the present international conflict has somewhat stymied the progress of "book-learning".

I doubt very much Dr. Allen if you remember me by name, but I have been acquainted ^{with you} for the last 4 years. I worked in the business office my last 3 years in school, and watched your teams work out regular after getting off work each evening. I attended law school my last two years, and have played ball with "Ditt" many times.

I would like to have you write a letter for me that I can submit with my application. I think you know the necessity and formality for securing recommendations for such applications.