

SUPPLEMENTARY AUDIT REPORT  
LAWRENCE ROTARY CLUB

For the Period July 1 to Sept. 16, Inclusive, 1943

Lawrence, Kansas  
September 22, 1943

To The Board of Directors  
The Lawrence Rotary Club  
Lawrence, Kansas

Gentlemen:

We submit herewith a supplementary audit report for the period July 1 to September 16, inclusive, 1943, as requested by President F. C. Allen because of the resignation of Clifford C. Calvin as treasurer and the appointment for John W. Brand as his successor. We have verified the bank deposits, bank balance and cash disbursements of the treasurer's books for the above period and find the following:

Bank balance as of June 30th	\$ 18.16
Verified deposits	<u>1039.56</u>
Cash available as of Sept. 16	\$ 1057.72
Less checks drawn plus bank handling charges	<u>650.16</u>
Cash balance as of Sept. 16	\$ 407.56
Outstanding check #1036 U. of K. Press	<u>13.75</u>
Actual bank balance as of Sept. 22	\$ 421.31

The committee, accompanied by the newly elected treasurer John W. Brand, viewed the securities in the safety deposit box at the Lawrence National Bank and verified the presence of the following securities which were listed in the last audit report:

\$1000 Republic of Chile, 6% Bond N37749 (4-1-60)  
Coupon #26 and all succeeding coupons are attached.  
\$500 Series F No. D132107F (5-1-54)  
\$100 Series F No. C193861F (5-1-54)  
\$100 Series F No. C193862F (5-1-54)

Inasmuch as it is customary for both the president and secretary to be present when access to the safety box is desired, President F. C. Allen should affix his signature to the card at his earliest convenience.

To the best of our knowledge we believe that the treasurer's records as maintained by the former treasurer Clifford C. Calvin are in good order.

Clifford C. Calvin  
CR Allen







January 17, 1944

Miss Catherine Jones  
Hotel Continental  
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Miss Jones:

After talking with you this morning, I contacted the rest of the committee members and we would like to secure Mr. Collins for the District Rotary Convention which will be held at Topeka on May 1st.

The \$50.00 plus expenses is agreeable.

We will have to let you know a little bit later as to the definite time of the dinner that evening, but we will let you know well in advance.

I know that the members attending this meeting will enjoy hearing Mr. Collins very much.

Yours for V ... —

THE LAWRENCE PAPER COMPANY

C.G. Hesse, Vice President

CGH:r



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A. N. WILLIAMS  
PRESIDENT

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THANKS FOR INVITATION WILL BE DELIGHTED TO SPEAK AT MEETING=

WALTER P KOETITZ.

TELEPHONED TO Adlee  
TIME 9:30a BY R.



January 24, 1944.

Mr. Walter P. Koetitz,  
Chief, Division of Immigration and Housing,  
305 California Building, 515 Van Ness Ave.,  
San Francisco 2, California.

Dear Rotarian Koetitz:

I am delighted to have your letter of January 21 informing us that you will be in Lawrence on February 4th for a week or ten days while you are attending the wedding of your son.

I have a son who is with the Sunflower Ordnance Works. He is assistant to the chief investigator. He is an attorney and has one child six years of age, but he is one of the pre-Pearl Harbors and today he is in Kansas City with a view of enlisting in a new set-up with the Marines.

We certainly will welcome you to Lawrence Rotary Club, and are wondering if you would consent to be our speaker on February 7th while you are here. We meet each Monday at the Eldridge Hotel at 12:30 and adjourn at 1:45. The time given to the speaker is generally 25 minutes. I am very sure that you could bring us a wonderful message. We will be delighted to hear from you.

My classification is Education, Physical. I happen to be Director of the Department of Physical Education at the University of Kansas, and Varsity Basketball Coach.

Rotarily yours,

FCA:AH

President.



WALTER P. KOETITZ  
CHIEF

EARL WARREN  
GOVERNOR



STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

## Division of Immigration and Housing

CALIFORNIA BUILDING, 515 VAN NESS AVENUE  
SAN FRANCISCO (2)

January 21, 1944

President, Rotarian Club  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Rotarian:

I would address you by your first name, if I knew what it was. Will be in Lawrence on February 4th, for a week or ten days and would like to attend your Club. Will you please let me know about your meeting date.

I am coming to Lawrence to attend the wedding of my son, who is living there at the present time. He is Chemical Engineer at the Sunflower Ordinance Works.

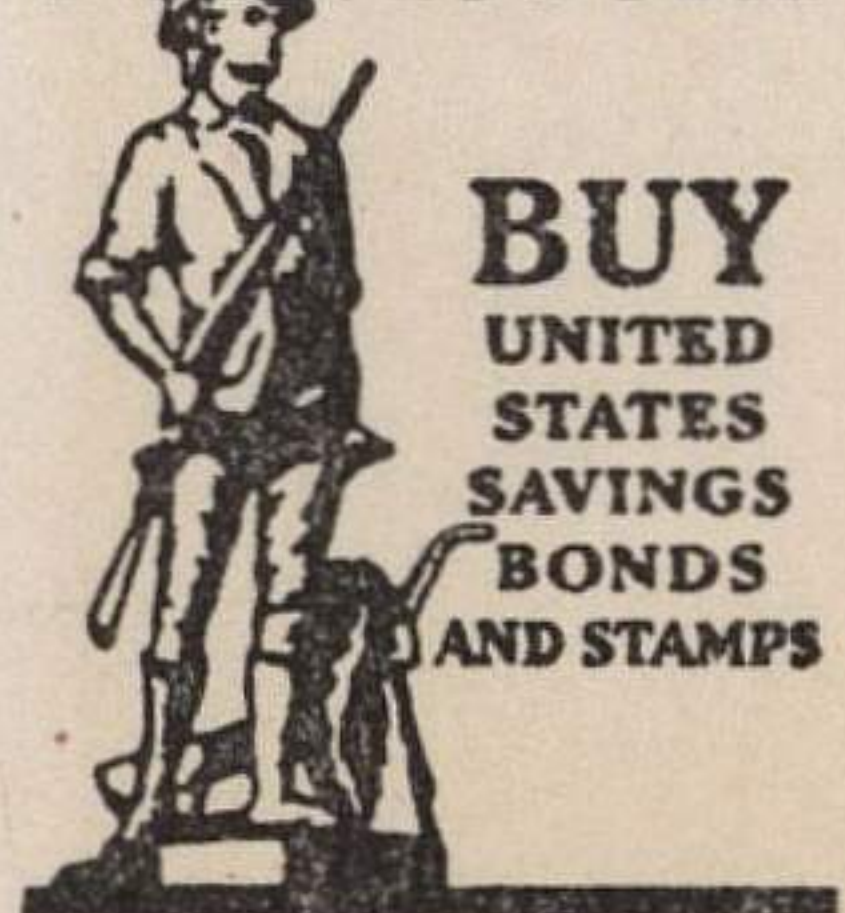
I look forward with pleasure to meeting you and the members of the Club.

Rotarily yours,

WALTER P. KOETITZ,  
Past President, Alameda Rotary Club

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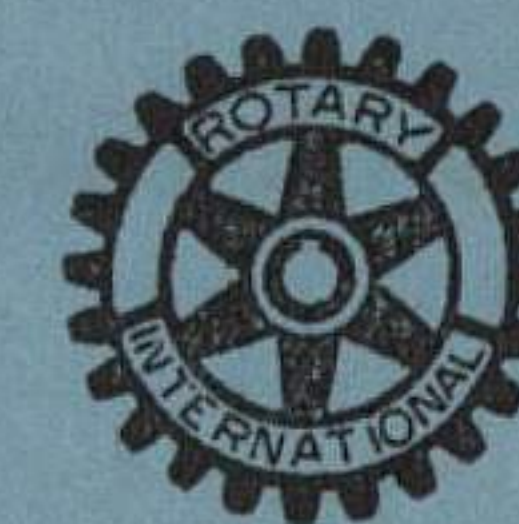


ROTARY INTERNATIONAL  
GOVERNOR'S MONTHLY LETTER

OFFICE OF GOVERNOR OF DISTRICT NO. 123

HOMER KINGSLEY EBRIGHT

BALDWIN, KANSAS



No. 3

September 1943

To Presidents and Secretaries:

Will you tell all Rotarians how much I have enjoyed and appreciated the fellowship in the clubs I have visited. I wish every one could be a district governor just to get to meet so many clubs and feel the warmth of the fellowship and the inspiration of Rotary.

I have visited all the clubs except a few near home. I hope to meet with them in September or October. I wish they would write me and tell me the date they prefer to have me come. I can easily run over to these neighboring towns any week now.

It would be impossible to tell which club had the best singing. I want to revisit some and hear a whole program just of singing. Several clubs have fine quartettes. A large number are fortunate to have such able song leaders.

Some questions:

1. Will you ask your chairman to drop me a card after your last meeting in September stating what percentage of the club read the September Rotarian. That means three articles. I hope I can tell the Central Office that 100% of the men in District 123 read the September Rotarian. Can this chairman find out which article or page ranked first in their interest?

2. Did you see picture 32 on page 54? Where is Ben Donovan's picture? Who else rates?

12. Have you considered that plan for October of offering a prize for the best essay by a high school student on Business and Professional Ethics in America?

3. What is the record for consecutive meetings of 100%?

Seneca wants to know as they have ten consecutive meetings now. They are out for the record.

4. Which club is working hardest to promote the September War Bond Drive?

5. Can any club beat Burlington's plan of writing to the boys in service every week and having all the members sign the letters?

6. Can any club beat Junction City's quartette? Wouldn't it be interesting to have a number of quartettes show their stuff at the District Conference next spring?

7. WHO IS INVITING THE DISTRICT TO MEET IN THEIR TOWN NEXT SPRING FOR THE DISTRICT CONFERENCE?

8. Marysville had to give up two meetings on account of the I. P. scare. But what club can beat Marysville at bowling?

9. Have you seen the new club bulletin which Topcka is printing? Congratulations Walt and Irwin.

10. Paola and Junction City have started some interesting club bulletins. Is there any other club which is beginning a club bulletin?

11. President Charlie and Secretary Phil say that THE WORK PILE is No. 1, R. I. Activity for the year. Do you agree? Have you read the articles in the Rotarian on this subject? What can we do?



1. Attendance.

Rotarians of District 123 are to be congratulated for keeping up attendance in warm weather. August showed up even better than July. Average 86.62%.

Technically we cannot claim that, for four clubs did not get their reports in by midnight of the 10th. That lowers us to 75.41%.

The first honors again go to Seneca. Congratulations, Elmer and Bob and the Seneca club, for four more 100% meetings. Eight meetings in July and August with 100% is quite a record. Can anyone beat it?

Second honors go to Oskaloosa, with three 100% meetings. Blue Rapids was close with two 100% meetings and an average of 97.72. Paola ranked fourth with two 100% meetings and an average 97.40. Ottawa ranked fifth, with one 100% meeting and an average of 95.27.

Fourteen clubs had a higher attendance in August than in July.

In the report from the General Secretary's office, District 123 ranked 15th among all the districts. Seneca and Blue Rapids are listed among the high ten clubs.

Rules For Keeping Up Attendance

1. Have valuable programs
2. Warm fellowship
3. Alert membership committee
4. Everybody try to make up by visiting other clubs, and thus get inspiration.

2. Exact Figures for August:

Club	Membership	Meetings	No. of 100% Meetings	Average
1 Alma	15	4	0	81.66
2 Atchison	48	4	0	71.40
3 Baldwin	36	5	1	94.20
4 Blue Rapids	22	4	2	97.72
5 Bonner Springs	26	4	0	89.30
6 Burlingame	18	5	0	88.80
7 Burlington	26	4	0	93.07
8 Cottonwood Falls	16	2	0	75.00
9 Council Grove	32	4	1	92.47
10 Emporia	75	3	0	79.81
11 Frankfort	15	4	0	80.00
12 Holton	35	4	0	88.40
13 Howard	15	2	0	90.00
14 Junction City	52	5	0	82.89
15 Kansas City	126	5	0	88.79
16 Lawrence	57	5	0	74.28
17 Leavenworth	45	4	0	83.31
18 Lyndon	12	4	0	85.41
19 Manhattan	76	4	0	82.56
20 Marysville	42	2	0	85.71
21 Olathe	29	4	0	85.16
22 Osawatimie	28	5	0	80.93
23 Oskaloosa	19	4	3	98.72
24 Ottawa	43	4	1	95.27
25 Overbrook	12	5	0	95.00
26 Paola	29	4	2	97.40
27 Seneca	32	4	4	100.00
28 Topeka	160	4	0	69.10
29 Valley Falls	18	4	0	86.60

Let every club try to get a mark in column 3 where the 100% meetings are listed.

Suggestion: Let every secretary have an assistant. Then even in emergencies, the report can come in to the District Governor by the tenth. Four reports were late this time.

*Homes*



TO THE PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES:

Rotary is needed in these times more than ever. We must strengthen the fabric of our clubs, get new members, prepare the way for new clubs. Rotary MUST march on! Our magazine "The Rotarian" (in English) and "Revista Rotaria" (in Spanish) can help you to help Rotary. Here are a few suggestions:

1. THE MEN IN SERVICE. Army and Navy "huts", recreation rooms, induction and embarkation centers, all welcome "The Rotarian". So do boys and men from the home town. Does your Club see to it that Rotarians, former Rotarians and their sons in the service receive Rotary's magazine? They like to keep in touch. If there is a camp nearby, you'll probably want to check to see if "The Rotarian" is in the reading room there; if not, perhaps you will wish to provide it for other military reading rooms to be assigned by the magazine staff.
2. SOUTH OF THE BORDER. Last year clubs in the United States and Canada made it possible for "Revista Rotaria", Rotary's Spanish-language "ambassador", to reach some 4,500 influential non-Rotarians and institutions in Latin America--certainly a gesture of goodwill that has been highly appreciated by our neighbors to the south, and one that has given greater impetus to the growth of Rotary there. Here is International Service at work. October 1943 marks the Tenth Anniversary of "Revista Rotaria". Let's help to double its effectiveness this year.
3. NEW MEMBERS. One way to help non-Rotarians understand what Rotary stands for and is doing is to bring "The Rotarian" to their attention. Why not have your club subscribe to "The Rotarian" for a few "key men" in your community who are prospective Rotarians?
4. HONORARY MEMBERS AND FORMER ROTARIANS. Surely, these men should be kept informed of what's doing in Rotary - through "The Rotarian". Honorary members are men of influence and their goodwill counts. Former members, if kept interested, may some day "come back".
5. TOMORROW'S ROTARIANS. High school and college students use "The Rotarian". "Revista Rotaria" is welcomed in schools where Spanish is taught. And a good many Rotary Clubs are providing "The Rotarian" for schools in neighboring towns where there are no Rotary Clubs.
6. THE PUBLIC. Public libraries, hospitals, Y. M. C. A's, Y. W. C. A's, clubs, and even jails, are glad to receive "The Rotarian" for their reading tables - libraries especially, for articles in your magazine are indexed in "Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature", thus making it useful in preparing talks and papers. And we shouldn't overlook the library in the neighboring town where there is no Rotary Club. The result might well be the establishment of another Rotary Club.

More than 3,000 Rotary Clubs in the United States and Canada are using some 19,000 copies of "The Rotarian" and "Revista Rotaria" in these and other ways. The cost is only one dollar and a half (\$1.50) per subscription per year.

If your Club does not have this on its present list of activities, may I suggest that you take it up at the next meeting of your Board of Directors?

Check the attached list (figures as of July 1st), and see where your Club stands. Is your Club a subscriber? If so, you may care to add other libraries, schools, organizations, camps, or individuals. Also, attached is a form for your convenience in sending subscriptions directly to "The Rotarian".

Sincerely yours,

*Homer K. Elbright*

District Governor



123rd DISTRICT ROTARY CLUBS WHICH PROVIDE SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTIONS TO "THE ROTARIAN"  
OR "REVISTA ROTARIA" FOR LIBRARIES, SCHOOLS, CLUBS, HOSPITALS, READING ROOMS,  
MILITARY CAMPS, HONORARY ROTARIANS, NON-ROTARIANS, ETC., AS A CLUB ACTIVITY

	<u>*S</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>RR</u>	<u>Total</u>
KANSAS				
Alma . . . . .	1	-	-	1
Atchison . . . . .	6	4	1	11
Baldwin . . . . .	2	2	3	7
Blue Rapids . . . . .	-	-	-	-
Bonner Springs . . . . .	1	1	-	2
Burlingame . . . . .	1	-	-	1
Burlington . . . . .	4	-	-	4
Cottonwood Falls . . . . .	2	-	-	2
Council Grove . . . . .	-	-	-	-
Emporia . . . . .	3	-	-	3
Frankfort . . . . .	1	-	-	1
Holton . . . . .	2	2	-	4
Howard . . . . .	1	-	-	1
Junction City . . . . .	6	3	1	10
Kansas City . . . . .	10	3	5	18
Lawrence . . . . .	6	11	7	24
Leavenworth . . . . .	2	2	-	4
Lyndon . . . . .	1	-	-	1
Manhattan . . . . .	4	7	-	11
Marysville . . . . .	2	2	-	4
Olathe . . . . .	2	4	-	6
Osawatomie . . . . .	2	1	-	3
Oskaloosa . . . . .	-	-	1	1
Ottawa . . . . .	3	1	2	6
Overbrook . . . . .	-	-	-	-
Paola . . . . .	7	-	1	8
Seneca . . . . .	1	-	-	1
Topeka . . . . .	3	1	6	10
Valley Falls . . . . .	1	-	-	1
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TOTAL	74	44	27	145

\* KEY: S-special ROTARIAN subscriptions for libraries, schools, reading rooms, hospitals, etc.; H-for honorary members; RR-REVISTA ROTARIA, Spanish Edition (including "Fourth Object" subscriptions).



TO  
THE ROTARIAN Magazine  
35 East Wacker Drive  
Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.

Please enter the following subscriptions and bill our Rotary Club accordingly:

I. THE ROTARIAN (@ \$1.50 per year)

Public Library	Non-Rotarian	Service Man
School Library	Honorary Member	Military Camp Reading Room
Hospital	Former Member	Non-Rotarian Newspaperman

(Please check respective groups)

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Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

MILITARY CAMP READING ROOM SUBSCRIPTIONS may most satisfactorily be cleared through the offices of "The Rotarian", to avoid unnecessary duplication. If no specific camp is desired, assignments will be made by the magazine staff and the club notified as to the recipient. Simply designate in the following space the number of such subscriptions your club wishes to provide: \_\_\_\_\_

II. REVISTA ROTARIA -- Spanish edition (@ \$1.50 per year)

School where Spanish is taught	Student of Spanish
Teacher of Spanish in School	Others _____

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

"FOURTH OBJECT" Subscriptions to REVISTA ROTARIA for non-Rotarians and institutions in Latin America may be most conveniently handled by indicating the number of subscriptions the club wishes to provide and submitting request directly to THE ROTARIAN to cooperate in the assignment of the gifts. This will avoid duplication. Recommendations for recipients of such goodwill subscriptions are received from Latin American district governors, thus assuring the quality. Following space is for designation of number of these subscriptions desired: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: It is understood that invoice for subscriptions to THE ROTARIAN covering balance of semi-annual period will be sent by Rotary International. For continuation of subscriptions, the above names or institutions will be included in the regular semi-annual report with the names of members of my club. Subscriptions to REVISTA ROTARIA will be invoiced on an annual basis by Rotary International. It is not necessary to enclose with this order-blank a check for these subscriptions.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Office \_\_\_\_\_

Rotary Club of \_\_\_\_\_

State or Province \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ District of Rotary International



December 31, 1943

Mr. Roger Allen,  
Fritz Company,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Rog:

This is just a memorandum to keep you up  
to date on the birthdays of the Rotarians.

December 31 - Charles B. Russell  
January 6 - J. Clifton Ramsey

When your own comes along we will have  
someone else take care of it.

Rotarily,

President.



Tuesday Evening  
Nov. 2 -

Dear Dr. Allen:-

What a surprise!

It was the proper  
date to have a birthday  
anniversary.

Sorry that to have  
joined the other corsage  
ladies last evening,  
but you are a doctor,  
and will understand  
when I say that  
food, nerves and I



sometimes have a  
violent argument -

I couldn't afford to  
take a chance on having  
one today, since it  
was my turn to have  
the paper for my Club -

I believe you have  
started something, and  
the name will "lobby"  
to keep you in office  
for more than one term -

I do thank you for  
the thought — and  
for the courage -

I am sincerely -

( Ann Florence Stephenson -



Dear Mr. Allen:-

One of the most pleasant  
happenings during Christmas was  
Patary remembering us.

The poinsettia is lovely  
and the thoughtfulnes of the club  
added much to our Christmas Day.

Sincerely yours

Gay Aron



My dear Mr Allen -

Thank you very  
much for the lovely  
Cossage. It was certainly a  
surprise.

The boat had their Christmas  
tree that evening and I  
rec'd many compliments  
on my "beautiful" Cossage -

Wishing you and all those  
dear to you a year of many  
blessings I remain -  
Mrs J. J. Meade



8243 La. St.:-

Lawrence Kauser

Dec. 27/43 -

my dear Dr. Allen!:-

I was very much touched by the lovely flowers which were sent to me by the Rotomys for Christmas.

Lawrence Rotomy has been wonderful to my husband and to me. I in that fine gift. and I do appreciate it



very much -

I have written that Rotary  
means so much which  
in Australia. He has  
just completed a speaking  
tour for Rotary and he  
has benefited so much  
there.

many thanks again

Sincerely

Antonia C. Baldwin.



MRS. LYLE O. ARMEL  
1515 UNIVERSITY DRIVE  
LAWRENCE, KANSAS

Wednesday

Dear Dr. Allen:-

I couldn't resist sending you a note telling you how very much I enjoyed the dinner and the lovely carriage - I wore it again yesterday and it was still fresh & fragrant.

We had an interesting caller yesterday a Comdr. stationed in Panama - He had flown in and Loung Sewbyll came to see us. He assured us Lyle was fine & doing a marvellous piece of work. Needless to say we were all very happy after his visit.

Thank you again for your very helpful notes, I shall not forget it.

Yours sincerely  
Jerry Armel.



December 28, 1943.

Mr. Karl Klooz, Secretary,  
Lawrence Rotary Club,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Karl:

In compliance with the wishes of the Board of Directors of Rotary, I have had a conference with Rotarian Eugene A. Stephenson and find that my statement to the Board was correct. "Stevie" has taken the assignment of J. J. Jakosky on the Kansas Development Commission which has to do with research of Kansas products and commodities. The meetings are held on Monday at Topeka.

I am therefore making a recommendation to the Board of Directors that we extend a leave of absence until March 6, 1944. This is at his request.

Rotarily yours,

FCA:AH

President.



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DEPARTMENT OF PETROLEUM ENGINEERING

November 8, '43.

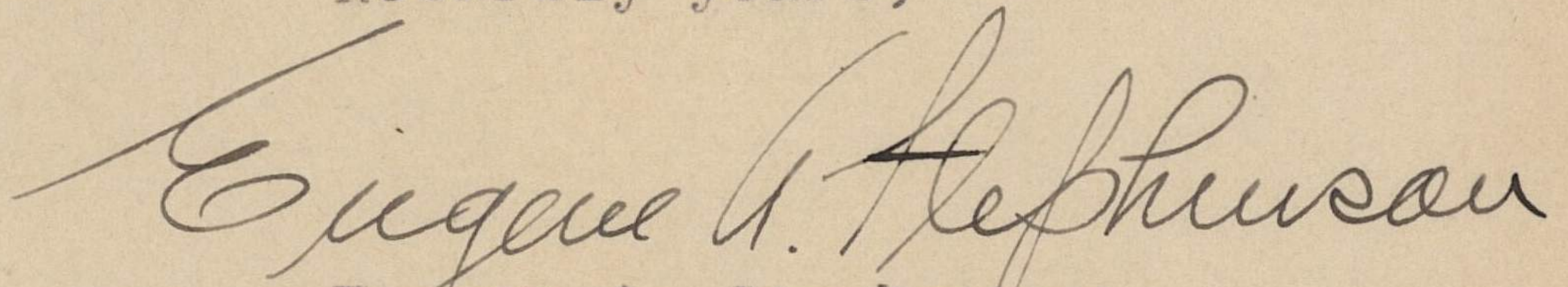
Mr. Karl Klooz,  
Secretary, Lawrence Rotary Club,  
City.

Dear Karl:

My schedule for this term will make it impossible for me to attend the regular meetings of the club.

Much as I regret this step it will be necessary for me to request a leave of absence until March 6, 1944. Will you please transmit this note to the board of Directors.

Rotarily yours,

  
Eugene A. Stephenson



December 28, 1943.

Mr. Garth Henrichs,  
The Henry F. Henrichs Publications,  
Litchfield, Illinois.

Dear Garth H.:

I am a little late in acknowledging your splendid communication of November 18th. I had arranged to give each member of our Lawrence Rotary Club a framed membership plaque with their name imprinted thereon. I am sorry that we could not use your very appropriate brochure. However, I do thank you for calling my attention to this very worthwhile gift.

Rotarily yours,

FCA:AH

President.





A LITTLE NOTE *from*

GARTH HENRICHS

*with*

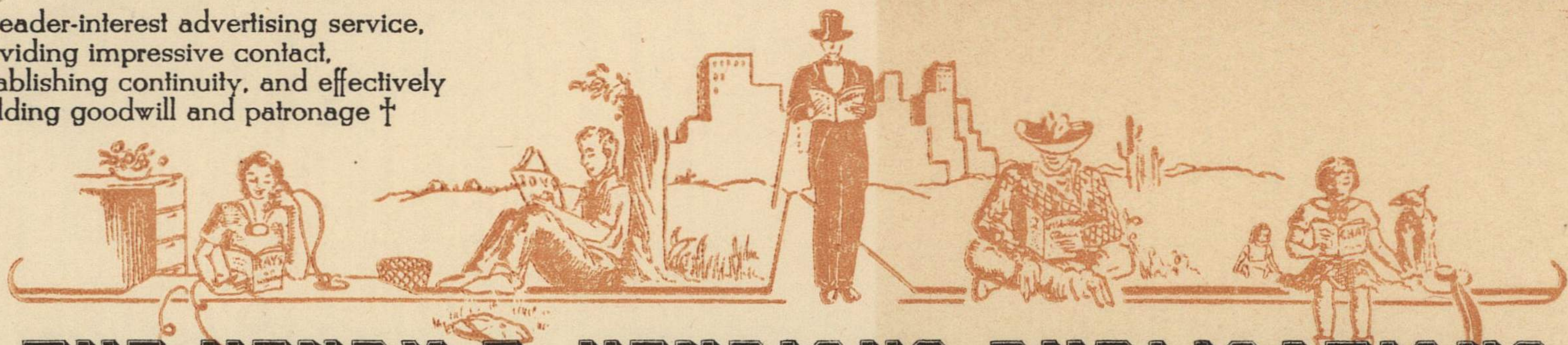
THE SUNSHINE FOLKS, LITCHFIELD ILLINOIS

I read with great interest the  
article in the Saturday Evening  
Post some time ago, about your  
basketball 'career'.

Garth H.



A reader-interest advertising service,  
Providing impressive contact,  
Establishing continuity, and effectively  
Building goodwill and patronage †



## THE HENRY F. HENRICHS PUBLICATIONS

November 18, 1943

LITCHFIELD, ILLINOIS

Mr. Forrest C. Allen

Dear Friend Forrest:

No, you haven't heard from me before, but any fellow-Rotarian is my friend, as I consider myself his.

Here's what I wanted to say. Over here in Litchfield we have quite a publishing business--a particular kind--doing work on small "humanized" booklets and 'house' publications.

Lately one of our departments has been really going places, preparing an unusual style of 'magazet' as a remembrance piece, or greeting, for presenting to friends at Christmastime.

One of these, called "The Path Ascends", may be just the sort of thing you would like to give to every member of the Lawrence Rotary Club, as a token of your good wishes for the Holidays.

I'd be delighted to have a hand in getting some of these ready for you, either with or without your name imprinted on them.

There's a very nice greeting-message in the copy of "The Path Ascends" that I'm enclosing, and the same thing, or a similar greeting, can be placed in your copies.

The cost of the booklet is quite reasonable. To cover every man in your club membership of about 60, the amount would be just \$9.50 with envelopes included. Add \$1 for imprinting.

I believe every Lawrence Rotarian will like the booklet, will find it inspiring and helpful, and will appreciate the thought behind it.

Your order will come to me for special, prompt attention.

Thanks, Forrest, and I hope I can meet you sometime!

The House of Sunshine



Cordially,

*Henry F. Henrichs*  
The Henry F. Henrichs  
Publications

... HOME OF SUNSHINE PUBLICITY

My Classification: Periodical Publishing



December 28, 1943.

Mr. Herbert Hoffman,  
Dept. of Buildings & Grounds,  
University of Kansas.

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

I have always noticed a gentle twinkle in your eye. I knew you were thankful for many things, but until I heard your son speak yesterday I did not know how many fine reasons you had for that twinkle. Congratulations on having such a wonderful family!

You have many reasons to be thankful. Life has been good to you and you have been good to people. It was a great pleasure to have you with us at Rotary, and so thoughtful of Professor Herbert Hungerford in asking you.

You have made us very happy with your thoughtfulness in bringing flowers to our office. There is nothing better than flowers to express tenderest and sincerest wishes and thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

President.



# LAWRENCE ROTARY CLUB BULLETIN

LAWRENCE, KANSAS

DECEMBER 24, 1943

\* \* \* \* \*

ONE OF THE FINEST Christmas parties in the history of the Club was the verdict of many a Rotarian after last week's meeting. And the youngsters went for everything in a big way. Chairman Ralph Graber did a bang-up of planning and arranging. Thanks to everyone for their help. And especially to President "Phog" for the beautiful membership plaques! Also from the youngsters, many many thanks to "Santa Claus" Schwan for the theatre tickets!

## AN INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATION

Monday, for Club Members, in the person of W. E. Hoffman, an old Lawrence boy, now Professor of Entomology at Lingnan University, Canton, China. Officially interned by the Japanese Government since Feb. 1, 1943, Prof. Hoffman was released and returned recently to this country on the last trip of the Gripsholm. A graduate of K.U. in 1918 and a member of the staff for three years thereafter, Mr. Hoffman has been at Lingnan University since 1924. In addition to being professor of entomology, he is also director of the museum of natural history. He will bring a ringside report of what is going on in the Orient since Japanese occupation.

*What are the fathers initials?  
Herbert Hoffman*

## SECRETARY KARL

has had Christmas Greetings to the Club from two of our military members -- Capt. George Baxter Smith, in California, and Captain John Andrews, from Ohio.

## CONGRATULATIONS

to our new member, Dr. H. T. Jones, and the father of one of our overseas members, Major H. P. Jones, in North Africa.

## NEW HONORS TO PRESIDENT "PHOG"

who has been recommended by the Douglas County Commissioners to Governor Andrew Schoeppel to membership on the Douglas County Selective Service Board.

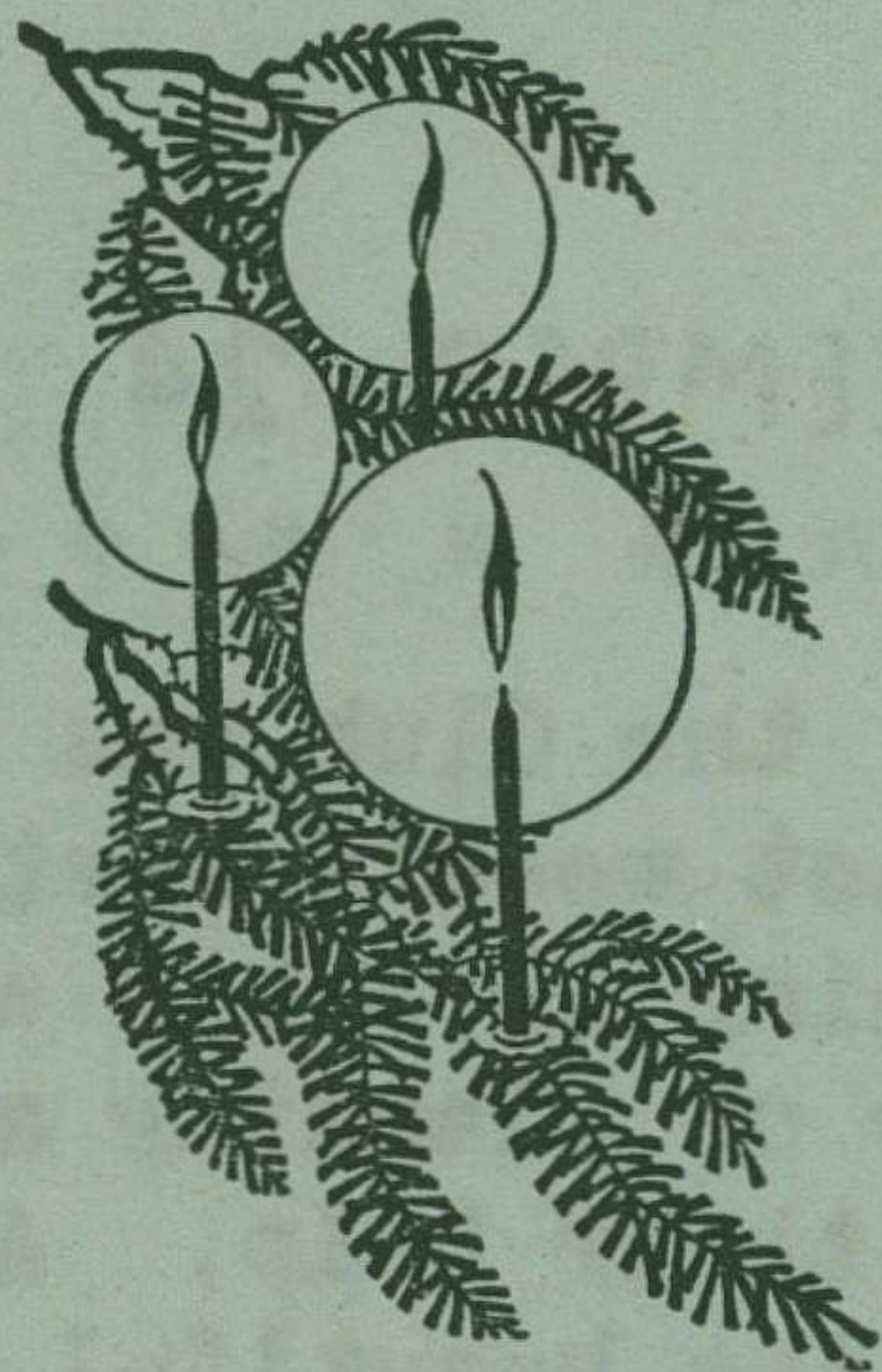
## GOD REST YE, MERRY GENTLEMEN!

With all good wishes for the happiest kind of a Christmas. We'll be seein' you Monday.

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# Season's Greetings



## Christmas for Servicemen

The Rotary Club of **Biddeford-Saco, Maine**, invites all servicemen on leave to the club's Christmas party and presents them with cigarettes and other gifts.

The members of the **Sugarcreek, Ohio**, club prepare special Christmas cards for the servicemen from their community.

The members of the Rotary Club of **Marysville, California**, invite servicemen to their homes for Christmas dinner.

The Rotary Club of **Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**, is remembering all military members at Christmas time with various kinds of gifts and cards.

The members of the Rotary Club of **North Sacramento, California**, arrange for club members to entertain convalescent servicemen in their homes over Christmas week-end.



## Christmas for Hill Children

The Rotary Club of **Summerville-Trion, Georgia**, has arranged for a Christmas program for children "back in the hills and mountains."

## Let Us Drive With All Our Might

Let us persuade each administrative officer, each committeeman, and each employee of Rotary to re-examine and weigh all planned procedure covering each hour of outlined work as to it being a *Rotary need* adapted to the present world crisis.

If in their judgment slightly altered activity or procedure will produce better results in this emergency, we want them to ask for the privilege of adjustment.

We want Rotarians to think and do now as they have never thought and done before.

Let us post this notice on every desk and in every Rotary workshop. Individual initiative will win for Rotary the development of the individual. Your and my success in establishing these thoughts immediately into the minds of our fellow-workers will measure the success of Rotary this year.

Let us drive with all our might for this *adaptability to the moment*.

—Charles L. Wheeler,  
President



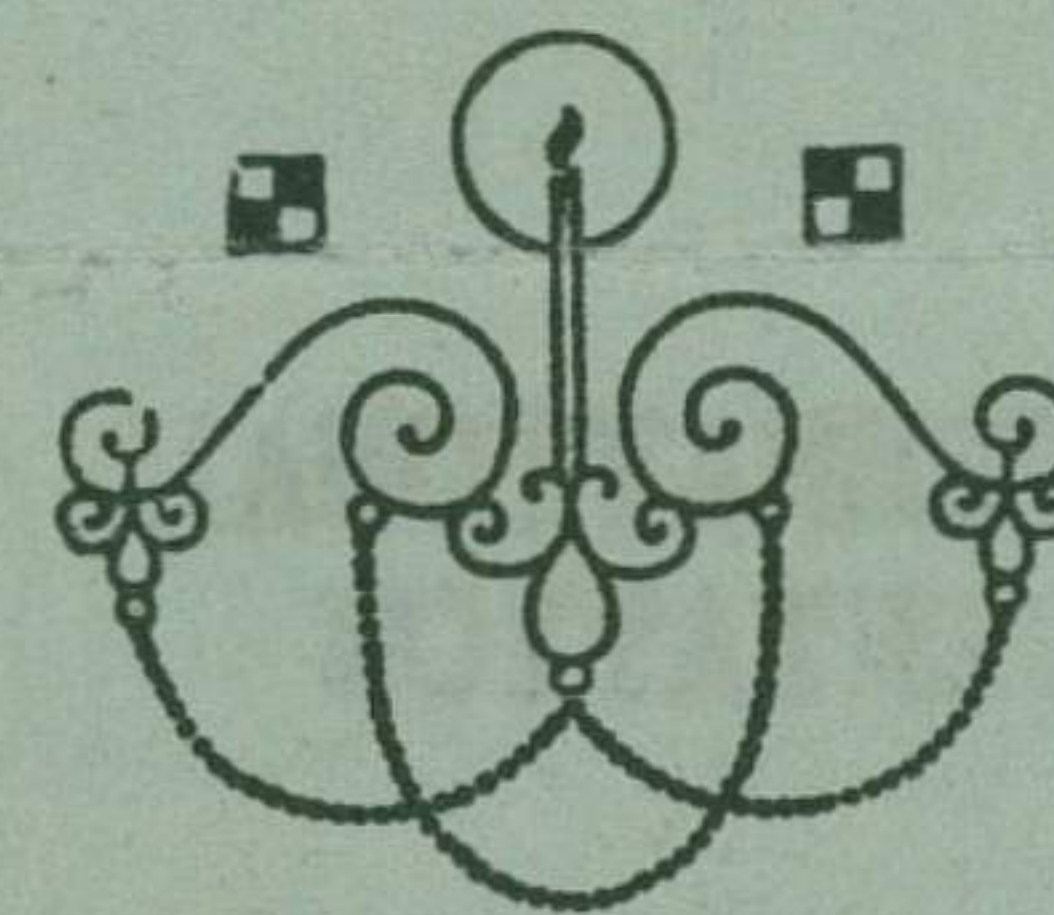
## Christmas for Orphans

**Masterton, New Zealand**, entertains the children annually at a Christmas lunch. Last year there were 80 children present at this party.

## Christmas for the Sick

The Rotary Club of **Hamilton, New Zealand**, sends a Christmas present to every child in a hospital.

The **Christchurch, New Zealand**, Rotary club sends a Christmas card and a brand new shilling to every child in hospital, orphanage and mental institution.



## The Right Spirit

Heard one of our members say last Thursday, after the drawing for war bonds: "Don't know why I keep on buying these things. Never come anywhere close to winning," but he was smiling when he said it, and I know that next Thursday he would take another strip from one of the committee and smile again when the numbers he bought drew a blank. How do I know? Because he is a Rotarian, and like all the others, he'd like to win a bond, just for the fun of the thing, but he really doesn't expect it—and he looks upon the dollar a week he pays for the tickets as a small subscription to the war committee fund.

—The Editor,  
THE LIVE OAK  
Oakland, California



You can help make some family very happy this Christmas. Don't pass up the opportunity.



December 28, 1943.

Mr. Simon Hurwitz,  
Lawrence Sanitary Milk Company,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Simon:

I want you to know how perfect you made  
our Christmas dinner with that wonderful ice  
cream. All the Allens thank you and Mrs.  
Hurwitz for your generous gift and extreme  
thoughtfulness.

Rotarily yours,

FCA:AH

President.



December 29, 1943.

Dr. Homer K. Ebright,  
District Governor of Rotary,  
Baldwin, Kansas.

Dear Governor Homer K.:

I am sending you a copy of the letter that Dean Werner wrote me as of December 3, 1943. This, of course, is regarding the matter of the exchange student. I am sorry that I have not mailed this to you earlier, but I am trusting that in the rush of things you have not gotten around to the matter before now.

I am also enclosing to you a little remembrance for New Years, a Rotary calendar from the Lawrence Rotary Club.

With all good wishes to you and yours for an even better New Year than we have had, I am

Rotarily yours,

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President.



THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS  
Lawrence

December 3, 1943.

Professor F. C. Allen  
University of Kansas  
Campus

Dear Dr. Allen:

Three years ago, several of us got together at the request of the Institute for Inter-National Education and Representatives from the United States Bureau of Education, with the idea of financing the University expenses of Latin American students who might be selected to attend Kansas University. The District Rotary became very interested, and set aside the sum of \$200 for payment of the fees of such a student. This was done for two years, and two Latin American students have been enrolled during that time. Their room and board was provided through the generosity of various fraternities on the campus.

It was felt that these students, by their contacts among the students and throughout the state, were very valuable assets. This last spring, I was informed that the District had again set aside the necessary \$200 for the Latin American Exchange Student and Mr. Klooz informed me that Mr. Ambrose Johnston of Manhattan was charged with the assignment of this fund. I immediately wrote to Mr. Johnston on July 16, asking for information concerning the possibility of using this scholarship. I have not received any reply to this letter or to subsequent letters to Mr. Johnston. I then telephoned Mr. Johnston at Manhattan in August, and received the reply that it had been difficult for him to get in touch with the other two members of the committee concerned with the assignment of this scholarship money. He promised to get some decision on the matter as soon as possible. On September 16 I again wrote to Mr. Johnston to which letter I received no acknowledgment. It seems to me that there was nothing in my letters which did not warrant the courtesy of a reply. Aside, however, from this somewhat personal consideration, I feel it is very regrettable that this money has not been made available in the spirit which originated its appropriation three years ago. The necessity of advancement of good relationships between North and South Americas is evident to everyone of us and to fail to take advantage of an opportunity for such advancement is to my mind almost reprehensible.

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) Henry Werner

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LAWRENCE NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

LAWRENCE, KANSAS

December 14, 1943

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Dr. Forrest C. Allen, President  
Lawrence Rotary Club  
Lawrence, Kansas

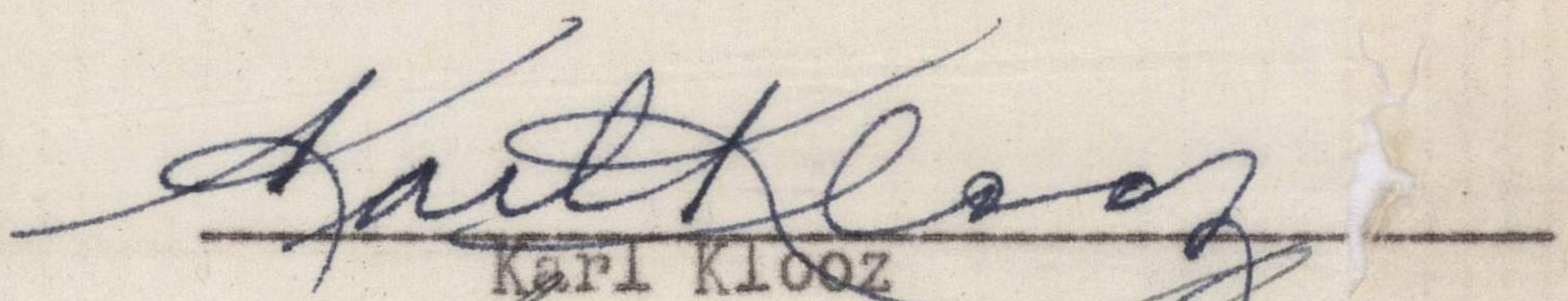
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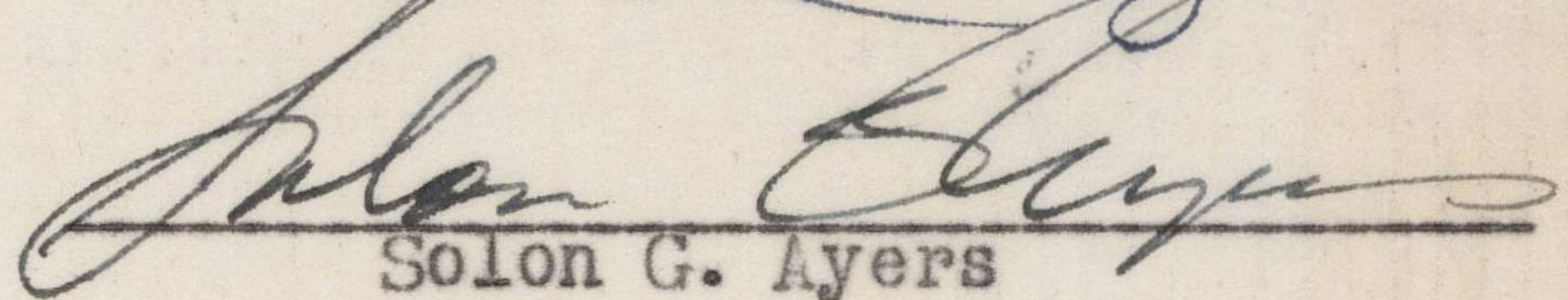
You have asked the undersigned committee to study and report to you concerning the scholarship of \$200.00 by our district of Rotary for Latin-American students attending Kansas University, and particularly with reference to Dean Henry Werner's letter of December 3rd.

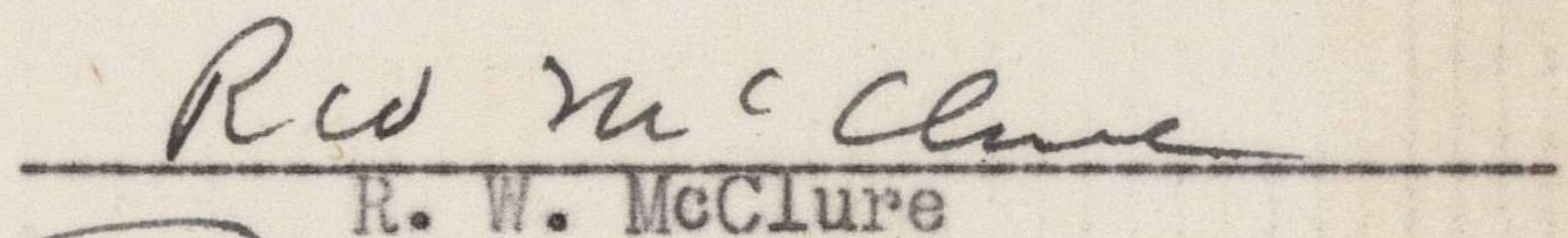
Your committee met on Monday, December 13th, and we recommend to you that the following action be taken in the matter:

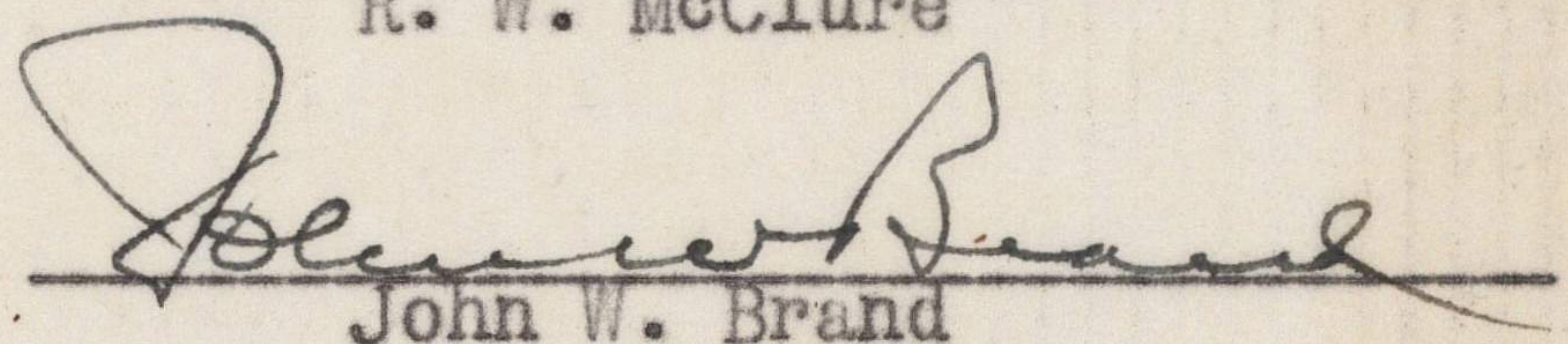
Your committee recommends that you, as President of the Lawrence Rotary Club, address a letter to District Governor Homer Ebright, placing the entire matter in his hands for solution. We suggest that you point out to Governor Homer that the money was voted to be expended as a gesture of good will to Latin-America and that time is being lost in providing good will, and possibly ill will being incurred by reason of the failure of the proper committee to act in this instance.

Respectfully submitted

  
Karl Klooz

  
Solon G. Ayers

  
R. W. McClure

  
John W. Brand



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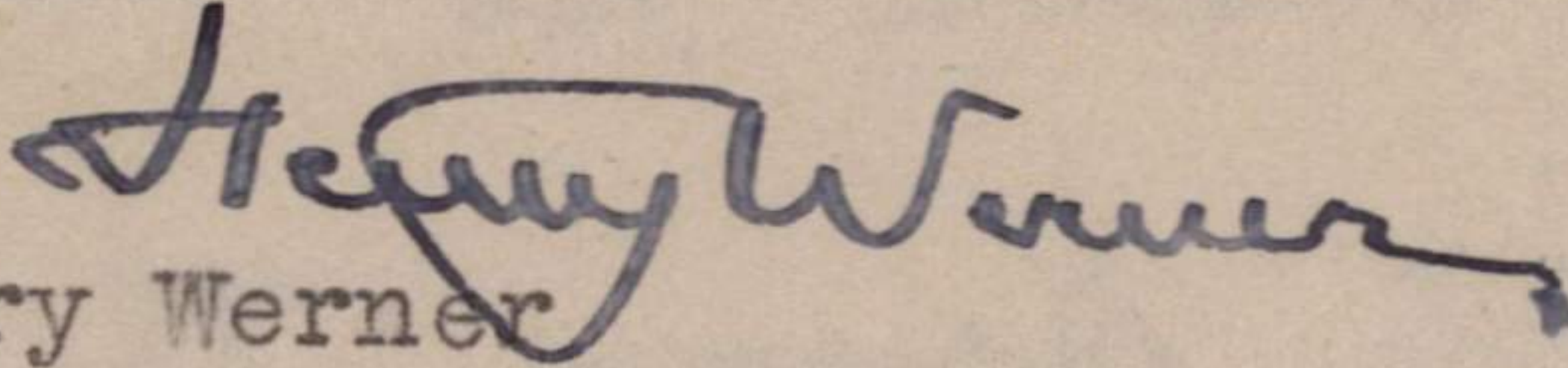


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