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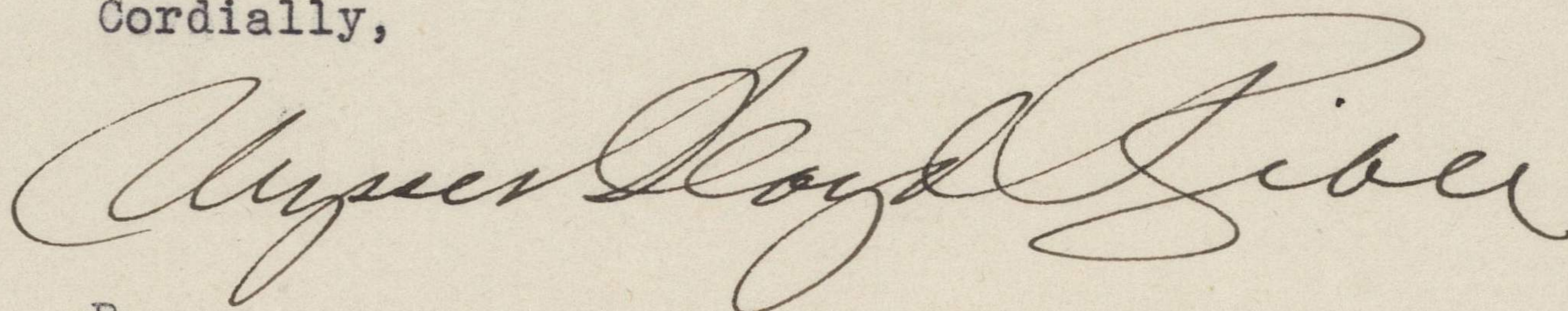
Dear Mr. Allen:

The genuine welcome extended me by you in your letter received today is, in turn, genuinely appreciated. I felt that one way in which I might testify to that appreciation would be to answer you immediately.

Of course, I recognize your friendly attempt to build my morale in referring to me as an "expert" golfer, to which I reply that I hope to benefit by the expertness displayed by yourself and Dr. Jay. With such outstanding competency available for a goal, I feel justified in promising that I shall endeavor to improve. Thank you for inviting me to join your foursome.

Both Mrs. Rible and I look forward to our proposed experience and associations with keen enthusiasm. Your warm welcome amplifies that enthusiasm.

Cordially,



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